

In the Matter of Sheepwash Pasture, Malham

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No. 1 in the Land section of Register Unit No. CL 584 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the former West Riding County Council and is occasioned by Objection No. 1287 made by Ronald G Boatwright and noted in the Register on 8 June 1971.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Skipton on 13 May 1981. The hearing was attended by Mr J Geldard (Chairman) appearing for the applicants Malham Parish Meeting and Mrs J Clarke of J P Mewies and Co, Solicitors of Skipton appearing for Mr Boatwright, I was informed that another objection Ref: 268/D/388 lodged by Mrs B M Corry had been withdrawn before the meeting.

Mrs Clarke said and Mr Geldard accepted that the parties had agreed to invite me only to confirm the registration the land shown shaded in pencil on the plan annexed hereto.

For these reasons I confirm the registration with the following modification: that the unshaded portion of the land edged green on the register be excluded.

I am required by regulation 30(1) of the Commons Commissioners Regulations 1971 to emplain that a person aggrieved by this decision as being erroneous in point of law may, within 6 weeks from the date on which notice of the decision is sent to him, require me to state a case for the decision of the High Court.

Dated this

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Commons Commissioner

