

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 226/U/103

In the Matter of Land at Badby, Northamptonshire

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of the land described above being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG 112 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Northamptonshire County Council of which no person is registered under section 4 of the Commons Registration Act 1965 as the owner.

Following upon the public notice of this reference Badby Farish Council claimed to be the freehold owner of the land in question and no other person claimed to have information as to its ownership.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the quantion of the ownership of the land at Northampton on 12 December 1979.

At the hearing, the Parish Council was represented by its vice-chairman, Mr J Warr. This piece of land is a small area, not used for any specific purposes, but ornamental, and is largely maintained by adjoining householders.

On this evidence I am not satisfied that any person is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Northamptonshire County Council, as registration authority, to register Badby Parish Council as the owner of the land under section 8(3) of the Act of 1955.

I am required by regulation 30(1) of the Commons Commissioners Regulations 1971 to explain 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 Courts.

Dated

9 Lannary

1980

L. J. Maris limes

Commons Commissioner