



In the Matter of North Moreton Recreational Allotment
North Moreton. South Oxfordshire D.

DECISION.

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as North Moreton Recreational Allotment North Moreton, Oxfordshire D. being the land comprised in the Land section of Register Unit No. VG 85 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Oxfordshire 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 North Moreton Parish 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 question of the ownership of land at Oxford on 10th June 1975.

Major W.J. Gubb a Member of the North Moreton Parish Council appeared and produced the North Moreton Enclosure Award dated 18th May 1843 and the map therein mentioned whereby the land in question No 11 on the said map was allotted to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the parish.

On this evidence I am satisfied that North Moreton Parish Council is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Oxfordshire County Council as registration authority, to register the North Moreton Parish Council as the owner of the land under section 8(2) of the Act of 1965.

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 Court.

Dated this 14th day of July 1975.

Commons Commissioner.