

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No.34/U/29

In the Matter of Church Green, Finningham, Mid Suffolk D., Suffolk

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as Church Green, Finningham, Mid Suffolk District being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No.VG.24 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Suffolk 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 Finningham Parish Council claimed ownership of the land in question. No other person claimed to be the freehold owner of the land or to have information as to its ownership.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the question of the ownership of the land at Ipswich on 14 May 1974. No person attended the hearing.

In the absence of any evidence I am not satisfied that any person is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Suffolk County Council as registration authority, to register Finningham Parish Council as the owner of the land under section 3(3) of the Act of 1965.

I am required by regulation 50(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 21 st day of May

a a Baden Fuller

Commons Commissioner