

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 204/U/12

In the Matter of Stocks Green, Oakington, Cambridgeshire

DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as Stocks Green, Oakington, being the land comprised in the Land Section of Register Unit No. VG.71 in the Register of Town or Village Greens maintained by the Cambridgeshire County Council of which no person is registered under section 4 of the Commons Registration Act 1965 as the owner.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the question of the ownership of the land at Cambridge on 24 January 1979.

At the hearing the Oakington Parish Council was represented by Mrs H M Prior, its Clerk, who informed me that she did not know who was the owner of the land in question.

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 Cambridgeshire County Council, as registration authority, to register the Oakington Parish Council as the owner of the land under section 8 (3) 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 1912 day of March 1979

Chief Commons Commissioner