

COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 213/D/91-92

In the Matter of the Common Woolaston, Forest of Dean D

DECISION

This dispute relates to the registration at Entry No 1 in the Land Section and Entry Nos 1 and 2 in the Rights Section of Register Unit No.CL.220 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the Gloucestershire County Council and is occasioned by Objection No OB 178 made by the Trustees of Woolaston Poors Land Charity and L R Duirs, and noted in the Register on 2 February 1971.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Gloucestershire on 19 October 1978. The hearing was not attended by any person entitled to be heard.

The Entry in the Land Section was made on the application of the Woolaston Parish Council, and the applications for Entries 1 and 2 in the Rights Section were made by Mr E Ball and Mr L F T Haskins, as long ago as 20 December 1973 the Registration Authority notified the office of the Commons Commissioners that the Parish Council and Mr Ball had requested the Authority to cancel their respective registrations but that Mr Hoskins had not made a similar request. In these circumstances and since Mr Hoskins did not attend the hearing to support his claim to common rights, I refuse to confirm the Entry in the Land Section and both the Entries in the Rights Section.

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

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day of November

1978

Commons Commissioner