

## COMMONS REGISTRATION ACT 1965

Reference No. 236/U/3

In the Matter of Tongham Moor situate in the Parish of Seale and Tongham, Surrey

## DECISION

This reference relates to the question of the ownership of land known as Tongham Moor situate in the Parish of Seale and Tongham 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 Surrey 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 Seale and Tongham 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 the land at Guildford on 25 March 1975. Mr. C.Stagg clerk to the Seale and Tongham Parish Council appeared and produced an extract from the Inclosure Award dated 14 June 1855 certified by the County assistant archivist whereby the land in question was allotted to the overseers of the Parish.

On this evidence I am satisfied that Seals and Tongham Parish Council is the owner of the land, and I shall accordingly direct the Surrey County Council as registration authority, to register Seals and Tongham 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

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day of april

1975

Commons Commissioner

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