

Reference Nos 22/D/26 - 28

In the Matter of Dowsdale Bank (part) and Old South Eau Bank, Dowsdale Bar, Whaplode, Lincolnshire (No 2)

## DECISION

These disputes relate to the registration at Entry No 1 in the Ownership section of Register Unit No CL 47 in the Register of Common Land maintained by the former Holland County Council and are occasioned by Objection No 162 made by St John's College, Cambridge and noted in the Register on 17 March 1971, Objection No 274 made by Mr H Ford and noted in the Register on 22 March 1972, and Objection No 280 made by the former County Council and noted in the Register on 6 July 1972.

I held a hearing for the purpose of inquiring into the dispute at Spalding on 20 April 1978. The hearing was attended by Dr D G Teall, as successor to the estate of Mrs A M Teall, the applicant for the registration, and by Mr A G Dyer, solicitor, on behalf of all the Objectors.

I was informed that Dr Teall had agreed with the Objectors not to pursue the application for the registration and to pay an agreed sum by way of costs to the Objector, St John's College, Cambridge.

In these circumstances I refuse to confirm the registration.

Since the sum payable to St John's College, Cambridge by way of costs has been agreed, it is not necessary for me to make an order as to costs.

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

7th day of

1978

CHIEF COMMONS COMMISSIONER