COMMONS ACT 2006 & THE COMMONS (REGISTRATION OF TOWN OR VILLAGE GREENS) (INTERIM ARRANGEMENTS) (ENGLAND) REGULATIONS 2007 REGULATION 9 NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF APPLICATION TO REGISTER AS TOWN OR VILLAGE GREEN LAND KNOWN AS CHURCH GREEN, HORDEN APPLICATION REF: NL40

Notice is hereby given that Durham County Council, as Commons Registration Authority has, at a meeting of its Highways Committee on 6 November 2013, considered an application to register land known as Church Green at Horden.

The land is shown edged in red on the plan attached to this Notice ('the Application Land')

Decision

The Highways Committee resolved that the Application Land should be registered as Town or Village Green.

Reasons

The Committee took into account the evidence submitted in support of the application and was satisfied that on balance the statutory test for registration of the Application Land as Town or Village Green had been met by the applicant. The Committee were satisfied that:

- The users are significant in number
- The users come from a neighbourhood within a locality
- The use of the Application Land was used and continues to be used as of right
- The use of the Application Land has been for the purpose of lawful sports and pastimes
- There has been continuous use of the Application Land for at least 20 years immediately preceding the date of the application.

Changes to the Register

The Application Land has been registered in the Council's Register of Town and Village Greens as entry number VG 123 Church Green, Horden.

Dated 18 November 2013

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