

NOTICE OF PUBLIC INQUIRY

Commons Act 2006 –Schedule 2 (4)

Application to register waste land of the manor not registered as common land at HODDLESDEN MOSS, BLACKBURN WITH DARWEN

An Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs will open an inquiry at Darwen Town Hall, Croft Street, Darwen, Lancs, BB3 1BQ on **3 & 4 November 2015**, into an application by the Open Spaces Society & the British Horse Society, under Section 22 Schedule 2(4) of the Commons Act 2006.

The applicant seeks to register waste land of the manor not registered as common land at Hoddlesden Moss near Darwen, Lancashire on the grounds that the provisional registration under the Commons Registration Act 1965 was cancelled because the person on whose application the provisional registration was made requested or agreed to its cancellation.

The application was duly made to Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council and referred to The Planning Inspectorate for determination under section 27 of the Commons Registration (England) (Regulations) 2008.

The inquiry will begin at **10.00am on Tuesday 3 November 2015** and is due to close on 4 November 2015. Anyone can attend the inquiry. Anyone who wants to be heard on the subject matter of the application may, at the discretion of the Inspector, give evidence at the inquiry or arrange for someone to do so on their behalf.

Copies of the application documents, representations and inquiry evidence can be inspected at Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council, Town Hall, Blackburn BB1 7DY between the hours of 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday during the six weeks before the inquiry.

Copies are available on request and payment of the Council's reasonable photocopying costs.

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The Planning Inspectorate on behalf of the Secretary of State for
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs