
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Commons Registration (England) Regulations 2014

PART 3

Applications and proposals to amend the Registers

Procedure at inquiries

- 31.**—(1) At the start of an inquiry, the inspector must—
- (a) identify the main issues to be considered at the inquiry;
 - (b) identify any matters on which further explanation from any person appearing at the inquiry is required; and
 - (c) explain the procedure to be followed at the inquiry.
- (2) Paragraph (1)(a) does not preclude other issues from being considered at the inquiry, or (subject to the inspector's powers under regulation 29(5)) raised by persons appearing at the inquiry.
- (3) If a person giving evidence at the inquiry has provided a written statement of evidence in accordance with a direction under regulation 29(3) or 30(5), the inspector may direct that—
- (a) the written statement is to be treated as the person's evidence, or as part of the person's evidence; and
 - (b) other parties at the inquiry may cross-examine the person on the written statement.