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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Air Vice-Marshal G. W. TUTTLE, C.B., O.B.E., D.F.C., is appointed Deputy Chief of the Air Staff (in succession to Air Marshal Sir Thomas G. PIKE, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C.), and to be an additional Member of the Air Council, with the acting rank of Air Marshal. 4th July 1956.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Transfer to a permanent direct commission (scheme A).

As Flying Officers :—

Anthony Arthur CRONIN (4139686). 18th July 1956.

Robert Harvey DINGWALL (4035169). 22nd Aug. 1956.

As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List) :—

Glyn Games ELGER (502370). 16th June 1956.

Edward Whitney DRAPER (150259). 6th July 1956.

Sidney John BEARD, D.F.C. (89597). 18th July 1956.

Appointment to a direct commission (scheme B).

As Flying Officer (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Fergus John HAYDEN (4063837). 27th Mar. 1956 (seniority 23rd Dec. 1954).

Transfer to a direct commission (scheme B).

As Flight Lieutenants (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Roy Edward BENNETT (195393). 4th June 1956 (period of service to count from 3rd May 1949).

Brian Thomas KAIL (4038594). 24th July 1956 (period of service to count from 8th Aug. 1949).

John Thurston WOOLLARD (3507990). 10th Aug. 1956 (period of service to count from 28th Aug. 1950).

As Flying Officers (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

John Wesley Francis PAGET (3106770). 22nd Mar. 1956 (period of service to count from 25th Feb. 1953).

14th June 1956.

Richard John HAMMOND (4108284) (period of service to count from 3rd September 1952).

Francis Joseph NICKSON (2571632) (period of service to count from 14th Oct. 1952).

Walter Alexander MEARS (2566035). 25th June 1956 (period of service to count from 10th Aug. 1953).

William James HORNE (4113879) 6th July 1956 (period of service to count from 26th Nov. 1952).

John Stewart DUNCAN, A.F.C. (579850). 12th July 1956 (period of service to count from 8th Dec. 1948).

Sidney WATSON (4114509). 20th July 1956 (period of service to count from 5th Nov. 1952).

Raymond Guy RAFTERY (583964). 27th July 1956 (period of service to count from 6th Dec. 1950).

George CRISTINACCE (4075627). 10th Aug. 1956 (period of service to count from 23rd July 1951).

Appointment to an extended service commission (scheme C).

As Pilot Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Peter Anthony Joseph CARPENTER (2620113). 11th Sept. 1956.

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Pilot Officer :—

Basil Edmund EVANS (2602488). 11th Sept. 1956.

As Acting Pilot Officers :—

Aircraftmen 2nd class.

6th Sept. 1956.

5010960 Anthony Applemore Mornington BRYER (5010960).

5010961 Anthony Edward John PHILLIPS (5010961).

4th Oct. 1956.

5010837 Michael Peter FINCHAM (5010837).

5023176 Samuel Bonython HEATH (5023176).

Regrading.

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers are regraded as Pilot Officers :—

9th Nov. 1956.

M. J. BALL (4172000).

D. C. CARLAW (2756998).

L. P. HARRIS (2764511).

H. D. JOHNSON (2759564).

T. J. E. KENT (3521047).

G. J. MENDOZA (2763829).

G. L. MEREDITH (4171732).

D. H. ROBERTSON (3134730).

J. SMITH (4171996).

M. SPINCER (2757416).