6th January 1970.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Vice-Marshal C. M. CLEMENTI, C.B.E., M.A., Air Vice-Marshal C. M. CLEMENT, C.S.B., M.A., is appointed Senior Royal Air Force Instructor, Imperial Defence College, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal M. D. LYNE, C.B., A.F.C. 1st Jan. 1970. (Substituted for notification London Gazette 2nd Dec. 1969.)

Air Commodore E. PLUMTREE, O.B.E., D.F.C., is appointed Air Officer Commanding, No. 22 Group, with the Acting Rank of Air Vice-Marshal in succession to Air Vice-Marshal G. R. MAGILL, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., M.B.I.M 1st Jan 1970

Air Commodore P. G. D. FARR, C.B., O.B.E., D.F.C., is appointed Air Officer-in-Charge Administration, Strike Command, with the Acting Rank of Air Vice-Marshal in succession to Air Vice-Marshal J. BARRACLOUGH, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. 1st Dec. 1969. (Notification concerning Air Vice-Marshal S. B. Grant, C.B., D.F.C., in London Gazette 11th Nov. 1969 is cancelled.)

Air Commodore J. C. J. Downey, D.F.C., A.F.C., is appointed Commander, Southern Maritime Air Region, with the Acting Rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 28th Nov. 1969. (Substituted for notification London Gazette 2nd Dec. 1969.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Transfer to General List

The undermentioned Squadron Leaders are transferred to the General List:

1st Jan. 1970 C. Boyack (3511402).

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C. CAMPBELL (4094029).
P. DESMOND (1921674).
J. D. DOUGLAS-BOYD (4093285).
W. W. ELSEGOOD (4113152).
A. FISHER, A.F.C. (3511335).
D. C. KINGSMAN (2526629).
N. J. MAPP (2573566).
C. V. SANKEY (3509755).
P. F. STEELE (2526590).
J. D. WARD (2575596).

Transfer to Supplementary List
Flight Lieutenant B. S. A. WOODWARD (584664)
is transferred to the Supplementary List retaining
his existing rank and seniority. 12th Dec. 1969.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
A. B. Wight-Boycott (608611). 3rd Dec. 1969.
R. Trigg (4230477). 27th Dec. 1969.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:
J. Kershaw (5201153). 10th Dec. 1969.

Grant of Acting Rank
Air Commodore P. G. D. FARR, C.B., O.B.E.,
D.F.C., is granted the Acting Rank of Air ViceMarshal. 1st Dec. 1969.

Air Commodore E. PLUMTREE, O.B.E., D.F.C., is granted the Acting Rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 1st Jan. 1970.

Transfer between Branches
Acting Pilot Officer P. T. Bonsall (8020946) is transferred to the Engineer Branch (General List). 1st Dec. 1969.

Retirement

Group Captain F. Bowen-Easley, O.B.E. (at own request). 1st Jan. 1970.

Squadron Leaders:

1st Jan. 1970

D. C. GATHERCOLE (3511038).
D. J. ILSLEY (4042299).
M. J. TAYLOR (607266).
J. A. FRYER (607143). 4th Jan. 1970.
B. C. COATES, D.F.C., D.F.M. (141824)
Jan. 1970.

Flight Lieutenants:

D. H. COWELL (3001484). 14th Dec. 1969.

W. M. CRELLIN (1676404). 29th Dec. 1969.

P. G. WILDGUST (4083083). 30th Dec. 1969.

H. E. JORDAN (584627). 31st Dec. 1969.

I. E. SINCLAIR-DAY (585469). 3rd Jan. 1970.

Flight Lieutenants (at own request): R. T. A. INNES (4077722). 28th Nov. 1969.

31st Dec. 1969

A. L. BONE (578734). F. S. SOUNESS, D.F.C. (583372).

Commission Resigned

Flight Lieutenant J. W. STEER (4086017). 6th Dec. 1969.

Flying Officer G. M. New (4231883). 3rd Jan. 1970.

Pilot Officer A. G. Rump (508255). 27th Nov. 1969.

Commission Terminated

 Pilot Officers:
 F. E. TOWNSEND (8024830). 29th Nov. 19
 M. J. FORSTER (8024774). 9th Dec. 1969. 29th Nov. 1969.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Transfer to General List

Squadron Leader B. E. LAMMING, M.B.E. (583563), is transferred to General List. 1st Jan. 1970.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

3rd Jan. 1970

J. M. FLOYD, B.Sc. (508292). R. J. STEPHENS, B.Sc. (2619196).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:
P. J. HEYS (689157). 6th Jan. 1970.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer: M. A. BATESON (8022629). 4th Jan. 1970.

Retirement

Squadron Leader A. Taylor (565012). 2nd Jan.

Commission Resigned
Flying Officer E. A. Baker (8024885). 17th Sep. 1969. Pilot Officer A. J. Weller (508269). 27th Nov.

Commission Terminated
Acting Pilot Officer J. N. G. Scott (2619842).
8th Nov. 1969.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH

Transfer to the Supplementary List
Flying Officer B. W. Trench (4335670) is transferred to a Permanent Commission (Supplementary List) retaining his existing rank and seniority. 3rd Nov. 1969.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
J. H. Jones (4335215). 1st Dec. 1969.
J. J. LEAHY (4263229). 5th Jan. 1970.

Extension of Service

The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer S. F. BEES (2797303), W.R.A.F., is extended until 6th May 1972.

Squadron Leader R. T. MILLS (59266) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 4th Jan. 1970.

Flight Lieutenant R. A. LLOYD (3038894) (at own request). 2nd Dec. 1969.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Transfer to Reserve
Flying Officer P. M. Hughes (2797199), W.R.A.F.
19th Dec. 1969.

Retirement

Squadron Leader V. C. FRUIN-BALL (4089618). 1st Jan. 1970.

Squadron Leader M. F. Gunnill (2622) W.R.A.F. estaining the rank of Wing Commander. 3rd Jan. 1970.

Commission Relinquished
Flying Officer S. J.
W.R.A.F. 6th Dec. 1969. SEYMOUR (2797513),

Commission Resigned Pilot Officer J. T. CREASY, B.A. (508283). 27th Nov. 1969.

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Transferred to Supplementary List
Flight Lieutenant W. B. Fell (573634) is transferred to Supplementary List retaining his existing rank and seniority. 1st Jan. 1970.