GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Pilot Officers:

15th Apr. 1973

Michael Watmough, B.Sc. (5202616). (Seniority 15th Jan. 1971.) Graham John Bull, B.A. (5202607). (Seniority 15th Jul. 1971.)

15th Apr. 1973 (Seniority 15th Jan. 1972) Crispin Courtley Edmonds, B.Sc. (5202614). David Harold Hensey, B.Sc. (5202608).

Promotion

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer.

B. GRUNDY, B.Sc. (5202502) 29th Feb. 1973. (Seniority 29th May 1971.)

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

1st Jun. 1973

K. B. Byron (8026040).

A. F. GILLETT (8025917). G. D. GORDON (8026038). R. J. LANDER (8026041). R. W. LOLE (8025890.)

R. W. LOLE (8025890.)
D. J. A. MEBLBOOM (8026088).
T. W. L. MILLER (8026020).
S. M. PARTRIDGE (8025921).
C. W. H. RATHBONE (8025966).
P. SHEPHERD (8025942).
A. C. STEVENS (8026017).
R. D. SUNDERLAND (8025924).
G. M. TIPLER (8025919).

G. M. Tipler (8025919).
A. J. Vincent (8025915).
R. C. White (8025915).
D. C. M. Wilson (8026009).

Transfer between Branches

Flight Lieutenant G. STEWART (4230916) has transferred to the General Duties (Ground) Branch, 29th May 1973, in existing rank and seniority.

Flight Lieutenant F. EASTERBROOK (2726798). May 1973.

Air Marshal Sir Harry Burton, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O. 2nd May 1973.

Air Vice-Marshal B. P. Young, C.B., C.B.E. 5th May

Squadron Leaders

L. T. Arthur (2703855). 9th May 1973. G. E. G. Galletly, A.M.B.I.M. (190071). 27th May

Squadron Leaders (at own request):

H. McMaster, A.F.C., A.F.M. (1521800). 14th May 1973.

G. GARFORTH, D.F.C. (166829). 1st Jun. 1973.

Flight Lieutenants:

W. R. Boyce (4032628). 25th Apr. 1973. A. R. Tunnicliffe (4230088). 3rd May 1973.

7th May 1973

G. Angus (194348).
T. A. Smyth (4155301).
H. J. B. Western (4123360).
Flight Lieutenants (at own request):
G. MAYNARD (1592963). 18th Apr. 1973. S. J. HERBERT (4230898). 1st May 1973.

Acting Pilot Officer M. N. GAUNTLETT (2624814) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 4th Jun. 1973.

Commission Resigned

Flight Lieutenant E. M. Huscroft (589566). 31st May 1973.

Commission Terminated

Flying Officer P. B. BENNETT (8025485). 26th May Pilot Officer H. J. Douglas (8025674). 30th May 1973.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) FRANCH

Promotion

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:
A. N. LINES (8077740). 2nd Jun. 1973.
F. C. M. GIFFORD (8022801). 3rd Jun. 1973.

Change of Type of Commission

The undermentioned Flying Officers have changed their commissions from Short Service to Permanent Commissions from the dates stated:

M. J. Fuller (8022598). 25th Jan. 1973. I. W. Holt (4335751). 28th Mar. 1973.

Retirement

Wing Commander J. G. COOPER, O.B.E., D.F.C. (112371) (at own request). 1st May 1973.

Flight Lieutenant E. A. HARRISON (567407) (at own request). 1st May 1973.

Commission Terminated

Pilot Officer R. J. BATTEN, B.Sc. (5202517). 3rd May

ENGINEER BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officer: James CROZIER, B.Sc. (5202610). 15th Apr. 1973 (Seniority 15th Apr. 1969).

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Flying Officer (Five years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):
Ronald Frederick BOLTON (5202548). 15th Apr. 1973 (Seniority 15th Feb. 1970).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
R. M. SMITH, B.Sc. (5201719). 30th May 1973.
A. FOSTER, B.Sc. (5201531). 1st Jun. 1973.
J. L. MULLEY, B.Sc. (5201412). 2nd Jun. 1973.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: P. Johnson (5202564). 17th Mar. 1973.

Change of Type of Commission

The undermentioned officers have changed their commissions from Short Service to Permanent Commissions from the dates stated:

Flight Lieutenant K. C. G. WALES, B.Sc. (5201637).

3rd Apr. 1973.

Flying Officers:

I. M. JONES (5201558). 26th Feb. 1973.
S. M. ROBSON (8025164). 23rd Mar. 1973.
J. D. Bell (5201485). 28th Mar. 1973.

Retirement

Croup Captain W. WILKINSON, O.B.E., C.Eng., M.I.E.R.E., M.B.I.M. 9th May 1973.
Wing Commander R. Jackson, M.B.E., D.F.M., C.Eng., M.I.E.R.E., A.M.B.I.M. (53589) (at own request). 28th

Apr. 1973.

Wing Commander R. CARD, C.Eng., A.F.R.Ae.S., A.M.B.I.M. (52784) (at own request). 28th Apr. 1973.

Squadron Leaders:
J. R. C. Spencer (169369). 17th May 1973.
W. FINLAY, M.B.E. (532963). 29th May 1973.
W. S. HOLMES (550413). 31st May 1973.

Squadron Leaders (at own request):
C. F. SWINLBY, D.F.M. (56470). 1st May 1973.
F. B. COATES (572657). 23rd May 1973.
T. W. BAGSHAW, A.F.R.Ae.S., A.M.B.I.M. (51430). 25th May 1973.

J. CUNNINGHAM (626586). 29th May 1973. W. E. COLLINGWOOD, D.F.M., A.M.B.I.M. (115636).

31st May 1973. 1st Jun. 1973

K. C. H. WHILEY, M.B.E. (200930). S. WREN (569063).

Flight Lieutenant E. J. GILBERT, A.M.B.I.M. (568907) (at own request). 27th Apr. 1973.