2nd Lt. (on probation) R. L. GEORGE (507291) is con-firmed as 2nd Lt., 19th Sep. 1978. To be Lt., 30th Sep. 1979, with seniority 19th Sep. 1978. Northumberland

Joseph Jackson SPENCER (509334) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 18th Sep. 1979.

Nottinghamshire

John Edward ETCHES (509361) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 16th Sep. 1979. Keith Malcolm LOBLEY (509362) to be 2nd Lt. (on

probation), 16th Sep. 1979.

Powys Lt. L. F. G. CLARK (496232) resigns his commn., 17th

Sep. 1979.

Strathtay Bn. 2nd Lt. (on probation) W. J. S. MACPHERSON (505539) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 16th Nov. 1977. To be Lt., 16th Nov. 1979.

Suffolk

Suffolk Lt. A. W. PEARCE (428662) resigns his comm., 31st Aug. 1979, and to be granted the hon. rank of Maj. Lt. K. R. CLEMENTS (487097) on completion of tenure of appointment relinquishes his commn., 31st Aug. 1979, and to be granted the hon. rank of Capt. Lt. M. J. WEEKES (507620) on completion of tenure of appointment relinquishes his commn., 31st Aug. 1979.

Yorkshire

Raymond Edward PARRY (509365) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 6th Oct. 1979. Stephen John SPENCER (509367) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 6th Oct. 1979.

MEMORANDUM

REGULAR ARMY Lt.-Col. (STAFF Q.M.) J. J. KELLY, O.B.E. (444300) late I.G. ceases to be employed on full pay, under Article 239 (A) Pay Warrant 1964, and reverts to retired pay, 20th Nov. 1979.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

11th December 1979.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flight Lieutenant John William BENNETT (5204067) 30th Oct. 1979.

Promotion

P. D. TINDALL, B.Sc. (5203839) 30th Nov. 1979.

Specialist Aircrew

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants are designated Specialist Aircrew from the dates stated:

R. A. FRENCH (4231050) 3rd Dec. 1979.

M. H. O. DARLING (4231442) 5th Dec. 1979. B. R. WATERS (681164) 9th Dec. 1979.

Re-instatement on the Active List

The undermentioned Officer is re-instated on the Active List, to a Permanent Commission in the rank of Squadron Leader as Specialist Aircrew:

Ian Anderson WORMALD (5074102) 11th Oct. 1979 (Seniority 11th Oct. 1976).

The undermentioned Officer is re-instated on the Active List, to a Permanent Commission in the rank of Flight Lieutenant:

Michael O'DONOVAN (4233088) 1st Nov. 1979 (Seniority 13th Aug. 1973).

Retirement

Wing Commander B. REJDER, M.B.I.M. (188119) 11th Dec. 1979.

Squadron Leader R. M. COOPER (4230913) 8th Dec. 1979.

Flight Lieutenants:

J. T. J. MCLEAN (608314) 4th Dec. 1979. N. J. BING (608183) 6th Dec. 1979. P. A. P. STERN (4231913) 9th Dec. 1979.

B. A. HARDY-SMITH (4203322) 10th Dec. 1979.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Pilot Officer (Four years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

Catherine Elizabeth BOURDON, B.Sc. (9247) W.R.A.F. 4th Nov. 1979.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: 7th Dec. 1979. P. KESTERTON (8026310) J. B. STILL (8026321)

N. WILLIAMS (8103109) 9th Dec. 1979.

Re-instatement on the Active List

The undermentioned Officer is re-instated on the Active List, to a Permanent Commission in the rank of Flight

Lieutenant: Derek Frederic DURLING (4100169) 26th Oct. 1979 (Seniority 23rd Nov. 1965).

PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION BRANCH

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

D. ALLAN (8023619) 17th Nov. 1979.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officer:

Notification of Amendment:

London Gazette dated 6th Nov. 1979 concerning Aidan John HANLEY (5204025) amend seniority date to read 23rd Jun. 1979.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

I. D. THORNE, B.Sc. (5203582) 8th Dec. 1979. I. STEPHENSON, B.A. (5203400) 10th Dec. 1979.

Retirement

Wing Commander J. B. WHITE, M.A. (609067) 10th Dec. 1979.

Squadran Leader I. W. M. POLLEY, C.Eng., M.I.Mech.E. (907715) 10th Dec. 1979. Flight Lieutenant R. W. FOGGIN (583268) (at own

request) 7th Dec. 1979.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Pilot Officer (Four years on the Active List and four vears on the Reserve):

Anne DONALD, M.A., 9236) W.R.A.F., 4th Nov., 1979.

ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Flying Officer (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

Margaret Mary CHARLESWORTH, B.Ed. (9234) W.R.A.F. 4th Nov. 1979 (Seniority 4th May 1973). As Pilot Officer (Six years on the Active List and four

years on the Reserve):

4th Nov. 1979.

Hilary Patricia KERR, B.A. (9237) W.R.A.F. (Seniority 4th May 1978).

Virginia Ann CROSBIE, B.A. (9235) W.R.A.F.