

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

29th July 1980.

ROYAL AIR FORCE**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH***Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Acting Pilot Officer:*

Paul Dominic BHANJI (2626073), 2nd May 1980.
Mark William Gardner HOPKINS (2625781), 3rd Jun. 1980.

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

A. FISHER, B.Sc. (2626796), 30th May 1980.

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

G. E. BANKS (4232385), 20th Jul. 1980.
D. L. F. ADAM (4231413), 24th Jul. 1980.
P. A. COX (608279), 25th Jul. 1980.

Retirement

Group Captain R. G. BOWYER, F.B.I.M. (at own request), 18th Jul. 1980.
Wing Commander B. F. HILLS, M.B.E. (58603), 18th Jul. 1980.

Squadron Leaders:

R. G. BENCKE (608105), 1st Jul. 1980.
D. G. HUDSON (167719), 17th Jul. 1980.
M. BETTS (4232130), 22nd Jul. 1980.

Flight Lieutenants:

G. L. A. ALLAN (507966), 7th Jul. 1980.
N. C. H. DENNIS (4231215), 23rd Jul. 1980.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH*Promotion**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:*

F. J. P. SMITH, B.Ed. (5203830), 23rd Jul. 1980.

*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*

Francis Scott SOUNESS (583372), 18th Jun. 1980 (Seniority 22nd Feb. 1967).

ENGINEER BRANCH*Retirement*

Wing Commander F. T. DENT, M.Sc., C.Eng., M.I.Mech.E. (54552) (at own request), 24th Jun. 1980.

SUPPLY BRANCH*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

27th Jul. 1980
S. F. CAUNT (8023185).
M. D. FULKER (8023170).
M. SULLIVAN (8023191).

ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

27th Jul. 1980
C. A. POPE, B.A. (5203961), 8th Jun. 1980.
R. P. THOMPSON (5202307), 27th Jul. 1980.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

C. A. MELLOR, B.A. (9182) W.R.A.F., 23rd Jul. 1980.

*Regrading**Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:*

S. T. GEDGE (8023519), 4th Jul. 1980.

Change of Type of Commission (Short Service to Permanent)

Flying Officer C. M. COOK (8031978) W.R.A.F. 5th Jun. 1980.

*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:*

Roderick Bruce Alexander MOORE (4161555), 20th Jun. 1980 (Seniority 20th Jun. 1975).

MARINE BRANCH*Commission Resigned*

Flight Lieutenant A. R. DAVIDSON, M.Mar. (5204387), 20th Jun. 1980.

MEDICAL BRANCH*Promotion**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:*

A. C. F. COLCHESTER, B.A., B.M., B.Ch., M.R.C.P. (2616171), 24th Jul. 1980.
R. DHARMERATNAM, M.B., B.S., D.C.H. (5201785), 25th Jul. 1980.

28th Jul. 1980

K. D. CRAIG, M.B., B.Ch. (5201918).
J. R. FRASER, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., M.R.C.P. (5202418).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

T. J. F. MITCHELL (5203596), 13th Jun. 1980.

Change of Type of Commission (Short Service to Permanent)

Flight Lieutenant D. L. McCONNELL, M.B., Ch.B., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (5201963), 8th May. 1980.

Transfer to the Reserve

Squadron Leader H. S. SMITH, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., F.F.A.R.C.S. (5200983), 15th Jul. 1980.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE*Extension of Service**The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officer on the Active List is extended to the date stated:*

C. M. SCHOFIELD, S.R.N., S.C.M. (409029), 24th Jun. 1984.

*Transfer to the Reserve**Flight Lieutenants:*

S. DAY, S.R.N. (408985), 24th Jul. 1980.
N. HURST, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408893), 25th Jul. 1980.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH*The undermentioned officer is granted the relative rank of Wing Commander:*

The Reverend J. B. HARRIS (508198), 6th Jun. 1980.

Change of Type of Commission (Short Service to Permanent):

The Reverend A. J. HARRIS (5202637), 1st May 1980.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS**ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH***Commission Relinquished*

Flying Officer B. M. FIELD, B.Sc. (9017) W.R.A.F.R.O. (retaining her rank), 25th Jul. 1980.

MEDICAL BRANCH*Commission Relinquished*

Flight Lieutenant N. B. SIMPSON, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P. (5201464) (retaining his rank), 28th Jul. 1980.

CLASS J*Commission Relinquished*

Squadron Leader J. B. RUTHERFORD (545813) (retaining his rank), 22nd May 1980.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE**GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH***Commission Relinquished*

Pilot Officer E. A. H. WEBB (91415) (on appointment to a commission in the Royal Air Force), 23rd Jul. 1980.