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STATE INTELLIGENCE

HONOURS AND AWARDS

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.

2nd December 1960.

The QUEEN, as Sovereign of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Malcolm Trustram Eve, Bt., G.B.E., M.C., T.D., Q.C., to be Gentleman Usher of the Purple Rod in the Most Excellent Order in succession to Sir Ernest Gowers, G.C.B., G.B.E., who has resigned.

HOME OFFICE

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

2nd December 1960.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 29th ultimo, to confer the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom upon Harmar Nicholls, of Darlaston in the County of Stafford, Esquire, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 30th day of November 1960.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 7th day of November 1960 (N.C.W./MAN 519/59) in the words following, viz.:

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, among other things, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Forces to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman or Marine therein shall be paid in such manner and subject to such restrictions, conditions and provisions as are from time to time directed by Order in Council;

"And whereas the regulations for the government of Your Majesty's Naval Service provide for entry in the Electrical (Air) and Radio Electrical (Air) categories of the Electrical Branch of Your Majesty's

Navy, and subsequently in other categories and branches as required a technical rating with the title of Mechanician Apprentice;

"And whereas we consider it necessary in order to provide a balanced career structure for the Mechanician Apprentice, to introduce in addition to the already existing Mechanician Classes the ratings of Mechanician 4th Class (Leading rating) and Mechanician 5th Class (Able rating);

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to establish initially under the Mechanician Apprentice entry in the Electrical (Air) and Radio Electrical (Air) categories of the Electrical Branch of Your Majesty's Navy, the ratings of Mechanician 4th Class and 5th Class, with appropriate conditions of pay and advancement, and subsequently in other categories and branches as required;

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence with these proposals."

Her Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

W. G. Agnew.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 30th day of November 1960.

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The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 7th day of November 1960 (N.P. 355/59) in the words following, viz.:

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Forces to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner and subject to such restrictions, conditions and provisions as are from time to time directed by Order in Council;

"And whereas by Orders in Council dated 29th September 1949, and 16th May 1956, revised scales and conditions for the award of service pensions and gratuities were laid down for Chinese and Malayan Petty Officers and men of Your Majesty's Naval Forces;