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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Air Chief Marshal Sir Walter L. DAWSON, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., is appointed Inspector-General of the R.A.F., in succession to Air Marshal Sir Charles E. N. GUEST, K.B.E., C.B., on the latter's retirement. 31st July 1956.

Group Captain H. E. C. BOXER, O.B.E., is appointed Aide-de-Camp to the QUEEN in succession to Air Vice-Marshal W. H. KYLE, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., who relinquishes the appointment on promotion. 31st July 1956.

Group Captain B. ROBINSON, C.B.E., A.F.R.Ae.S., is appointed Aide-de-Camp to the QUEEN in succession to Air Commodore G. A. WALKER, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., who relinquishes the appointment on promotion. 31st July 1956.

Group Captain E. KNOWLES, M.B.E., B.Sc., A.F.R.Ae.S., is appointed Aide-de-Camp to the QUEEN in succession to Air Vice-Marshal A. C. KERMODE, C.B.E., M.A., F.R.Ae.S., who relinquishes the appointment on promotion. 31st July 1956.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flying Officer :—

Kenneth STOYLE (2534090). 12th Apr. 1956 (seniority 29th Aug. 1952).

Transfer to a permanent direct commission (scheme A).

As Flight Lieutenants :—

Ovide La-Fond BROADLEY (88222). 17th Oct. 1955.

Brian David BUSWELL (3039403). 5th Apr. 1956.

Donald Norman SLEVEN (3032823). 24th Apr. 1956.

As Flying Officers :—

Michael John Walgate PIERSON (4115151). 14th Oct. 1955.

Dennis John ANSDELL (579414). 6th Apr. 1956.

Kenneth Sydney Frederick DOSSETT (1318986). 17th Apr. 1956.

4th May 1956.

John Richard BIRD (3508660).

Rodney Syd BRISTOW (4030926).

Ernest Colin Arthur WELCH (4058136).

5th June 1956.

Michael Derek ARNOLD (2302907).

Kenneth Wilfred CLAYDON (582648).

As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List) :—

Stanley James Hugh GREGORY (1582924). 23rd Apr. 1956.

4th May 1956.

Roy Clifford AXTEN (55224).

George Crowthers MORALEE (193053).

Norman George ALLSOP (180694). 5th June 1956.

As Flying Officer (Branch List) :—

Robert Scott FEGGANS (1568535). 9th May 1956.

Appointment to a direct commission (scheme B).

As Pilot Officers (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Samuel James COOPER (2608117). 21st Mar. 1956 (seniority 6th Sept. 1955) (period of service to count from 6th Sept. 1955).

Alan Lawrence VOSLOO (504822). 7th June 1956 (seniority 27th Sept. 1955).

James Campbell SMITH (2548225). 11th June 1956 (seniority 11th Oct. 1955).

As Acting Pilot Officer :—

John Jeremy ATTENBOROUGH (2769354). 27th Apr. 1956 (period of service to count from 21st Sept. 1955).

Transfer to a direct commission (scheme B).

As Flying Officers (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Torquil MACLEOD (4080153). 2nd May 1955 (period of service to count from 26th Sept. 1951).

Eric TROWN (4107505). 6th Oct. 1955 (period of service to count from 26th Aug. 1952).

Derek James DUNNACHIE (4053206). 27th Oct. 1955 (period of service to count from 6th Dec. 1950).

George GRIMSHAW (1920032). 17th Jan. 1956 (period of service to count from 6th May 1953).

Frederick BAKER (3128485). 20th Jan. 1956 (period of service to count from 9th Apr. 1952).

John Fishleigh WOODARD (2583760). 16th Feb. 1956 (period of service to count from 25th July 1953).

Derek Ellis TUTHILL (4077129). 3rd Apr. 1956 (period of service to count from 29th Aug. 1951).

Cyril Anthony TURNER (4118455). 3rd May 1956 (period of service to count from 7th Jan. 1953).

Vernon William SMALL (2547853). 10th May 1956 (period of service to count from 10th Aug. 1953).

Kenneth David Jacob FULLER (584448). 12th June 1956 (period of service to count from 16th Jan. 1952).

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Pilot Officer (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Michael Wallis TIPPEN (2591487). 28th Mar. 1956 (seniority 21st Aug. 1955).