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**AIR MINISTRY**

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**ROYAL AIR FORCE**

Air Vice-Marshal (Acting Air Marshal) Sir Edward CHILTON, K.B.E., C.B., is appointed Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Coastal Command, in succession to Air Marshal Sir Bryan V. REYNOLDS, K.C.B., C.B.E., on the latter's retirement from the R.A.F. 1st June 1959.

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**

*Appointment to commission (permanent)*

*As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List):*

Reginald Edward YOUNG (3500850). 3rd Mar. 1959.

Frederick Arthur PLUMB (4062880). 13th Mar. 1959.

David Edward Griffiths BODEN (582220). 24th Mar. 1959.

Alexander BEGG (3031012). 25th Mar. 1959.

*As Flying Officers (Supplementary List):*

Eric STAFFORD (4152166). 26th Jan. 1959.

1345047 Master Pilot Hugh WATSON, D.F.C. (185487) 2nd May 1959.

1374585 Master Navigator Charles Primrose FORD (1374585). 30th Apr. 1959.

*As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List):*

John Frederick HEGARTY (3507239). 21st Jan. 1959.

1868915 Flight Sergeant John Augustine O'Riordan (1868915). 30th Apr. 1959.

*Transfer to a direct commission (scheme A)*

*As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List):*

Peter Charles EVETTS (4073904). 3rd Feb. 1959.

William Charles CORKERTON (582937). 4th Feb. 1959.

Edward George DERBYSHIRE (2608800). 20th Feb. 1959.

Norman BISSELL (4034768). 6th Mar. 1959.

*Transfer to a direct commission (scheme B)*

*As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List) (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve):*

Stuart Clive Ainge HILL (4092665). 20th Feb. 1959 (period of service to count from 27th Feb. 1952).

Peter George WHALE (4078088). 10th Apr. 1959 (period of service to count from 12th Sept. 1951).

*Appointment to commission (national service)*

*As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List):*

John George Lockwood, B.Sc. (506301). 23rd Apr. 1959.

*Regrading*

*The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers are regraded as Pilot Officers:*

J. A. SMUTS (4230209). 18th Feb. 1959.

C. S. MATHIESON (505787). 28th May 1959. (seniority 30th Dec. 1958).

*Promotion*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

W. J. BEACHAM (3504501). 28th Feb. 1954 (seniority 17th Feb. 1954) (substituted for notification of 1st Mar. 1955 (p. 1245, col. 1)).

S. J. G. CARD (4111756). 5th Nov. 1958.

C. E. WARNER (1388281). 13th Jan. 1959.

29th Apr. 1959

J. H. ADAMS (3133655).

W. AUTON (4078833).

G. L. BATES, B.A. (2600700).

J. N. G. BUCKLEY (2547041).

J. G. CARTER (3512884).

J. C. CHITSON (4116408).

D. A. CHRISTIAN (607591).

W. R. CLAYTON-JONES (4102087).

D. F. DANDO (3512263).

F. G. KING (573683). 3rd May 1959.

C. E. D. WILLIAMSON (2546878). 21st May 1959.

R. J. WEEKS (4130340). 25th May 1959.

26th May 1959

G. E. BRETT (4133725).

P. G. McWHIRR (3515338).

D. A. BLACKMORE (2520850). 29th May 1959.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:*

R. E. ROBERTS (582731). 5th Feb. 1959.

E. G. LOCKWOOD (553324). 3rd May 1959.

D. E. WANSTALL (1812778). 17th May 1959.

20th May 1959

J. B. C. SURTRES (4230046).

M. N. WHITEMAN (2779921).

A. C. IMPEY (2771889). 28th May 1959.

*Transfer between branches*

Flight Lieutenant J. M. DRUMMOND (607377) to the Secretarial Branch, reverting to the rank of Flying Officer. 1st Feb. 1959 (seniority 15th Dec. 1955).