Flight Lieutenants, retaining the rank of Squadron Leader D. E. de la HOYDE (40517). 30th Mar. 1960. 31st Mar. 1960 E. J. HALE, D.F.C., A.F.C. (50434). F. J. F. LUCIE (48005). Commission resigned Flying Officer D. A. (McCoys (583658). 24th Mar. 1960. Commission terminated Acting Pilot Officers : P. M. WENTWORTH (593425). 2nd Mar. 1960. W. J. E. CAVANAGH (4230437). 18th Mar. 1960. Withdrawal of permission to retain rank The permission granted to Flying Officer D. M. CORNISH, D.F.M. (59540), to retain his rank in London Gazette (Supplement) of 31st May 1949, is withdrawn with effect from 11th Jan. 1960. **TECHNICAL BRANCH** Appointment to commission (permanent) As Flight Lieutenant (General List): Anthony ANDREWS, B.Sc.(Eng.) (2608122). 1st Oct. 1959 (seniority 22nd Sept. 1959). As Flying Officer (General List): John Hayden HUTTON (5042515). 1st Oct. 1959 (seniority 17th Jan. 1957). Promotion Pilot Officer to Flying Officer : D. M. K. HOUSTON (506024). 7th Nov. 1959. Adjustment of seniority The seniority of Flight Lieutenant E. W. COBURN, A.M.I.Mech.E. (3032011), is adjusted to 22nd Jan. 1957 Transfer to reserve (national service list) Flying Officer E. S. WILKS, B.Sc. (5057815). 15th Mar. 1960. Retirement Group Captains: E. C. HARDING, C.B.E. 31st Mar. 1960. L. CROCKER, C.B.E., A.F.R.Ac.S. 1st Apr. 1960. Wing Commander R. V. MOXEY (46414). 3rd Apr. 1960. Squadron Leader B. M. BANNISTER, D.F.M. (43471). 4th Apr. 1960. EQUIPMENT BRANCH Appointment to commission (permanent) As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List) : 1st Dec. 1959 William Peter USHERWOOD (505569). Eric Edwin WEST (85527) Appointment to commission (short service) As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve): Lionel Sidney KNOCK (506742). 23rd Feb. 1960. Promotion Pilot Officer to Flying Officer : W. A. JONES (613303). 18th Mar. 1960. Retirement Squadron Leader J. F. BAKER (55814). 3rd Apr. 1960 Flight Lieutenant C. S. CAMPBELL (31386). 1st Mar. 1960. SECRETARIAL BRANCH Appointment to commission (permanent) As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List): Derek Eugene St. JOHN (504778). 11th Feb. 1960. Appointment to commission (short service) Notification amended lst Mar. 1960 (p. 1542, col. 2) concerning Sheelagh Catherine COOKE (2828947), W.R.A.F. for Catherine read Katherine. Promotion Pilot Officer to Flying Officer : lst Apr. 1960 J. F. Forshaw (592886). D. J. FORSTER (607712).

Adjustment of seniority The seniority of Flying Officer J. BESLEY, A.C.A. (2771103), is adjusted to 16th Jan. 1958.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT Appointment to commission (permanent) As Flight Lieutenant (General List) : William Leonard WELLMAN (2514593). 1st Oct. 1959 (for subsequent transfer to the Equipment Branch). As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) : 1st Dec. 1959 John Montague Alfred RAY (505232). Peter Leeson SMITH (504618). Extension of service The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant E. J. HOBBS (3130133) is extended by five years with effect from 23rd Sept. 1959. Transfer between branches Flight Lieutenant E. J. HOBBS (3130133) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 27th Oct. 1959. ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT (MALAYA) Transfer to reserve Flying Officer Mohd Zain Bin Yaacob (734045). Ist Feb. 1960. MEDICAL BRANCH Appointment to commission (short service) As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve): Norman Derek PARKIN, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (2533458). 7th Feb. 1960 (seniority 11th June 1959). Promotion Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader : N. R. LEWIS, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.Phys.Med. (502724). 2nd Apr. 1950. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : L. A. R. CAPRIO, M.B., Ch.B. (506594). 27th Jan. 1960. Transfer to reserve Flight Lieutenants : 31st Mar. 1960 J. BENNETT, M.B., Ch.B. (505330), J. R. BURROWS, M.B., Ch.B. (505399), B. W. G. ORR, M.B., B.Chir. (505380), B. PEACH, M.B., Ch.B. (505351). Transfer to reserve (national service list) Flight Lieutenants : 19th Mar. 1960 B. W. CHANT, M.B., Ch.B. (505732). W. B. WARING, M.B., Ch.B. (505709). P. WRIGHT, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.O. (505717). 26th Mar. 1960. DENTAL BRANCH Appointment to commission (short service) As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve): William Arthur MILLER, M.Sc., B.D.S., L:D.S.R.C.S. (506541). 11th Nov. 1959 (seniority 26th Oct. 1957) (period of service to count from 27th Sept. 1959). Transfer to reserve (national service list) Flight Lieutenants : J. G. WATLING, L.D.S.R.C.S. (505746). 22nd Mar. 1960. 26th Mar. 1960 S. R. Jackson, B.D.S., L.D.S. (505727). D. Matheson Dear, B.D.S. (505729). R. W. Slee, B.D.S., L.D.S. (505745). National service commission relinquished Flying Officer W. A. MILLER, M.Sc., B.D.S., L.D.S.R.C.S. (506541) (on appointment to a short service commission). 11th Nov. 1959. EDUCATION BRANCH Appointment to commission (permanent) As Flight Lieutenants (General List) : 1st Nov. 1959 Peter Michael Murray EWING (503614)

Bernard Joseph PALMER, B.A. (1339522) (since promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader). Frank Joseph SMITH, B.A. (2770121).