

P. J. R. HILL (4230999).  
A. HOYLE (4231062).  
I. H. LEWIS (589557).  
D. B. LITTLEFIELD (4138287).  
P. T. MIDDLEBROOK (4231034).  
R. W. OSBORNE (4231022).

#### *Adjustment of period of service*

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant A. J. J. BUTLER (2779125) is adjusted to eight years from 30th Nov. 1955.

#### *Extension of service*

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer P. E. JONES (4230341) is extended to six years from 1st Oct. 1958.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant P. J. SMITH (4159731) is extended until 30th Sept. 1963.

#### *Regrading*

##### *Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*

G. H. ALLEN (3520453). 25th Oct. 1962.  
W. J. BARKER (3517035). 24th Apr. 1963.

#### *Grant of Acting Rank*

Air Vice-Marshal C. H. HARTLEY, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C., B.A., is granted the acting rank of Air Marshal. 5th June 1963.

Air Commodore W. V. CRAWFORD-COMPTON, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice Marshal. 1st June 1963.

#### *Transfer between branches*

Acting Pilot Officer D. T. DAVIES (4231456) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 22nd May 1963.

#### *Transfer to reserve*

##### *Flight Lieutenants :*

D. J. FULLER (3520733). 4th May 1963.

23rd May 1963

J. D. GIBBS (4070111).

H. D. HARDING (583839).

J. M. HARVEY (3510260).

R. H. LEWIS (3132341).

S. G. BARRATT (194356). 1st June 1963.

#### *Retirement*

Group Captain C. E. A. GARTON (at own request). 30th Apr. 1963.

##### *Squadron Leaders :*

A. A. GREEN, D.F.C. (144317). 19th May 1963.

J. W. KERR, D.F.C. (49633). 24th May 1963.

N. E. F. HART (193005). 27th May 1963.

D. B. WEBB, D.F.C. (141464). 30th May 1963.

##### *Flight Lieutenants :*

D. A. F. MACDONALD (150830) (at own request). 19th Apr. 1963.

L. T. WILTON-JONES (142539). 3rd May 1963.

J. S. H. SMITH (202515). 8th May 1963.

G. L. GRANTHAM, D.F.C. (144327). 16th May 1963.

H. W. COUSSENS (120161). 18th May 1963.

27th May 1963

V. J. KYRKE-SMITH, D.F.M. (184562).

W. G. SHEARER, A.F.C. (141528).

A. C. ANNAND (62720). 1st June 1963.

#### *Direct entry commission relinquished*

Flight Lieutenant A. D. DAVIES (2573593) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service), retaining his rank. 25th April 1963.

Flying Officer J. J. CHAPMAN (4230609) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service), retaining his rank. 31st May 1963.

Acting Pilot Officer W. A. DUNN (4231268). 22nd April 1963.

#### *Permanent commission relinquished*

Pilot Officer P. J. MOORE (3521954) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 31st May 1963.

#### *Commission resigned*

Flight Lieutenant G. A. MCKENZIE (4106717). 1st May 1963.

### TECHNICAL BRANCH

#### *Appointment to commission (permanent)*

##### *As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) :*

16th April 1963

David Harold STICK (507524).  
Neville Edgar WRIGHT (507525).

#### *Promotion*

##### *Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

26th May 1963

E. LONGHURST (640801).

A. G. NELSON (4030118).

#### *Notification amended*

29th Jan. 1963 (p. 900, col 1) concerning M. J. B. ROWLEY (609168) add (seniority 15th Oct. 1962).

#### *Regrading*

##### *Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*

C. J. MCQUILLAN (4335140). 17th May 1963.

#### *Transfer to reserve*

Pilot Officer F. McK. BIRNIE (2834720). W.R.A.F. 16th Feb. 1963.

#### *Retirement*

Squadron Leader F. H. GARDINER, B.E.M. (517540) (at own request). 1st May 1963.

Flight Lieutenant T. G. HEMSTOCK (51096). 16th May 1963.

Flight Lieutenant E. S. SHERWELL (88980) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st June 1963.

#### *Commission terminated*

Pilot Officer R. E. SHEATH (609237). 4th May 1963.

### EQUIPMENT BRANCH

#### *Appointment to commission (permanent)*

##### *As Pilot Officer (General List) :*

Gordon MacArthur FERGUSON (5053239). 1st Oct. 1962 (since promoted to the rank of Flying Officer).

##### *As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) :*

Philip David Giddings PHILO (3528320). 2nd Nov. 1962.

#### *Promotion*

##### *Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

T. L. I. DAWSON (4188931). 29th May 1963.

#### *Extension of service*

##### *Notification cancelled*

16th Apr. 1963 (p. 3324, col. 1) concerning C. R. APPLEBY (4135848).

#### *Retirement*

Squadron Leader K. V. ORMSBY (143190). 20th May 1963.

Flight Lieutenant C. F. PLIMMER, D.F.M. (49317) (at own request). 8th May 1963.

#### *Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader :*

F. A. V. STOLZ, M.B.E. (61593). 31st May 1963.

J. R. LAPHAM (48625). 1st June 1963.

### SECRETARIAL BRANCH

#### *Appointment to commission (permanent)*

##### *As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) :*

Campbell Quentin LEES (5100012). 1st Oct. 1962.

#### *Promotion*

##### *Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.A.F. :*

J. E. OAKES (2824244). 28th May 1963.

##### *Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

A. ROSS (592935). 2nd June 1963.

#### *Regrading*

##### *Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*

24th Apr. 1963

M. D. McCANN (4080147).

D. M. SARGENT (592799).

##### *Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F. :*

14th May 1963

S. G. DAVIES (2797089).

M. J. A. LARGAN (2797120).

S. I. LONGWORTH (2797121).

C. B. MCCARTHY (2797122).

J. R. MARSHALL (2797124).

#### *Retirement*

##### *Flight Lieutenants :*

E. G. DAVIS (85925). 9th Apr. 1963.

W. A. GOODE (136744). 15th May 1963.

I. J. JUKES (502196). 26th May 1963.

Flight Officer M. J. HOWDEN, B.Sc. (6790), W.R.A.F. 4th May 1963.