TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
2nd. Lt. (on probation) J. J. TREVITHICK (494528) is
confirmed as 2nd Lt., 6th Aug. 1972.
2nd Lt. (on probation) S. HAWKINS (496518) from
Probation Probation, 1st T.A.V.R., Group B, to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 1st Sep. 1973.

### HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Lt. C. H. Martin (452878) to be Capt. and is granted the acting rank of Maj., 1st Aug. 1973.

#### GENERAL LIST

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Section B

2nd Lt. (on probation) D. R. TURNER (492115) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 8th Jun. 1971, with seniority 8th Jun. 1969. To be Lt., 31st Jul. 1973, with seniority 8th Jun. 1971.

24229402 O/Cdt. James Mon (496694) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 9th May 1973.

#### COMBINED CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B

Blundells School Contgt.

Henry Christopher Tomlinson (496736) (Appointed Officer) to be Lt., 25th Aug. 1973, with seniority 12th Jul. 1966.

Exeter School Contgt.

Lt. J. A. K. Leger (428774) resigns his commn., 24th Aug. 1973.

Queen Victoria School Contgt.
George McNeil Watson (496719) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 25th May 1973.

## ARMY CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B

Devon

Lt. J. E. DUCKWORTH (488921) resigns his commn., 25th Aug. 1973.

Durham

Hon. Capt. John Webb Davison (395847) (formerly A.C.F.) to be Lt., 4th Jun. 1973, with seniority 1st Jan. 1955.

Greater London N.W. Sector

Lt. W. Traynor-Kean (491071) resigns his commn., 2nd Aug. 1973.

# HONOURS AND AWARDS

# AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB. 23rd October 1973.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the following award:

Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct Flight Lieutenant Edmund James BAKER (579963), Royal Air Force.

For his calmness and courage on 23rd May 1973, when his aircraft developed undercarriage trouble, which made it dangerous for the rear crew to abandon the aircraft. He chose to crash land in an attempt to save both his crew and the aircraft and, after landing, despite the danger of fire breaking out, he twice entered the buckled rear compartment of the severely damaged aircraft to help the crew escape.

## AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

23rd October 1973.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Marshal Sir Derek Hodgkinson, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C., is appointed Air Secretary in succession to Air Chief Marshal Sir John Barraclough, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. 15th Oct. 1973.

Air Vice-Marshal G. J. Kemp is appointed Director-General of Personnel Management (R.A.F.) and Air Officer Commanding R.A.F. Personnel Management Centre, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal J. T. LAWRENCE, C.B.E., A.F.C. 20th Oct. 1973.

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

17th Oct. 1973

P. R. Cooper, B.Eng. (2623014). D. M. Dash, B.Sc. (5201934). A. J. Fovargue, B.Sc. (5202006). P. Gateley, B.Sc. (2621226).

G. D. Pyper, B.Sc. (2622791). D. J. Sage, B.A. (5201978). P. J. Turner, B.Sc. (2619343).

A. M. Skelton (690148). 20th Oct. 1973.G. C. Wright (5202611). 22nd Oct. 1973.

# Regrading

Acting Pulot Officer to Pilot Officer: C. J. Durbidge (5201046). 29th Aug. 1973.

19th Oct. 1973

J. J. Adams (8026121).G. Burley (8026138).

H. G. Geddes (8026149). W. J. Ramsey (8026140). S. P. Smith (8026132). H. J. Thomas (8026067).

22nd Oct. 1973

T. W. Appleby (8021192). A. J. Craig (5201267). P. S. Gilmour (8021200). M. C. Mann (8021212).

Specialist Aircrew

Flight Lieutenants designated Specialist Aircrew:

18th Oct. 1973

S. A. J. PIPER (1866359). C. J. B. MURDOCH (1574556). S. C. WILLIAMS (1319015).

K. A. PILBEAM (4143061). 22nd Oct. 1973.

Notifications Cancelled

London Gazette dated 18th Sep. 1973, concerning Flight Lieutenants J. W. Cooper (2544598) and T. A. EDWARDS (2225437).

Reversion to Previous Commission, 1970 Terms

Notification Cancelled

London Gazette dated 28th Aug. 19 Flight Lieutenant I. R. SINCLAIR (607909). 1973, concerning

Transfer between Branches

Flight Lieutenant G. METCALFE (3110027) to the General Duties (Ground) Branch, 4th Sep. 1973 in existing rank and seniority.

Acting Pilot Officer M. J. SUTHERLAND (5201305) to

the Supply Branch 29th Aug. 1973, in existing rank and seniority

# Retirement

Wing Commander P. H. WATERKEYN, O.B.E., D.F.C. (108006) (at own request), retaining the rank of Group Captain. 1st Oct. 1973.

Squadron Leaders (at own request):
R. B. MORGAN, D.F.C. (3129822). 15th Oct. 1973.
D. C. Evers (198515). 20th Oct. 1973.