

ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH

Extension of Service

The undermentioned Flying Officer has been granted an extension of service to the date stated:

T. J. MELLING (91414J), 30th Jan. 1989.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE
(TRAINING BRANCH)**

Extension of Service

The undermentioned Flying Officers have been granted an extension of service to the dates stated:

- G. C. BARTON-GREENWOOD (210323), 9th Mar. 1988.
- A. G. N. BISHOP (3035441), 5th Jan. 1985.
- P. J. BURTON (210320), 6th Mar. 1988.
- M. C. R. COOMBS (4232125), 11th Mar. 1988.
- D. P. DING, A.E. (2601005), 7th Mar. 1985.
- G. EDWARDS (207570), 24th Feb. 1986.
- M. R. HIBBITT (210329), 6th Mar. 1988.
- J. L. HORNE, M.Sc. (1585700), 30th Jan. 1985.
- J. E. HYSLOP (207270), 11th Mar. 1988.
- W. J. IRVINE (208599), 10th Mar. 1988.
- W. C. JONES (1852073), 9th Mar. 1985.
- W. E. JONES (3026565), 24th Feb. 1985.
- J. D. LIGHTOWLER (210325), 6th Mar. 1988.
- D. E. LLOYD (2258275), 6th Mar. 1985.
- J. B. LONGSTAFF (176947), 12th Mar. 1985.
- J. A. POŁOCZEK (210318), 6th Mar. 1988.
- A. B. PRICE (208182), 8th Mar. 1988.
- B. W. PRUST, B.E.M. (4268092), 10th Mar. 1988.
- T. W. ROBERTS (4036346), 6th Mar. 1986.
- E. ROBINSON, O.B.E. (133449), 8th Mar. 1985.
- D. R. SMITH (210316), 6th Mar. 1988.
- M. J. STUBBS (207378), 6th Mar. 1988.
- P. M. TALBOT (210317), 6th Mar. 1988.
- R. L. TAVANYAR, M.B.I.M. (2236547), 11th Mar. 1985.
- A. G. F. THOMPSON (210319), 9th Mar. 1988.
- J. N. TURNER (607707), 19th Feb. 1985.
- W. W. H. WILSON (207377), 6th Mar. 1988.

Commission Relinquished

Flying Officers:

- R. L. GARDINER (4068458) (retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant), 7th Mar. 1984.
- J. S. LINN (3046111), 9th Mar. 1984.
- C. THIRKELL (210288), 31st Jan. 1984.
- R. STANFIELD, B.A. (209570), 12th Feb. 1984.
- I. E. PRICE (210314), 10th Mar. 1984.

Pilot Officer:

J. JOYNSON (210891), 10th Jan. 1984.

Commission Resigned

Flying Officers:

- W. NOSEWORTHY (209119) (retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant), 12th Nov. 1983.
- D. M. EDMUNDS (2507143) (retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant), 20th Nov. 1983.
- J. B. SPEED (3116070) (retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant), 2nd Jan. 1984.
- D. A. SUMMERILL, A.C.I.I. (2698528) (retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant), 7th Jan. 1984.
- J. F. HALL (209921), 5th Jan. 1984.

Pilot Officers:

- R. S. YOUNG (210938), 17th Dec. 1983.
- R. WILLIAMSON, M.A. (210929), 12th Jan. 1984.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

20th March 1984.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Marshal Sir Michael BEAVIS, K.C.B., C.B.E., A.F.C., C.B.I.M., is appointed Deputy Commander-in-Chief, Allied Forces Central Europe, with the acting rank of Air Chief Marshal, in succession to Air Chief Marshal Sir John GINGELL, G.B.E., K.C.B., 14th Mar. 1984.

Air Vice-Marshal J. A. GILBERT, C.B., C.B.E., B.A., is appointed Deputy Commander-in-Chief Strike Com-

mand with the acting rank of Air Marshal in succession to Air Marshal Sir Peter BAIRSTO, K.B.E., C.B., A.F.C., C.B.I.M., 20th Mar. 1984.

Air Commodore B. J. JACKSON, B.A., is appointed Assistant Chief of Staff (Policy) SHAPE with the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal in succession to Air Vice-Marshal J. A. GILBERT, C.B., C.B.E., B.A., 17th Mar. 1984.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Pilot Officer:

5th Feb. 1984

- Andrew George MARTIN, B.Sc. (5205295E).
- Christopher James Harvey OSWALD, B.A. (5205296F).
- Peter Alexander Arthur SEELY, B.A. (5205297G).
- John Brian STAMMERS, B.A. (5205299I).
- Alan James WHYTE, B.Sc. (2625825A).

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Acting Pilot Officer (twelve years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

5th Feb. 1984

- Neil Roan BENSON, B.Sc. (2627053H).
- Patrick Anthony FIRMIN, B.Sc. (5205298H).
- Leslie Martin ISAACS, B.Sc. (2626916G).
- Colin PERRY, B.Sc. (5205294D).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

S. G. J. BOYCE (8027223L), 22nd Feb. 1984.

Specialist Aircrew

The undermentioned Squadron Leader will be designated Specialist Aircrew from the date stated:

A. B. FULLER (4232545S), 18th Feb. 1984.

Change of Type of Commission (Short Service to Permanent)

Flight Lieutenant D. J. RAE, B.Sc. (2622520L), 19th Jan. 1984.

Change of Type of Commission and Transfer between branches

Pilot Officer N. P. LAMBE (8027763D) to the Photographic Interpretation Branch, 4th Jan. 1984, in existing rank with seniority adjusted to 26th May 1982 on a new Short Service Commission (five years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve.)

Transfer between Branches

Flying Officer K. C. SHELTON-SMITH (8020254H) to the General Duties (Ground) Branch, 13th Feb. 1984, in existing rank with seniority adjusted to 13th May 1982.

Pilot Officer J. COFFEY (8027760A) to the General Duties (Ground) Branch, 10th Feb. 1984, in the rank of Flying Officer with seniority of 11th Dec. 1983.

Retirement

Wing Commanders:

1st Feb. 1984

- D. G. BLUNDEN, M.B.E. (582746Q).
- B. E. St. CLAIR (2550711M) (at own request).
- C. E. WILKINSON, B.Sc. (4230308A) (at own request), 28th Jan. 1984.

Squadron Leaders:

- M. G. N. HOARE, B.A. (585727Q) (at own request), 1st Feb. 1984.
- I. H. CAMPBELL (5200054F), 29th Jan. 1984.

31st Jan. 1984

- B. H. D. MASON (4146597V) (at own request).
- J. R. RITCHIE, A.F.C. (1571507S).

Flight Lieutenants:

- D. H. E. HINTON (607297W) (at own request), 29th Jan. 1984.
- A. I. P. JOY, M.B.I.M. (5201517F), 30th Jan. 1984.

31st Jan. 1984

- C. HILL (4230325A) (at own request).
- H. WAINMAN, B.A. (4231149V) (at own request).