

Dated 16th October, 1944—

William John MORRISON.
John Gresham HALE.
Alexander GALL.

Maurice Fletcher MAHONEY.
Trevor David FORD.
John Kenneth MOIR.

Dated 21st October, 1944: Walter Sinclair Anthony WATERSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH

Relinquishment

Flight Lieutenant Reginald John BARTLE is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission. Dated 9th October, 1944.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

Transfers

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class A, Section I:—

Dated 23rd October, 1944: Squadron Leader John Carthew ASHCROFT.

Dated 21st September, 1944: Flying Officer Robert Hassell LIDDLE.

Dated 26th October, 1944: Flying Officer Cyril Samuel TURNER.

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class B, Section I:—

Dated 15th October, 1944: Wing Commander William Gordon COULL.

Dated 16th October, 1944: Flying Officer Louis Basil FOX.

Dated 28th October, 1944: Flying Officer John Brydon HILLARY.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Reduction, Transfers, and Relinquishments of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force

Air Department,
Wellington, 14th November, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, reduction, transfers, and relinquishments of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointments

As Pilots—

NZ 2341 Lawrence Hugh EDWARDS, whose Short-service Commission in the Royal Air Force expired on the 20th May, 1944, is granted a temporary commission in the rank of Flight Lieutenant, with seniority as from 3rd September, 1941. Dated 21st May, 1944.

The undermentioned are granted temporary commissions in the rank of Pilot Officer:—

Dated 30th July, 1944—

NZ 422336 Flight Sergeant Alexander Alfred WILSON.

Dated 14th September, 1944—

NZ 422320 Warrant Officer Eric Prior SCOTT.

Dated 28th September, 1944—

NZ 411900 Warrant Officer James Dalston HOWARD.

Dated 5th October, 1944—

NZ 425497 Flight Sergeant Lewis Douglas Bambridge HOOPER.

Dated 11th October, 1944—

NZ 422904 Flight Sergeant Frederick Roger OKEBY.

Dated 13th October, 1944—

NZ 414288 Warrant Officer Noel James Andrew HELBAN.

Dated 20th October, 1944—

NZ 432753 Sergeant Ronson William CLARKE.

NZ 4215831 Sergeant Douglas Raymond FARIS.

NZC 433216 Sergeant Pierce Dudley ANDREWES.

NZC 435955 Sergeant Stewart Donald Francis ERIKSON.

NZ 432857 Sergeant Ralston John WRIGHT.

NZ 431186 Sergeant Morris Noel LUPTON.

NZC 433225 Sergeant Eric William Coll BELL.

NZC 437269 Sergeant John William Prideaux COOK.

NZ 434657 Sergeant John Brynn CHRISTIE.

NZ 432897 Sergeant Elvet Taliesin EVANS.

NZ 432815 Sergeant Ross Alister HUNTER.

NZC 433200 Sergeant John Douglas DILLON.

NZC 439106 Sergeant Geoffrey Hardiman BAKER.

NZC 437359 Sergeant Alexander Herbert WILLIAMS.

NZC 435953 Sergeant James Tasman DAWSON.

NZ 423319 Sergeant William Pitt RANGER.

NZ 4214754 Sergeant Charles Warren TYLER.

NZC 437287 Sergeant Lance GATEHOUSE.

NZ 436798 Sergeant James Ferguson KIDD.

NZC 439254 Sergeant William Paul SILVERWOOD.

NZ 436187 Sergeant Leslie Gordon STOTT.

NZ 436770 Sergeant Alan Clifford LEWIS.

NZ 431979 Sergeant Arthur Robert MOORE.

NZ 436697 Sergeant Paul Anton PASALICH.

NZC 439117 Sergeant David Serpell BROKENSHIRE.

NZC 439204 Sergeant Roy Norton MCINTYRE.

NZC 437251 Sergeant Ronald Arthur Robert ALEXANDER.

NZ 436700 Sergeant John Frazer ROBERTSON.

NZC 435984 Sergeant Clarence Wilmot MARSHALL.

NZC 431078 Sergeant James Andrew Stark LAWRIE.

NZ 433863 Sergeant John Roger BOSCAWEN.

NZC 433379 Sergeant Archie William THOMAS.

NZ 431156 Sergeant William Renals BARNETT.

NZ 434689 Sergeant Walter George JUNO.

NZC 433277 Sergeant Robert James GRAVE.

NZ 436791 Sergeant William HANSEN.

NZ 432958 Sergeant Mervyn James DUNN.

As Navigators—

Dated 12th October, 1944—

NZ 429365 Flight Sergeant Bruce Graham REESE.

Dated 20th October, 1944—

NZ 435566 Sergeant John Rodney RYAN.

NZC 432398 Sergeant William Walter WILLIAMS.

NZ 4213957 Sergeant Montagu Edward WILLIAMS.

NZ 436264 Sergeant Murray CARSON.

NZ 436806 Sergeant Wilfrid Louis OSBORN.

NZ 4310643 Sergeant Noel Cameron KELLY.

Dated 22nd October, 1944—

NZ 429024 Flight Sergeant Phillip Rex BEACH.

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunners—

Dated 18th June, 1944—

NZ 416665 Warrant Officer Thomas Henry RENDALL.

Dated 20th October, 1944—

NZ 427893 Sergeant Colin John GRAHAM.

NZ 438729 Sergeant Donald David Sydney NESBITT.

NZ 4212572 Sergeant Francis William BLYTH.

As Air Bombers—

Dated 9th October, 1944—

NZ 414332 Warrant Officer Maurice Edward PARKER.

Dated 16th October, 1944—

NZ 413402 Warrant Officer Norman Leonard FOSTER.

Dated 20th October, 1944—

NZ 43164 Sergeant John Charles MACKERSEY.

NZ 4311972 Sergeant Jonathan James JACOBS.

NZ 4311842 Sergeant John Robert GREEN.

NZ 4312275 Sergeant John Huntly HAY.

NZC 439242 Sergeant Arthur Claudè RUDD.

NZ 4311962 Sergeant David Douglass BUTCHER.

NZ 4312238 Sergeant Harold Francis FITZGIBBONS.

As Air Gunners—

Dated 2nd October, 1944—

NZ 425480 Flight Sergeant Clive Medhurst WHITE.

Dated 20th October, 1944—

NZ 4212672 Sergeant Bruce Charles JAMES.

NZC 437294 Sergeant William Henry HAWKEN.

Reduction in Seniority

Flight Lieutenant John William WINEFIELD was sentenced by General Court-martial to the rank and precedence as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date the 1st day of October, 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointments

The undermentioned officers, on relinquishing their commissions in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, are granted temporary commissions in the rank of Flight Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1944:—

With seniority as from 6th March, 1944—

NZ 2339 Frederic MCCARTHY.

With seniority as from 16th April, 1944—

NZ 2340 Ronald Williams BAIRD.

Relinquishment

The temporary commission of Flying Officer Herbert William HOARE is relinquished. Dated 27th October, 1944.

NEW ZEALAND WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE

Amendment

The notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 84, dated 19th October, 1944, page 1258, under the heading "New Zealand Women's Auxiliary Air Force—Relinquishments," relating to "Assistant Section Officer Eleanor Margaret EVERIST," is amended to read "Dated 1st November, 1944."

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH, SECTION II (A.T.C.)

Appointments

The undermentioned are granted Air Training Corps commissions in the rank of Pilot Officer:—

Dated 16th April, 1944: Allan Stanley MACKIE.

Dated 1st July, 1944: Denis George REVELL.

Dated 16th August, 1944: Geoffrey Philip RYAN.

Dated 1st September, 1944: William Bruce CARSWELL.

Relinquishments

The undermentioned officers are permitted to relinquish their Air Training Corps Commissions. Dated 19th October, 1944:—

Flying Officer Albert Victor WINDSOR.

Flying Officer Leonard Francis Walter LOVELL.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

Transfers

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class A, Section I:—

Dated 28th September, 1944—

Flying Officer William Joffre REID.

Flying Officer William James Henry BERRIMAN.

Dated 29th September, 1944—

Flying Officer Gordon Ernest BROWN.

Flying Officer Ronald Cedric James KIRK.

Dated 4th October, 1944: Flying Officer Joseph Cecil BLAKE.

Dated 23rd October, 1944: Flying Officer Albert Edward CAISLEY.