

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUPPLY BRANCH

*Appointments*

## Secretarial Division

Q80077 Warrant Officer David John Salter is appointed to a commission for a period of 8 years, in the rank of Flight Lieutenant (*on prob.*), with seniority from 26 April 1976 and effect from 18 June 1976.

878730 Sergeant Charles Bryan O'Connor is appointed to a commission for a period of 8 years, in the rank of Flying Officer (*on prob.*), with seniority from 26 April 1976 and effect from 18 June 1976.

The following are appointed to commissions for a period of 8 years, in the rank of Pilot Officer (*on prob.*) with seniority from 26 April 1976 and effect from 18 June 1976:

V84107 Corporal Alan Russell Bone.

D85011 Corporal John Robert Elston.

## Supply Division

The following are appointed to commissions for a period of 8 years, in the rank of Flying Officer (*on prob.*), with seniority from 26 April 1976 and effect from 18 June 1976:

Y80453 Flight Sergeant Dennis John Philip Hardy.

B82226 Sergeant Murray James Heyrick.

Q83136 Corporal Neville Douglas Farquhar is appointed to a commission for a period of 8 years, in the rank of Pilot Officer (*on prob.*), with seniority from 26 April 1976 and effect from 18 June 1976.

## Special Duties Division

Q78168 Warrant Officer David Hamilton Karl is appointed to a commission for a period of 5 years, in the rank of Flight Lieutenant (*on prob.*) with seniority from 26 April 1976 and effect from 18 June 1976.

*Transfer to Reserve*

## Secretarial Division

Squadron Leader Edward John Norris, A.C.I.S., is transferred to the Reserve of Air Force Officers until 1 December 1978, with effect from 2 December 1976.

## Supply Division

Wing Commander David Ross McKeon is transferred to the Reserve of Air Force Officers until 20 December 1978, with effect from 21 December 1976.

*Retirement*

## Special Duties Division

Flight Lieutenant (*temp.* Squadron Leader) David Stewart Williams is retired in the rank of Squadron Leader, with effect from 18 December 1976.

## CHAPLAINS' BRANCH

*Transfer to Reserve*

Chaplain 3rd Class Timothy John Hardiman is transferred to the Reserve of Air Force Officers until 17 December 1980, with effect from 18 December 1976.

## WOMEN'S ROYAL NEW ZEALAND AIR FORCE

*Appointments*

The following are appointed to commissions for a period of 3 years, in the rank of Assistant Section Officer (*on prob.*), with seniority from 26 April 1976 and effect from 18 June 1976:

A86779 Aircraftwoman (*temp.* Corporal) Sheryle Rosabell Isaac.

V86844 Aircraftwoman Wendy Patricia Weir.

## RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

*Transfer to Retired List*

Wing Commander Ronald Frank Albert Thrush, B.S.C., is transferred to the Retired List "B" in the rank of Wing Commander, with effect from 20 November 1976.

*Retirement*

The following officers are retired with effect from the dates shown:

Flight Lieutenant Frank Ross Dawes, 29 November 1976.

Flight Lieutenant John Edward Parsons, 30 November 1976.

Flight Lieutenant Norman Gardiner, D.F.C., 9 December 1976.

Flight Lieutenant Donald George Jennings, 29 November 1976.

Flying Officer Kenneth Atherton Crankshaw, D.F.C., D.F.M., 12 December 1976.

Flying Officer Kevin Crompton, A.M.INST., 1 September 1976.

Flying Officer Noel William Jackson, 16 December 1976.

Flying Officer James Turner Tringham, 7 December 1976.

Flying Officer Winsbury James Robinson, M.I.E.E., M.N.Z.I.E., 28 November 1976.

Flying Officer John Devon Lethbridge, LL.B., 4 December 1976.

Flying Officer Joshua Raymond Hicks, 7 November 1976.

Dated at Wellington this 19th day of January 1977.

ALLAN MCCREADY, Minister of Defence.

*Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Thailand*

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that

Soontorn Gongsakdi

presented his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Thailand to New Zealand at Government House on Tuesday 21 December 1976.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of January 1977.

B. E. TALBOYS, Minister of Foreign Affairs.

*Officer Authorised to Take and Receive Statutory Declarations*

PURSUANT to section 9 of the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957, as amended by the Oaths and Declarations Amendment Act 1972, I have authorised the officers in the service of the Crown, named in the Schedule below, to take and receive statutory declarations under the said Act.

## SCHEDULE

## MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES

Fisheries Officer, Te Anau.

Fisheries Officer, Kaikoura.

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of December 1976.

D. S. THOMSON, Minister of Justice.

(Adm. 3/28/3/5 (6))

*Appointment of Registrar of Brands (No. 1605 Ag. 3064)*

PURSUANT to the Animals Act 1967, and to a delegation from the Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries for the purposes of the said Act, the Director, Administration Division hereby appoints:

Geoffrey Henry Willson

to be Registrar of Brands for the Wairoa, Cook and Waiapu Brand Registration Districts, *vice* Mr L. W. Scott.

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of December 1976.

J. YUILL, Director, Administration Division,  
Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

*Commissioner of Supreme Court Appointed*

PURSUANT to section 47 of the Judicature Act 1908, the Right Honourable Sir Richard Wild, K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, has this day appointed

William James Weston.  
123 Queen Street,  
Melbourne,  
Victoria 3000,  
Australia,

a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, to be a Commissioner in Victoria, for the purpose of administering oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of January 1977.

D. V. JENKIN, Registrar.