

CHANGES IN THE REQUIREMENT OF RM RANK, BRANCH, SQ AND MISCELLANEOUS BADGESBADGEPROPOSED CHANGEREMARKS1. RANK BADGES

- (a) Bandmaster of Staff Band
Provision of the metal ¹⁷⁹¹³ Bandmasters badge (lyre, crown, oak leaf wreath) for wear on Khaki Drill Dress on wrist strap in Tropical Dress and Shirt Sleeve Order.
- (b) Colour Sergeant Cook
Provision of a red on white drill crown for wear with red on white drill chevrons on white cooks shirt.
- (c) Bandmasters
Existing stocks of red on blue serge badges to be disposed of.
- (d) Drum and Bugle Majors
(i) Provision of four bar inverted gold on scarlet chevrons to be stocked.
(ii) Provision of a metal rank insignia for wear with tropical dress and shirt sleeve order.

Badges for wear with these dresses are not available at present.

This is to replace the red on blue serge crown used at present.

Although stocked this badge is no longer issued or required.

Net provided at present.

Note: on the rare occasions that these SNCOs wear khaki drill they will use the rank insignia provided for wear on blue uniform.

Although the RMFVR will continue to wear khaki battledress after April 1964 these badges need not be specially provided for their use.

2. SPECIALIST QUALIFICATION BADGES

- (a) Khaki on Khaki Serge
Provision to be discontinued with the introduction of Lovat Service Dress.
- (b) Gold on Blue
Provision to be discontinued with the introduction of gold on green badges for wear on Lovat Service Dress
- (c) Khaki on Khaki Drill
Provision to be discontinued as in 2 (b) above.

being dealt with separately ?

authentic material issue

Under action to be disposed of

To provide initial stock in gold on scarlet & gold on green

BADGEPROPOSED CHANGEREMARKS3. BRANCH BADGES (Tradesmen, Band and Buglers)

- (a) Khaki on Khaki Serge Provision to be discontinued with the introduction of Lovat Service Dress.
- (b) Gold on Blue Provision ^{of the Tradesmens badges} to be discontinued with the introduction of gold on green badges for wear on Lovat Service Dress.
- (c) Khaki on Khaki Drill Provision of Tradesmens badges to be discontinued with the introduction of Lovat Service Dress.

Although the RMFVR will continue to wear khaki battledress after April 1964, these badges need not be specially provided for their use.

RM Band will wear the metal (anodised) Branch badge on Lovat Service Dress and Blues. Buglers will require the gold on blue drum for blues.

RM Band will continue to wear the metal (anodised) badge and Buglers the Khaki on Khaki Drill Drum.

4. MISCELLANEOUS BADGES

- (a) Khaki on Khaki Serge Kings and Parachutist Badges Provision to be discontinued with the introduction of Lovat Service Dress.
- (b) Khaki on Khaki Serge Sniper and Marksman Badges Provision to be discontinued with the introduction of Lovat Service Dress.
- (c) Khaki on Khaki Drill Sniper and Marksman Badges Provision to be discontinued with the introduction of Lovat Service Dress.
- (d) Gold on Blue Sniper and Marksman Badges Provision to be discontinued with the introduction of Lovat Service Dress.

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As above.