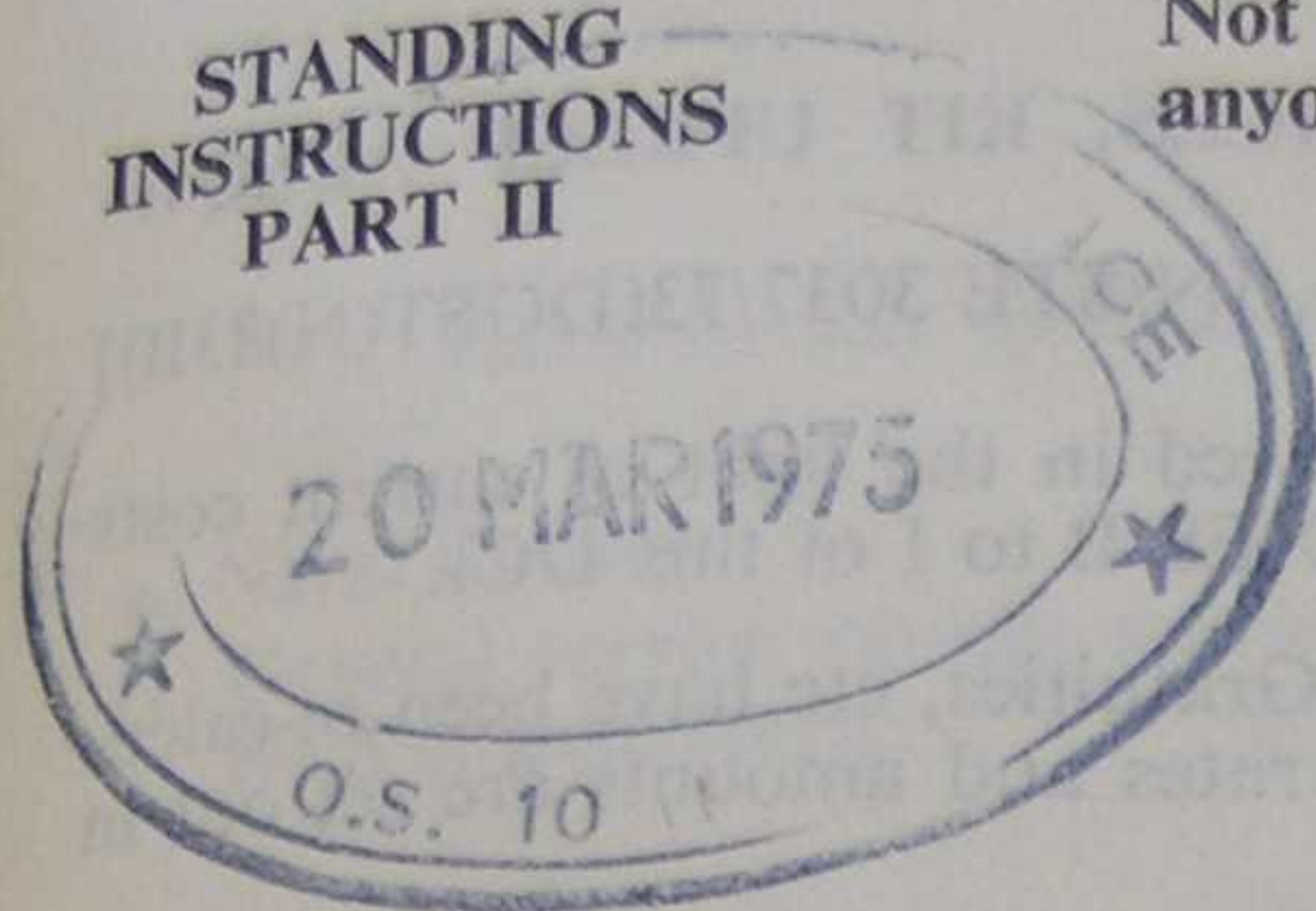




DEFENCE COUNCIL INSTRUCTIONS (ROYAL NAVY)

STORES – CLOTHING – ISSUING PRICES, KIT UPKEEP ALLOWANCES, ETC.

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ANNEX C

ISSUING PRICES OF ROYAL MARINES' CLOTHING

Description					Denomi- nation	VAT Exclusive Price £	VAT £	VAT Inclusive Price £
					each	0.77	0.06	0.83
Bags, linen, brown...	..	..	..	..	each	0.30	0.02	0.32
Belts, serge, blue ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 0.98	0.08	1.06
* Belts, Corps, RM ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 1.20	0.10	1.30
Berets, blue, RM ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 1.60	0.13	1.73
* Berets, green, RM ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 2.35	0.19	2.54
Blouses, BD, khaki ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 3.35	0.27	3.62
Boots, ankle, Army pattern ..	..	..	..	..	pair	➤ 5.10	0.41	5.51
Boots, ankle, DMS ..	..	..	..	..	pair	➤ 0.20	0.02	0.22
Boots, ankle, DMS, insoles for ..	..	..	..	..	pair	➤ 0.07	0.01	0.08
Brasses, cleaning ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 0.16	0.01	0.17
Brushes, button, brass ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 0.40	0.03	0.43
† Canes, walking out ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 2.75	0.22	2.97
* Caps, plastic, RM ..	..	..	..	..	each	0.07	0.01	0.08
Collars, khaki, flannel ..	..	..	..	..	each	0.01	—	0.01
Cord, for discs, identity ..	..	..	..	..	yard	0.01	—	0.01
Discs, identity ..	..	..	..	..	each	0.01	—	0.01
* Gloves, knitted, polyester, olive drab ..	..	..	..	..	pair	➤ 0.63	0.05	0.68
Gloves, knitted khaki ..	..	..	..	..	pair	0.33	0.03	0.36
* Gloves, cotton, white, RM ..	..	..	..	..	pair	➤ 0.86	0.07	0.93
Garter tabs (green, light blue, dark blue, red, white, old gold, or old gold and scarlet) ..	..	..	..	..	pair	➤ 0.09	0.01	0.10
Holdalls ..	..	..	..	..	each	0.75	0.06	0.81
Jackets, men's, No 1 dress, RM ..	..	..	..	..	pair	—	—	7.07
Jackets, men's, No 1 dress, RM ..	..	..	..	..	pair	14.30	1.14	15.44
Jerseys, pullovers, GS (men's and boy's) ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 1.40	0.11	1.51
* Jerseys, wool, heavy ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 3.05	0.24	3.29
Laces, black ..	..	..	..	..	each	0.03	—	0.03
* Lanyards, Army pattern ..	..	..	..	..	pair	0.01	—	0.01
Lanyards, coloured (green, light blue, dark blue, red, white, old gold, or old gold and scarlet) ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 0.16	0.01	0.17
Mugs, polypropylene, green, 7350 99 120 7576 ..	..	..	..	..	each	0.05	—	0.05
Pantaloon, Bedford cord ..	..	..	..	..	each	➤ 13.10	1.05	14.15
Patches, scarlet, for berets ..	..	..	..	..	pair	0.01	—	0.01
					each			

ANNEX C—contd

Description					Denomi- nation	VAT Exclusive Price £	VAT £	VAT Inclusive Price £
Puttees, ordinary					pair	➤ 0.60	0.05	0.65
Raincoats, RM					each	12.00	0.96	12.96
Raincoats, RM, polyester/cotton					each	➤ 10.70	0.86	11.56
Sashes, worsted					each	➤ 1.03	0.08	1.11
Shirts, man's combat					each	➤ 2.85	0.23	3.08
Shirts, khaki, flannel, collar attached					each	1.20	0.10	1.30
Shirts, khaki, flannel, without collar					each	1.13	0.09	1.22
* Shirts, khaki (all purpose), GP					each	➤ 1.45	0.12	1.57
* Shirt, man's, tropical, stone					each	➤ 3.05	0.24	3.29
* Shorts, khaki, drill					pair	➤ 0.98	0.08	1.06
Socks, GS, polyester, khaki					pair	➤ 0.38	0.03	0.41
* Socks, wool, thick, grey					pair	0.20	0.02	0.22
Socks, wool, thick, khaki					pair	0.25	0.02	0.27
* Stockings, wool, thin, khaki					pair	0.43	0.03	0.46
Suits, lovat, worsted					each	➤ 17.50	1.40	18.90
Ties, worsted, braid, drab					each	0.07	0.01	0.08
Trousers, khaki, drill, RM					pair	➤ 1.85	0.15	2.00
Trousers, BD, khaki					pair	➤ 2.65	0.21	2.86
Trousers, lovat, serge, barrack dress					pair	➤ 5.55	0.44	5.99
Trousers, lovat, worsted (made-to-measure)					pair	➤ 5.95	0.48	6.43
Trousers, lovat, serge (made-to-measure)					pair	➤ 6.70	0.54	7.24
Trousers, men's, No 1 dress, RM					pair	—	—	5.72
Trousers, men's, No 1 dress, RM band					pair	—	—	5.72
Trousers, men's, No 1 dress, RM					pair	6.08	0.49	6.57
Trousers, men's, No 1 dress, RM band					pair	6.08	0.49	6.57
Trousers, tweed					pair	➤ 9.65	0.77	10.42
Trousers, tweed, RM band					pair	➤ 7.40	0.59	7.99
Tunics, serge					each	➤ 8.60	0.69	9.29
Tunics, tartan (made-to-measure)					each	➤ 13.20	1.06	14.26
Tunics, drill, khaki					each	➤ 3.80	0.30	4.10
Vests, cotton (gymnasium), RM					each	➤ 0.66	0.05	0.71
Comforters, cap					each	➤ 0.48	0.04	0.52
Helmets, white, Wolseley Patt, fittings for:								
Ball ornaments					each	➤ 0.94	0.08	1.02
Chains, chin					each	➤ 2.15	0.17	2.32
Front plates					each	➤ 0.22	0.02	0.24
Nets, camouflage, for helmets					each	➤ 0.05	—	0.05
Puttees, short					pair	➤ 0.84	0.07	0.91
Veils, camouflage					each	➤ 0.27	0.02	0.29
Buckles, bronze					each	➤ 0.09	0.01	0.10
Buttons:								
Buttons, RM, anodized, large					each	➤ 0.03	—	0.03
Buttons, RM, anodized, small					each	0.02	—	0.02
Buttons, RM, bronze, large					each	➤ 0.02	—	0.02
Buttons, RM, bronze, small					each	➤ 0.02	—	0.02
Buttons, V1, drab (for denims)					doz	0.01	—	0.01
* Knife, fork and spoon, combined, 7340 99 127 5167					set	➤ 0.14	0.01	0.15
Uniform, man's, tropical, stone					each	➤ 11.70	0.94	12.64
Hooks, belt					doz	➤ 0.01	—	0.01
Buckles, belt					each	➤ 0.13	0.01	0.14
Rings, split					doz	0.01	—	0.01

ANNEX C—contd

Description		Denomi- nation	VAT Exclusive Price £	VAT £	VAT Inclusive Price £
Badges					
Rank, Specialist, skill or other special badges:					
Other than gold on blue, gold on green and metal	each	Y	0.02	-	0.02
Gold on green:					
Badges consisting of basic device only ..	each	Y	0.50	0.04	0.54
Badges consisting of basic device and one star ..	each	Y	0.46	0.04	0.50
Badges consisting of basic device and two stars ..	each	Y	0.56	0.04	0.60
Badges consisting of basic device and crown ..	each	Y	0.62	0.05	0.67
Badges consisting of basic device, crown and two stars ..	each	Y	0.70	0.06	0.76
Badges, Royal Arms ..	each	Y	0.76	0.06	0.82
Badges, Crown and Wreath ..	each	Y	0.51	0.04	0.55
Badges, Crown, small ..	each	Y	0.75	0.06	0.81
Badges, Lyre, Wreath and Crown ..	each	Y	0.75	0.06	0.81
Badges, Lyre (Bandmaster of Staff Band) ..	each	Y	0.70	0.06	0.76
Badges, Lyre, Oak Leaves below ..	each	Y	0.39	0.03	0.42
Badges, Bugle (Bugle Major) ..	each	Y	0.45	0.04	0.49
Badges, Drum ..	each	Y	0.67	0.05	0.72
Badges, Staff Bandmaster ..	each	Y	2.20	0.18	2.38
Badges, Royal Cypher GR V and Wreath (King's Badge) ..	each	Y	0.35	0.03	0.38
Badges, Parachutist ..	each	Y	0.40	0.03	0.43
Flash, Royal Yacht ..	each	Y	0.46	0.04	0.50
Gold on blue:					
Badges, Crown and Wreath ..	each	Y	1.55	0.12	1.67
* Badges, Lyre, Wreath and Crown ..	each	Y	0.99	0.08	1.07
Badges, Lyre ..	each	Y	2.00	0.16	2.16
Badges, Bugle (Bugle Major) ..	each	Y	1.10	0.09	1.19
Badges, Drum ..	each	Y	0.51	0.04	0.55
Badges, Arm, Colour Sergeant ..	each	Y	2.05	0.16	2.21
Badges, Staff Bandmaster ..	each	Y	1.50	0.12	1.62
Badges, Royal Cypher GR V and Wreath (King's Badge) ..	each	Y	0.84	0.07	0.91
Badges, Parachutist ..	each	Y	0.79	0.06	0.85
Flash, Royal Yacht ..	each	Y	0.55	0.04	0.59
Globe and Laurel (gold on scarlet) ..	each	Y	0.42	0.03	0.45
Badges, Anodized:					
Badges, Lion and Crown, with pin ..	each	Y	0.22	0.02	0.24
* Badges, Globe and Laurel, Lion and Crown ..	each	Y	0.13	0.01	0.14
* Badges, Globe and Laurel ..	each	Y	0.13	0.01	0.14
Badges, Lyre ..	each	Y	0.08	0.01	0.09
Letters "RM" (3-in nominal) ..	each	Y	0.04	-	0.04
Badges, Royal Arms ..	each	Y	0.15	0.01	0.16
Badges, Crown and Wreath ..	each	Y	0.20	0.02	0.22
Badges, Bronze:					
Badges, Lion and Crown ..	each	Y	0.22	0.02	0.24
* Badges, Globe and Laurel, Lion and Crown ..	each	Y	0.15	0.01	0.16
* Badges, Globe and Laurel ..	each	Y	0.15	0.01	0.16
Badges, Globe and Laurel, small ..	each	Y	0.10	0.01	0.11
Badges, Lyre ..	each	Y	0.05	-	0.05
* Letters, RM ..	each	Y	0.12	0.01	0.13

ANNEX C—contd

Description	Denomination	VAT Exclusive Price £	VAT £	VAT Inclusive Price £
Badges, white on green, for wear on RM rain-coats:				
Warrant Officer, 1st Class	each	0.13	0.01	0.14
WO2 and WO2 (Bandmaster)	each	➤ 0.21	0.02	0.23
Colour Sergeant	each	➤ 0.21	0.02	0.23
Band Colour Sergeant	each	0.13	0.01	0.14
Bandmaster of Staff Bands	each	➤ 0.20	0.02	0.22
Lance Corporal	each	➤ 0.11	0.01	0.12
Corporal	each	➤ 0.12	0.01	0.13
Sergeant	each	➤ 0.13	0.01	0.14
Bugle Major	each	0.23	0.02	0.25
Drum Major	each	0.11	0.01	0.12
Spare sleeves	each	0.04	—	0.04
Miscellaneous badges:				
Badges, cap, RM Band, Portsmouth (gilt and silver)	each	➤ 1.65	0.13	1.78
Royal Cypher, GR V	each	➤ 0.91	0.07	0.98
Prince of Wales Plume (silver)	each	➤ 0.81	0.06	0.87
Royal Cypher E II R/PP with crown (silver)	each	➤ 2.15	0.17	2.32
Royal Cypher E II R/PP	each	➤ 3.35	0.27	3.62
Badges, Globe and Laurel, yellow on scarlet	each	0.39	0.03	0.42
Badges, Observer, RM	each	1.05	0.08	1.13
Badges, Pilot, Vocab 35808	each	0.13	0.01	0.14
Flash, "Royal Marines"	each	0.01	—	0.01
Flash, "Royal Marines Commando"	each	➤ 0.04	—	0.04
Badges, Crown, white on khaki drill	each	➤ 0.07	0.01	0.08
Badges, Crown, scarlet on white	each	0.04	—	0.04
Straps, wrist, leather	each	0.14	0.01	0.15
RMR badge, letter "R"	each	0.02	—	0.02
RMR lapel badge	each	0.19	0.02	0.21
Chevrons (Rank and Good Conduct Badges):				
* Gold on scarlet	bar	➤ 0.87	0.07	0.94
Gold on blue	bar	0.15	0.01	0.16
Gold on green	bar	➤ 0.40	0.03	0.43
Scarlet on white	bar	0.02	—	0.02
Red on blue	bar	0.04	—	0.04
* Khaki (on khaki and on khaki drill)	bar	➤ 0.09	0.01	0.10
White tape on khaki drill	bar	➤ 0.08	0.01	0.09
Black Crown on green drill	each	0.04	—	0.04
Black Star on green drill	each	0.04	—	0.04
3 Chevrons, black on green	each	0.05	—	0.05
2 Chevrons, black on green	each	0.04	—	0.04
1 Chevron, black on green	each	0.04	—	0.04
Badge, black on olive drab, Crown and Wreath, WO2	each	0.09	0.01	0.10
Badge, black on olive drab, Royal Arms, WO1	each	0.12	0.01	0.13

* These items will normally be stocked by Supply Officers in HM ships with RM detachments and which carry cash clothing.

† This item is for issue only to RM Corporals.

‡ These items are for issue only to RM Grooms.

¶ Special issuing price for initial issues up to 29 Feb 76, see DCI (RN) S127/74.

‡ For other issues, see DCI (RN) S127/74.

§ Including any distinguishing letters denoting specializations.

ANNEX G

ISSUING PRICES OF ROYAL MARINES OFFICERS' CLOTHING

Description					Denomi- nation	VAT Exclusive Price £	VAT £	VAT Inclusive Price £
Badges, Globe and Laurel, silver and anodized ..					each	➤ 0.24	0.02	0.26
Badges, Lion and Crown, screw fitting, anodized					each	➤ 0.43	0.03	0.46
Blouses, overall, denim					O each	1.45	0.12	1.57
Collars, semi-stiff, khaki					O each	0.11	0.01	0.12
Jackets, overall					each	➤ 1.75	0.14	1.89
*Cummerbund, scarlet					O each	1.35	0.11	1.46
Lanyard, blue					O each	1.35	0.11	1.46
Mackintoshes, Army pattern					each	0.20	0.02	0.22
Peaks for RM Field Officers' caps					each	➤ 12.85	1.03	13.88
Shirts, khaki poplin, RM officers'					each	➤ 2.35	0.19	2.54
Shoes, black, leather, with toe-caps					O each	1.05	0.08	1.13
Socks, khaki					pair	➤ 8.40	0.67	9.07
Trousers, lightweight, polyester/cotton					O pair	0.27	0.02	0.29
Trousers, overall, denim					pair	➤ 4.10	0.33	4.43
Trousers, overall					O pair	1.40	0.11	1.51
					pair	2.70	0.22	2.92