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*for the year ending 31st March 2014*

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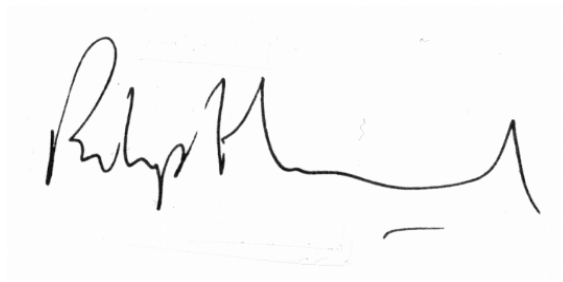
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These Votes A Supplementary Votes seek Parliamentary authority for the maximum numbers of personnel to be maintained for service in the Naval Service, the Reserve Naval and Marine Forces, and the Reserve Land Forces during the year ending 31st March 2014. These numbers do not constitute the Trained Requirement of the Armed Forces, which are published separately in the UK Armed Forces Quarterly Personnel Report. Other Ministry of Defence Requests for Resources appear as Supply Estimates.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Philip Hammond', is centered on the page. The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Ministry of Defence  
*12 February 2014*

Rt Hon Philip Hammond MP

VOTE A (Navy)  
I: MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN TO BE  
MAINTAINED FOR NAVAL SERVICE

**Thirty six thousand, five hundred and thirty (36,530)**

<i>Present Provision</i>				<i>Revised Provision</i>		
<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
6,740	21,370	28,110	Royal Navy	6,740	21,370	28,110
920	7,340	8,260	Royal Marines	920	7,500	8,420
7,660	28,710	36,370	TOTAL	7,660	28,870	36,530

**NOTES**

1. This Table of the Vote fixes the maximum number of officers, men and women of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines, including those on terminal leave, who may be maintained for naval service at any time during the year.
2. The maximum number includes a margin of 2,410 to cover unforeseen contingencies.
3. The number includes personnel on loan service with government departments or other governments and personnel serving in international defence organisations.
4. Naval service does not have officers designate.

VOTE A (Navy)  
II: MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN TO BE  
MAINTAINED FOR SERVICE IN THE RESERVE NAVAL AND MARINES FORCES

(excluding those to be maintained as special members of these forces under Part V of the Reserve Forces Act 1996)

**Twenty three thousand, seven hundred and forty (23,740)**

	<i>Present Provision</i>		
	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
Royal Fleet Reserve (naval officers and ratings)	4,960	10,580	15,540
Royal Fleet Reserve (marine officers and marines)	470	2,610	3,080
Royal Naval Reserve	1,200	1,980	3,180
Royal Marines Reserve	70	920	990
Royal Naval Reserve (List 7)	950		950
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7,650</b>	<b>16,090</b>	<b>23,740</b>

**NOTES**

1. Those maintained on List 7 of the Royal Naval Reserve include Royal Naval Reserve temporary officers recruited to assist with University Royal Naval Units (URNUs), URNU undergraduates and members of the Royal Navy Engineering Sponsorship Scheme at Southampton University. List 7 personnel do not have a call out liability.

2. The Reserve Forces Act 1996 introduced three new categories of the Reservist: Full-Time Reserve Service, Additional Duties Commitment and High Readiness Reserve. The following notes detail the maxima of personnel in these categories. These maxima are included in the totals shown in Table II above:

<i>Present Provision</i>			3. Numbers of members of each force who may at any time be in full-time service under section 24 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996:	<i>Revised Provision</i>		
<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
115	525	640	- In the Royal Fleet Reserve as naval officers and ratings	115	525	640
15	60	75	- In the Royal Fleet Reserve as marine officers and marines	30	100	130
120	135	255	- In the Royal Naval Reserve	120	135	255
25	70	95	- In the Royal Marines Reserve	30	100	130
275	790	1,065	Total in the reserve naval and marine forces who may at any time be in full-time service under section 24 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996	295	860	1,155

4. Numbers of members of each force who may at any time be subject to additional duties commitment under section 25 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996:	<i>Present Provision</i>		
	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
- In the Royal Fleet Reserve as naval officers and ratings	25	20	45
- In the Royal Fleet Reserve as marine officers and marines	25	20	45
- In the Royal Naval Reserve	25	20	45
- In the Royal Marines Reserve	25	20	45
Total in the reserve naval and marine forces who may at any time be subject to additional duties commitments under section 25 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996	100	80	180

5. Numbers of members of each force who may at any time be liable for call-out under special agreements as members of the High Readiness Reserve under Part IV of the Reserve Forces Act 1996:	<i>Present Provision</i>		
	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
- In the Royal Fleet Reserve as naval officers and ratings	15	40	55
- In the Royal Fleet Reserve as marine officers and marines	5	20	25
- In the Royal Naval Reserve	60	260	320
- In the Royal Marines Reserve	20	130	150
Total in the reserve naval and marine forces who may at any time be liable for call-out under special agreements as members of the High Readiness Reserve under Part IV of the Reserve Forces Act 1996	100	450	550

VOTE A (Navy)  
 III: MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN TO BE  
 MAINTAINED FOR SERVICE AS SPECIAL MEMBERS OF THE  
 RESERVE NAVAL FORCES UNDER PART V OF THE RESERVE FORCES ACT 1996

**Two thousand, four hundred (2,400)**

<i>Present Provision</i>				<i>Revised Provision</i>		
<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
650	1,290	1,940	Royal Naval Reserve	780	1,620	2,400
650	1,290	1,940	TOTAL	780	1,620	2,400

**NOTES**

1. Members of the Royal Fleet Auxiliary (RFA) have a liability to become Special Members of the Reserve Naval Forces. The current RFA personnel have become Special Reservists on a voluntary basis but new entrants will be automatically enlisted as part of newly revised terms and conditions of service.

VOTE A (Army)  
 II: MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN TO BE  
 MAINTAINED FOR SERVICE IN THE RESERVE LAND FORCES

(excluding those to be maintained as special members of these forces under Part V of the Reserve  
 Forces Act 1996)

**Eighty four thousand, four hundred and seventy (84,470)**

	<i>Present Provision</i>		
	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
Army Reserve	11,190	25,400	36,590
Territorial Army	9,110	38,770	47,880
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20,300</b>	<b>64,170</b>	<b>84,470</b>

**NOTES**

1. The totals of the Territorial Army include officers, men and women employed full-time but not Regular Army members of permanent staff who are included in Table 1.
2. The figure for the Territorial Army does not include 3,300 officers who hold commissions in Group B of the Territorial Army for the purposes of service with the Army Cadet Force and Combined Cadet Force.
3. The Reserve Forces Act 1996 introduced three new categories of Reservist: Full-Time Reserve Service, Additional Duties Commitment and High Readiness Reserve. The following notes detail the maxima of personnel in these categories. These maxima are included in the totals shown in Table II above.

<i>Present Provision</i>			4. Numbers of members of each force who may at any time be in full-time service under section 24 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996:	<i>Revised Provision</i>		
<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>		<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
325	545	870	- In the Army Reserve	560	820	1,380
755	1,265	2,020	- In the Territorial Army	755	1,265	2,020
1,080	1,810	2,890	Total in the reserve land forces who may at any time be in full-time service under section 24 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996	1,315	2,085	3,400



	<i>Present Provision</i>		
	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
5. Numbers of members of each force who may at any time be subject to additional duties commitments under section 25 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996:			
- In the Army Reserve	40	170	210
- In the Territorial Army	410	1,310	1,720
Total in the reserve land forces who may at any time be subject to additional duties commitments under section 25 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996	450	1,480	1,930

	<i>Present Provision</i>		
	<i>Officers</i>	<i>Men and Women</i>	<i>Total</i>
6. Numbers of members of each force who may at any time be liable for call-out under special agreements as members of the High Readiness reserve under Part IV of the Reserve Forces Act 1996:			
- In the Army Reserve	10	20	30
- In the Territorial Army	30	165	195
Total in the reserve land forces who may at any time be liable for call-out under special agreements as members of the High Readiness reserve under Part IV of the Reserve Forces Act 1996	40	185	225







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