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VOTE A (Navy)

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN TO BE MAINTAINED FOR NAVAL SERVICE

Sixty three thousand three hundred and fifty (63,350)

1992–93				1993–94		
Officers	Men and Women	Total		Officers	Men and Women	Total
9,500	41,800	51,300	Royal Navy (other than Services below)	9,300	40,000	49,300
750	7,250	8,000	Royal Marines	750	7,200	7,950
150	750	900	Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service	150	750	900
500	4,700	5,200	Women's Royal Naval Service	500	4,700	5,200
10,900	54,500	65,400	TOTAL	10,700	52,650	63,350

- 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 4,350 to cover unforeseen contingencies.
- 3. The number includes personnel lent for service with government departments or other governments and personnel serving with international defence organisations. It also covers personnel of the reserve forces serving with the Royal Navy and the Royal Marines as officers, ratings or other ranks other than those carrying out training under the regulations of the reserve forces, and personnel locally-engaged overseas.
 - 4. Officers include 1,500 officers designate.
- 5. The average number of officers, men and women of the reserve forces expected to be maintained during the year are shown in the following table:

	1993–94		
	Officers	Men and Women	Total
Royal Navy Reserve	1,392	2,277	3,669
Royal Fleet Reserve	_	6,820	6,820
Royal Marines Reserve	105	1,260	1,365
Women's Royal Naval Reserve	297	1,078	1,375
Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service Reserve	83	61	144
TOTAL	1,877	11,496	13,373

VOTE A (Army)

I: MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN TO BE MAINTAINED FOR ARMY SERVICE

One Hundred and sixty three thousand five hundred and ninety (163,590)

1992–93				1993–94		
Officers	Men and Women	Total		Officers	Men and Women	Total
18,300	136,000	154,300	Army (other than Services below)	17,000	136,000	153,000
550	1,150	1,700	Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps	500	1,050	1,550
60	9,000	9,060	Commonwealth, Colonial, &c., troops abroad and Gurkhas	55	8,400	8,455
370	215	585	Commonwealth troops in the United Kingdom	370	215	585
19,280	146,365	165,645	TOTAL	17,925	145,665	163,590

- 1. This Table of the Vote fixes the maximum number of officers, men and women, including those on terminal leave and also young soldiers and junior soldiers, who may be maintained for army service at any time during the year.
 - 2. The maximum number includes a margin of 12,000 to cover unforeseen contingencies.
- 3. The number includes personnel lent for service with government departments or other governments and personnel serving with international defence organisations.
 - 4. Officers include 500 officers designate.
- 5. With effect from 1.7.92 the Ulster Defence Regiment merged with the Royal Irish Rangers to form the Home Service element of the new Royal Irish Regiment. Their numbers are now included in the overall Army figures.

VOTE A (Army)

II: MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN IN THE INDIVIDUAL RESERVES, AND THE TERRITORIAL ARMY TO BE MAINTAINED

	Officers	Men and Women	Total
Territorial Army	7,800	62,500	70,300
Regular Army Reserve of Officers	10,000		10,000
Regular Reserve	_	50,000	50,000
Long Term Reserve	_	70,000	70,000
Ulster Defence Regiment	_	See Note 3	_
Total	17,800	182,500	200,300

- 1. The totals of the Territorial Army include officers, men and women employed full time but not Regular Army members of the permanent staff who are included in Table 1.
- 2. For the Regular Army Reserve of Officers, the Regular Reserves and the Long Term Reserve, the maximum numbers maintained reflect only those available for recall.
- 3. With effect from 1.7.92 the Ulster Defence Regiment merged with the Royal Irish Rangers to form the Home Service element of the new Royal Irish Regiment. Their numbers are now included in the overall Army figures in Table I.

VOTE A (Air)

I: MAXIMUM NUMBER OF OFFICERS, MEN AND WOMEN TO BE MAINTAINED FOR AIR FORCE SERVICE

Eighty three thousand four hundred and eighty (83,480)

1992–93				1993–94		
Officers	Men and Women	Total		Officers	Men and Women	Total
14,300	65,800	80,100	Royal Air Force (other than Services below)	13,700	62,000	75,700
300 1,100	400 6,500	700 7,600	Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service Women's Royal Air Force	250 1,000	380 5,900	630 6,900
170	50	220	Commonwealth Air Force Personnel in the United Kingdom	170	80	250
15,870	72,750	88,620	TOTAL	15,120	68,360	83,480

- 1. This Table of the Vote fixes the maximum number of officers, men and women, including those on terminal leave, who may be maintained for air force service at any time during the year.
 - 2. The maximum number includes a margin of 1,600 to cover unforeseen contingencies.
- 3. The number includes personnel lent for service with government departments or other governments and personnel serving with international defence organisations. It also covers personnel of the reserve and auxiliary forces serving with the Royal Air Force as officers, men and women, other than those carrying out training under regulations of the reserve or auxiliary forces.
 - 4. Officers include 300 officers designate.

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	Officers	Men and Women	Total	
Royal Air Force Reserve:				
Royal Air Force Reserve of Officers	900	<u> </u>	900	
Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing Service Reserve	100	_	100	
Airmen of Class E		18,000	18,000	
Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve	300	150	450	
TOTAL Royal Auxiliary Air Force	1,300 300	18,150 2,500	19,450 2,800	

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