

†6101.—Royal Marine Band Service—Changes in Dress  
 (R.M. 882/5/40A3.—4 Oct. 1948.)

His Majesty The King has approved the following alterations in the dress of officers and other ranks of the Royal Marine Band Service:—

(a) All ranks will wear the Cap Badge and Shoulder Titles as at present authorized for the Royal Marines.

(b) Bandmasters 1st Class will wear a Belt Sword, Staff Sergeants, in place of the khaki web belt, and their distinguishing badge of rank will be a Lyre encircled by a laurel wreath surmounted by a Crown.

2. Other ranks of the Royal Marine Band Service will continue to wear the Lyre as a collar badge.

3. Belts, sword, Staff Sergeants, and the new badge for Bandmasters 1st Class will be issued as soon as they become available.