

ADJUTANT GENERAL,  
ROYAL MARINES

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Helmets, Khaki - Fitting of Corps "Flash"

With reference to R.M.O. circular of this number dated 13.2.39, and replies thereto, R.M. ranks on stations where the wearing of Khaki Helmets and Pagris is authorised, are permitted to wear a Corps "flash", but as this article cannot be accepted as a charge to public funds, Commandants will please arrange for purchase, as necessary, from Divisional/Depot Fund.

2. The requisite number of "flashes" for non-commissioned officers and men at present serving on the East Indies Station, and in Base Ship, Singapore (H.M.S. "TERROR") should be purchased and sent direct to Officers Commanding R.M. detachments concerned. Arrangements should be made, as desirable, direct with the Commandant, Depot, R.M., as regards R.M. Band ranks.

3. The above decision has also been promulgated by General Order this day. Reference to the "flash" will not, however, be made in Dress Regulations. There is no objection, if considered desirable, for the description of the "flash" and the method of fitting, being embodied in "Notes on Dress Regulations, R.M.". If concurred in, will Commandants please forward to this office proposed details for inclusion in this publication.

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