

## 151 METAL WRIST BADGES FOR DRUM AND BUGLE MAJORS

1. Arrangements have been made for Drum and Bugle Majors to be provided with a metal insignia, for wear on a wrist strap with tropical dress and shirt sleeve order. The metal badges which are being made locally at Portsmouth, will for convenience, be brought to account by the Supply Officer (Clothing), RM Barracks, Eastney from whom other units should demand their requirements. Vocabulary numbers allocated and descriptions are:—

<i>Vocab. No.</i>	<i>Appointment</i>	<i>Description</i>
37925	Bugle Major	4 inverted chevrons surmounted by a bugle
37926	Drum Major	4 inverted chevrons surmounted by a drum

2. Demands by other units upon RM Barracks, Eastney are to be restricted to quantities actually required for issue; other units are not to hold stocks of their own. The initial provision of metal badges should be sufficient to last for some years. RM Barracks, Eastney is authorised to arrange for replenishment as necessary, the cost of any materials which have to be purchased locally being chargeable to Vote 6.I. (401).

3. Drum Majors serving in complement billets, Bugle Majors, and ranks subsequently appointed for these duties, may be issued gratuitously with a Strap, Wrist, Leather, Vocab 35928 and the appropriate metal insignia.

4. The Manual of Victualling and Appendix to the Navy List will be amended in due course.