

## **192. 43 COMMANDO, ROYAL MARINES—DISPERSAL**

1. 'R' (Independent Commando) Company has now been formed under the command of the Commanding Officer, Royal Marines Barracks, Eastney, in accordance with RMRO 167/68. Initially the Company telephone extension will be Portsmouth Dockyard 6303.
2. 43 Commando, Royal Marines will commence to disperse on 1st October, 1968. The programme is as follows:
  - a. 1st October, 1968
    - (1) Main body of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Marines move to new units.
    - (2) Commando reduces to a small Commando Headquarters and administrative party based at Commachio Camp.
    - (3) Major F. Reynolds, Royal Marines assumes command.
  - b. 14th November, 1968
    - (1) Dispersal completed. Remaining ranks move to new units.