CHAPTER 43

JOINT SERVICE DRESS TABLES

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FOR USE AT COURT FUNCTIONS AND WHEN MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL FAMILY ARE PRESENT

4301. Full Ceremonial Day (Home)

Dress - Full Ceremonial Day (Home)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/Collar	Stars of Orders Maximum (Note 2)	Neck Decorations (Note 7)	Medals	Swords (Note 4)
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 1A Full Dress	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes (Note 8)
	RM Officers	No 1A Full Dress	Yes	4 (Note 3)	2	Yes	Yes
Army		Frock Coat	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes
		No 1 Dress with Ceremonial Accoutrements	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes
		No 1 Dress or No 2 Dress with Sam Browne Belt	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes
Royal Air Force		No 1A (Ceremonial) (Note 1) No 1 Service Dress (Home)	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes

4302. Ceremonial Day (Home)

Dress - Ceremonial Day (Home)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/Collar	Stars of Orders Maximum (Note 2)	Neck Decorations (Note 8)	Medals	Swords (Note 4)
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 1A Blue Dress	No	2	1	Yes	Yes (Note 8)
	RM Officers	No 1A Blue Dress or No 1B Lovat Dress	No	2	1	Yes	Yes
Army		Frock Coat	No	2	1	Yes	Yes
		No 1 Dress with Ceremonial Accoutrements	No	2	1	Yes	Yes
		No 1 Dress or No 2 Dress with Sam Browne Belt	No	2	1	Yes	Yes
Royal Air Force		No 1A (Ceremonial) (Note 1) No 1 Service Dress (Home)	No	2	1	Yes	Yes

4303. Non-Ceremonial Day (Home)

Dress - Non-Ceremonial Day (Home)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/Collar	Stars of Orders maximum (Note 4)	Neck Decorations	Medals	Swords (Note 4)
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 1C Undress	No	No	No	No	No
	RM Officers	No 1A Blue Dress or No 1C Lovat Dress	No	No	No	No	No
Army		Frock Coat	No	No	No	No	No
		No 1 Dress	No	No	No	No	No
		No 2 Dress	No	No	No	No	No
Royal Air Force		No 1 Service Dress (Home)	No	No	No	No	No

4304. Ceremonial Evening (Home)

Dress - Ceremonial Evening (Home)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/ Collar	Stars of Orders (Note 4)	Neck Decorations (Note 7)	Miniature Medals	Miniature Medal Ribbons
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 2A Formal Evening Dress	No	2	1	Yes	No
	RM Officers	No 2A Formal Evening Dress	No	2	1	Yes	No
Army		No 10 Mess Dress with Stiff Shirt	No	2	1	Yes	No
Royal Air Force		No 5A Mess Dress (Home) White Waistcoat with Stiff Shirt	No	2	1	Yes	No

4305. Non-Ceremonial Evening (Home)

Dress - Non-Ceremonial Evening (Home)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/Collar	Stars of Orders	Neck Decorations	Miniature Medals	Miniature Medal Ribbons
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 2B Evening Undress	No	No	No	Yes	No
	RM Officers	No 2B Evening Undress	No	No	No	Yes	No
Army		No 10 Mess Dress Soft Shirt according to Regimental Custom	No	No	No	Yes	No
Royal Air Force		No 5B Mess Dress (Home) Blue Waistcoat/ Cummerbund with Stiff Shirt or Soft Shirt	No	No	No	Yes	No

4306. Full Ceremonial Day (Tropical)

Dress - Full Ceremonial Day (Tropical)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/ Collar	Stars of Orders Maximum (Note 2)	Neck Decorations (Note 7)	Medals	Swords (Note 4)
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 1AW White Dress	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes (Note 8)
	RM Officers	No 1AW Dress with Ceremonial Accoutrements	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes
		No 1BW Dress with Sam Browne Belt	No	2	2	Yes	Yes
Army		No 3 Dress with Ceremonial Accoutrements	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes
		No 3 or No 4 Dress with Sam Browne Belt	Yes	2	2	Yes	Yes
		No 6 Dress with Sam Browne Belt	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Royal Air Force		No 6A Ceremonial Dress (Note 5)	Yes	4	2	Yes	Yes
		No 6 Service Dress	No	4	2	Yes	Yes

4307. Ceremonial Day (Tropical)

Dress - Ceremonial Day (Tropical)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/ Collar	Stars of Orders Maximum (Note 2)	Neck Decorations (Note 7)	Medals	Swords (Note 4)
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 1AW White Dress	No	2	1	Yes	Yes (Note 8)
	RM Officers	No 1AW Dress with Ceremonial Accoutrements	No	2	1	Yes	Yes
		No 1BW Dress with Sam Browne Belt	No	2	1	Yes	Yes
Army		No 3 Dress with Ceremonial Accoutrements	Yes	2	1	Yes	Yes
		No 3 or No 4 Dress with Sam Browne Belt	Yes	2	1	Yes	Yes
		No 6 Dress with Sam Brown Belt	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Royal Air Force		No 6A Service Dress (Note 5)	No	2	1	Yes	Yes
		No 6B Parade Dress	No	No	No	Yes	No

4308. Non-Ceremonial Day (Tropical)

Dress - Non-Ceremonial Day (Tropical)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/ Collar	Stars of Orders maximum	Neck Decorations	Medals	Swords
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 1CW White Dress	No	No	No	No	No
	RM Officers	No 1BW Dress (Sam Browne or Cloth Belt)	No	No	No	No	No
		No 1CW Dress (Sam Browne or Cloth Belt)	No	No	No	No	No
Army		No 3 Dress (Sam Browne or Cloth Belt)	No	No	No	No	No
		No 4 Dress (Sam Browne or Cloth Belt)	No	No	No	No	No
		No 6 Dress (Sam Browne or Cloth Belt)	No	No	No	No	No
Royal Air Force		No 6B Parade Dress	No	No	No	No	No

4309. Full Ceremonial Evening (Tropical)

Dress - Full Ceremonial Evening (Tropical)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/ Collar	Stars of Orders Maximum (Note 2)	Neck Decorations (Note 7)	Miniature Medals	Swords (Note 4)
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 2AW White Dress	Yes	4	1	Yes	No
	RM Officers	No 2AW White Dress	Yes	4	1	Yes	No
Army		No 11 Dress with Stiff Shirt	Yes	4	1	Yes	No
Royal Air Force		No 8 Mess Dress	Yes	4	1	Yes	No

4310. Ceremonial Evening (Tropical)

Dress - Ceremonial Evening (Tropical)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/ Collar	Stars of Orders Maximum (Note 2)	Neck Decorations (Note 7)	Miniature Medals	Swords (Note 4)
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 2AW Mess Dress with Stiff Shirt or Soft Shirt	No	2	1	Yes	No
	RM Officers	No 2AW Mess Dress with Stiff Shirt or Soft Shirt	No	2	1	Yes	No
Army		No 11 Dress with Stiff Shirt or Soft Shirt	No	2	1	Yes	No
Royal Air Force		No 8 Mess Dress	No	2	1	Yes	No

4311. Non-Ceremonial Evening (Tropical)

Dress - Non-Ceremonial Evening (Tropical)							
Appropriate Service Dress			Accessories				
			Broad Riband/ Collar	Stars of Orders Maximum (Note 2)	Neck Decorations (Note 7)	Miniature Medals	Miniature Medal Ribbons
Royal Navy	Naval Officers QARNNS Officers	No 2BW Evening Undress	No	No	No	Yes	No
	RM Officers	No 2BW Soft Shirt may be Worn	No	No	No	Yes	No
Army		No 11 Mess Dress with Soft Shirt According to Regimental Custom	No	No	No	Yes	No
Royal Air Force		No 8 Mess Dress	No	No	No	Yes	No
		No 8A Mess Dress Red Sea (Note 6)	No	No	No	No	No

Notes:

1. AVMs and above.

2. May include one foreign star on appropriate occasions.

3. Two stars only when Sam Browne is worn.

4. Unless otherwise stated.

5. Officer appointed to senior prestige and representational posts, Air Advisor (irrespective of rank).

6. 'Red Sea Rig' worn by RAF personnel serving in RN ships, where authorised.

7. May include one foreign neck decoration on appropriate occasions.

8. Swords are not worn by QARNNS officers.

9. No 2CW Tropical Mess Dress may be authorised for informal evening wear in HM Ships and Establishments.