

George VI

*Warrant for the Commission
of the Emergency*

George VI *by the Grace of God*, OF GREAT BRITAIN, IRELAND
AND THE BRITISH DOMINIONS BEYOND THE SEAS, KING, DEFENDER OF
THE FAITH, EMPEROR OF INDIA, &c.

To Our Trusty and well beloved

George Ellams

Greeting:

WE *reposing especial Trust and Confidence in your Loyalty, Courage, and good
Conduct, do by these Presents Constitute and Appoint you to be an
Officer in Our Royal Air Force from the *Twenty eighth* day of
June 1942. You are therefore carefully and diligently to discharge
your Duty as such in the Rank of Pilot Officer or in such higher
Rank as We may from time to time hereafter be pleased to promote or
appoint you to and you are at all times to exercise and well discipline in
their Duties both the inferior Officers and Airmen serving under you and
use your best endeavours to keep them in good Order and Discipline.
And We do hereby Command them to Obey you as their superior Officer and
you to observe and follow such Orders and Directions as from time to time
you shall receive from Us, or any your superior Officer, according to the
Rules and Discipline of War, in pursuance of the Trust hereby reposed in you.*

GIVEN at Our Court, at Saint James's

the *Twenty fifth* day of *August* 1942, in the *Sixth* Year of Our Reign

By His Majesty's Command

H. Dabbling
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