



AAL BAND MUSIC TUNES

1.0 Intention

1.1 The intention of this Instruction is to amend the AAL Manual at Section 20 to clarify that the Australian National Anthem shall not be played during competitions and to incorporate new and revised AAL band music tunes.

2.0 General

2.1 The band music tunes which appeared in earlier versions of the AAL Manual are withdrawn and replaced, arising from an external peer review and revision. A number of new music tunes have been added to extend the available repertoire of AAL bands.

2.2 The AAL Manual is amended at Section 20 by adding paragraph 55 and by inserting the music tunes listed therein.

2.2.1 Attached to this instruction is the contents sheet listing the tunes inserted as paragraph 55.

2.2.2 In an endeavour to assist, all the tunes can be found at:

http://www.airleague.com.au/members/downloads-mainmenu-69/doc_download/290-aal-manual-section-20

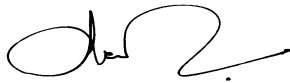
Alternatively, they can be found at www.airleague.com.au and using the menu for the Download Centre, or simply search



2.3 The revised band music tunes are produced in a mono-linear version for training and use by drummers. Also, a five staff line version has been produced for training and use by buglers.

2.4 The revised band music also identifies tunes to be used by AAL massed bands as a "massed band routine". Therefore, all AAL bands and individual members participating in an AAL band are required to learn and play / sound the "massed band routine" as set out in the AAL Manual. This is consistent with Section 20 paragraph 7.3 of the AAL Manual.

- 2.5 The AAL Manual is amended at Section 20 paragraph 7.4 to read as follows;
- 7.4 "The compulsory tune shall form part of the Federal band routine in accordance with paragraph 7.3".
- 2.6 The AAL Manual is amended at Section 20 paragraph 7.5 to read as follows;
- 7.5 "Advance Australia Fair, God Save the Queen and General Salute are anthems or tunes of respect. They shall only be played at appropriate times when required. These anthems or tunes shall not be played in any competition."
- 2.7 The AAL Manual is amended at Section 20 paragraph 7.6 to read as follows;
- 7.6 "In addition to the provisions of paragraph 7.5, Bugle Calls such as Last Post, Reveille, Retreat, etc., must only be sounded on appropriate occasions. They shall not be sounded during any competition."
- 3.0 Conclusion
- 3.1 The provisions of this Instruction shall have immediate effect.



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