



# CAF MESSAGE

## STAR RANK APPOINTMENT AND PROMOTION

I am pleased to announce the promotion of Air Commodore Warren McDonald to Air Vice-Marshal and his appointment to the post of Deputy Chief of Air Force which will be effective from June 2015.

Air Commodore McDonald has excelled in a number of senior command appointments and brings a wide range of operational and staff experience to the role of Deputy Chief of Air Force including deployment to the Middle East as the Australian Air Component Commander and Commander Air Mobility Group. His appointment as Deputy Chief of Air Force recognises his strong performance and significant contributions to Air Force.

I congratulate Air Commodore McDonald on his promotion and appointment.

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Air Marshal  
Chief of Air Force

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