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Colonel,

I would like to ask a question about No 2 dress for adults.

I am an female adult instructor and I like to take Drill and always look smart, to give cadets incentive to also be smart in their uniform when taking part in Drill. I have recently gone down the line of purchasing a No 2 dress jacket, as well as shirt and tie. I am just about to order a skirt and noticed that a No 2 dress uniform for a female was being sold with a pair of trousers rather than a skirt. Can I as a female wear trousers, or am I only allowed to wear a skirt?

Many thanks.

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The RSM replies:

The simple answer is that you must wear a skirt. I assume that you went through the 'channels' to see if the QM had any rather than buy? I know that he has some stock of 2s but to what extent, I am unsure.