

OFFICER (AO) IN THE MILITARY DIVISION OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA

Royal Australian Navy

Vice Admiral Matthew John TRIPOVICH AM CSC RAN, ACT

For distinguished service as Head Capability Systems and Chief Capability Development Group.

Vice Admiral Tripovich has made an enormous contribution to both the current and future performance and effectiveness of the Royal Australian Navy and the Australian Defence Force throughout his distinguished career. As Head Capability Systems and now Chief Capability Development Group he continually displayed outstanding leadership, integrity and dedication through a period of extraordinary change and development, culminating in the publication of the Defence White Paper of 2009. His leadership, vision and management of the Capability Development Group will have a profound impact on the operations and support of the Australian Defence Force far into the future.

Royal Australian Air Force

Air Marshal Mark Donald BINSKIN AM, ACT

For distinguished service to the Australian Defence Force in senior command and staff appointments.

Air Marshal Binskin has made an outstanding contribution to the Royal Australian Air Force and the Australian Defence Force throughout his distinguished career. In demanding senior command and staff appointments, his command, leadership and management abilities have been of the highest order. His consummate professionalism and exceptional dedication reflect great credit on him and the Royal Australian Air Force.