

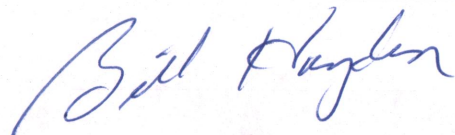
COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA
AUSTRALIAN SERVICE MEDAL REGULATIONS
DECLARATION UNDER REGULATION 3
DETERMINATION UNDER SUBREGULATION 4(2)

I, WILLIAM GEORGE HAYDEN, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, on the recommendation of the Minister of State for Defence Science and Personnel, hereby:

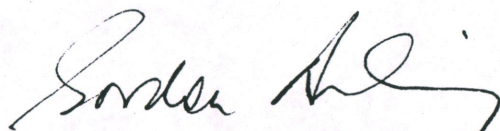
- (a) under regulation 3 of the Australian Service Regulations set out in the Schedule to Letters Patent dated 13 September 1988, declare the multinational military deployment in the Persian Gulf that in the period that commenced on 2 August 1990 to be a prescribed operation for the purposes of those Regulations; and
- (b) under subregulation 4(2) of those Regulations, determine that the conditions for the award of the Australian Service Medal in respect of that prescribed operation are:
 - (i) The Medal may be awarded to a member of the Australian Defence Force who rendered military service as such a member in the prescribed operational area of the Persian Gulf while posted to or serving in connection with the military deployment for a period commencing on or after 2 August 1990 and being a period of not less than an aggregate of 60 days;
 - (ii) the medal may be awarded to Australian Defence Force personnel who are serving on exchange or secondment with Foreign Defence Forces and who render military service in the prescribed operational area of the Persian Gulf while posted to or serving in connection with the military deployment and being a period of not less than an aggregate of 60 days;

- (iii) the qualifying period of service as described in subparagraph (b)(i) and (ii) may be deemed by the Chief of the Defence Force or his delegate to have been established notwithstanding that the member has been posted to or has served in the prescribed operational area of the Persian Gulf in connection with the military deployment for a period of less than an aggregate of 60 days commencing on or after 2 August 1990;
- (iv) the Medal shall be awarded to members qualifying under subparagraphs (b)(i) or (b)(ii) or (b) iii) with the clasp 'Kuwait';
- (v) the Chief of the Defence Force in exercising his discretion to deem under subparagraph (b)(iii) above shall take into account whether the member's service with the military deployment in the Persian Gulf:
 - (a) was terminated owing to death, evacuation owing to illness or injury or other disability due to service; or
 - (b) was terminated due to Government or Defence Force reasons;
 - (c) was terminated due to Foreign Government or Foreign Defence Force reasons; and
- (vi) is a reference to the operational area referred to in Clause 2 of Determination 3989 Gulf Allowance made under Section 58B of the Defence Act 1903.

Dated 20th November 1990


Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command


Minister of State for Defence Science and Personnel