



Elizabeth II

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God Queen of Australia and Her other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth:

TO ALL to whom these Presents shall come,

GREETING:

WHEREAS it is desirable that there be instituted another Australian medal for the purpose of according recognition to persons who render long and efficient service as members of the Defence Force and to certain other persons who render long and efficient service in association with the Defence Force:

KNOW YOU that We do, by these Presents, institute a medal to be called the Defence Long Service Medal:

AND WE DO ordain that the award of the Defence Long Service Medal is governed by the Regulations set out in the Schedule.

IN WITNESS whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent.

GIVEN under the Great Seal of Australia at Our Court at St James's on
26th May, 1998.

By Her Majesty's Command,

John Howard

Prime Minister

