

Schedule

Amendment of the National Medal Regulations 1999

[1] Regulation 24

substitute

24 Service in Papua New Guinea

- (1) A period of service given by a person in Papua New Guinea before 1 December 1973 may be counted for the purposes of regulation 16 or 17 as if it were a period of eligible service in an approved organisation if:
- (a) the service was:
 - (i) as a regular police officer in the Royal Papua New Guinea Constabulary; or
 - (ii) as a member of a PNG service organisation; and
 - (b) the service was of a kind mentioned in paragraphs 19 (1) (a), (b) and (c).

Note A period of service in Papua New Guinea before 1 December 1973 may only be counted as eligible service under r 16 if the person has also given at least 1 day of eligible service with an approved organisation (or more than 1 approved organisation):

- (a) on or after, 14 February 1975; and
- (b) on or after, the approval date of that approved organisation (or at least one of those approved organisations).

See para 16 (b).

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(2) In this regulation:

PNG service organisation means an organisation established by, or under the control of, the Papua New Guinea Administration (except a voluntary organisation) that is an ambulance service, correctional service, emergency service or fire service.