I, PETER COSGROVE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting on the recommendation of the Minister for Justice and the Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for Counter Terrorism, and under the Police Overseas Service Medal Regulations of 2007 and as amended in 2012, hereby;

1. declare, under regulation 3, the period of overseas capacity-building service undertaken by Australian police on duty in the Timor Leste Police Development Program, as being a period commencing not earlier than 1 July 2004 as prescribed service for the purposes of the Regulations.

2. determine, under sub regulation 4(2), that the conditions for the award for prescribed service in the Timor Leste Police Development Program are that the medal may be awarded to persons included in sub regulation 4(4)(b), who rendered prescribed service for:

   a. a period of 90 days;

   b. two or more periods that amount to 90 days; or

   c. a period less than 90 days if;

      i. the prescribed service was terminated because of the death of the member or person, illness or injury, or other disability due to service; or

      ii. the prescribed service was terminated for Government or law enforcement reasons.
3. For sub regulation 4(3), the clasp to the Medal, for a person qualifying under sub regulation 4(4)(b) is a clasp with "TLPDP" on it.

Dated 9th July 2016

By His Excellency's Command

Michael Keenan
Minister for Justice

Governor-General