

Government House Canberra ACT 2600

12 December 2012

It is notified for general information that the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia has approved certain conditions for the award of the *Australian Operational Service Medal - Civilian*, as detailed in the following Declarations and Determinations:



DECLARATION AND DETERMINATION UNDER THE AUSTRALIAN OPERATIONAL SERVICE MEDAL REGULATION 2012

I, QUENTIN ALICE LOUISE BRYCE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to the *Australian Operational Service Medal Regulation 2012* contained in the Schedule to Letters Patent dated 22 May 2012 ("the Regulations"), on the recommendation of the Minister for Defence, hereby:

- (a) **declare**, under regulation 3 of the Regulations, the following operations in which persons rendered service, in the area comprising East Timor and the sea adjacent to East Timor out to a distance of 12 nautical miles from the low water mark to be a *declared operation* for the purposes of the Regulations:
 - Operation TANAGER that commenced on 20 February 2000 and ended on 19 May 2002;
 - (ii) Operation CITADEL that commenced on 20 May 2002 and ended on 19 May 2004;
 - (iii) Operation SPIRE that commenced on 20 May 2004 and ended on 21 May 2005;
- (b) **determine**, under regulation 4 of the Regulations, that the conditions for award of the Australian Operational Service Medal (Civilian) with Clasp 'EAST TIMOR' ("the Medal") for that *declared operation* are that:
 - (i) the Medal may be awarded to a civilian, as defined under regulation 2 of the Regulations, who was employed for duty as such a person of the *declared* operation for a period of not less than an aggregate of 30 days;

AND PROVIDED THAT where a person does not complete the *prescribed period* for the award of the Medal required by subparagraph b(i) owing to his or her death, evacuation due to illness, injury or other disability due to service, the person will be deemed to have completed that *prescribed period*;

(c) **determine**, for the purposes of this determination, that a person is not eligible for an award of the Medal where an entitlement exists to another Australian medal for the same deployment.

Dated



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By Her Excellency's Command

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DAVID FEENEY Parliamentary Secretary for Defence

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DECLARATION AND DETERMINATION UNDER THE AUSTRALIAN OPERATIONAL SERVICE MEDAL REGULATION 2012

I, QUENTIN ALICE LOUISE BRYCE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to the *Australian Operational Service Medal Regulation 2012* contained in the Schedule to Letters Patent dated 22 May 2012 ("the Regulations"), on the recommendation of the Minister for Defence, hereby:

- (a) **declare**, under regulation 3 of the Regulations, the following operation in which persons rendered service, to be a *declared operation* for the purposes of the Regulations;
 - (i) Operation SLIPPER the Australian Defence Force contribution to the International Coalition Against Terrorism, that:
 - (A) for the period that commenced on 11 October 2001 and ended on 1 August 2002;

within the Diego Garcia land mass and territorial waters, plus airspace of Diego Garcia out to 250 nautical miles radius (from Reference Point 07°18.6' South Latitude, 72°24.6' East Longitude) or declared Air Defence Identification Zone, whichever is greater;

(B) (1) commenced on 11 October 2001 and ended on 30 July 2009 within the area bounded by:

48°00' North Latitude, 81°00' East Longitude 48°00' North Latitude, 35°00' East Longitude 12°00' North Latitude, 35°00' East Longitude 12°00' North Latitude, 81°00' East Longitude;

(2) commenced on 31 July 2009 and ended on 19 February 2012 within the area bounded by:

39°00' North Latitude, 78°00' East Longitude 39°00' North Latitude, 32°00' East Longitude 05°00' South Latitude, 32°00' East Longitude 05°00' South Latitude, 78°00' East Longitude; (3) commenced on 20 February 2012 within the area bounded by :

39°00' North Latitude, 32°00' East Longitude 39°00' North Latitude, 78°00' East Longitude 23°00' North Latitude, 78°00' East Longitude 23°00' North Latitude, 68°00' East Longitude 11°00' South Latitude, 68°00' East Longitude 11°00' South Latitude, 38°00' East Longitude 17°00' North Latitude, 38°00' East Longitude 17°00' North Latitude, 32°00' East Longitude

- (b) **determine**, under regulation 4 of the Regulations, that the conditions for award of the Australian Operational Service Medal (Civilian) with Clasp 'ICAT' ("the Medal") for that *declared operation* are that:
 - (i) the Medal may be awarded to a civilian, as defined under regulation 2 of the Regulations, who was employed for duty as such a person of the *declared* operation for a period of not less than an aggregate of 30 days;

AND PROVIDED THAT where a person does not complete the *prescribed period* for the award of the Medal required by subparagraphs b(i) owing to his or her death, evacuation due to illness, injury or other disability due to service, the person will be deemed to have completed that *prescribed period*;

(c) **determine**, for the purposes of this determination, that a person is not eligible for an award of the Medal where an entitlement exists to another Australian medal for the same deployment.

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DAVID FEENEY Parliamentary Secretary for Defence



DECLARATION AND DETERMINATION UNDER THE AUSTRALIAN OPERATIONAL SERVICE MEDAL REGULATION 2012

1, **QUENTIN ALICE LOUISE BRYCE**, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to the *Australian Operational Service Medal Regulation 2012* contained in the Schedule to Letters Patent dated 22 May 2012 ("the Regulations"), on the recommendation of the Minister for Defence, **hereby**:

- (a) **declare**, under regulation 3 of the Regulations, the following operations in which persons rendered service, to be a *declared operation* for the purposes of the Regulations;
 - (i) Operation FALCONER that commenced on 18 March 2003 and ended on 22 July 2003 in the specified areas comprising the following:
 - 38°00' North Latitude, 68°00' East Longitude 38°00' North Latitude, 32°00' East Longitude 10°00' North Latitude, 32°00' East Longitude 10°00' North Latitude, 68°00' East Longitude;
 - (ii) Operation CATALYST that commenced on 16 July 2003 and ended on 31 July 2009 in the area comprising the total land areas, territorial waters, internal waterways and superjacent airspace boundaries of Iraq, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia north of 23 degrees North latitude, the Persian Gulf and the Strait of Hormuz;
- (b) **determine**, under regulation 4 of the Regulations, that the conditions for award of the Australian Operational Service Medal (Civilian) with Clasp 'IRAQ 2003' ("the Medal") for that *declared operation* are that:
 - (i) the Medal may be awarded to a civilian, as defined under regulation 2 of the Regulations, who was employed for duty as such a person of the *declared* operation for a period of not less than an aggregate of 30 days;

AND PROVIDED THAT where a person does not complete the *prescribed period* for the award of the Medal required by subparagraph b(i) owing to his or her death, evacuation due to illness, injury or other disability due to service, the person will be deemed to have completed that *prescribed period*;

(c) **determine**, for the purposes of this determination, that a person is not eligible for an award of the Medal where an entitlement exists to another Australian medal for the same deployment.

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Parliamentary Secretary for Defence



DECLARATION AND DETERMINATION UNDER THE AUSTRALIAN OPERATIONAL SERVICE MEDAL REGULATION 2012

I, QUENTIN ALICE LOUISE BRYCE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to the *Australian Operational Service Medal Regulation 2012* contained in the Schedule to Letters Patent dated 22 May 2012 ("the Regulations"), on the recommendation of the Minister for Defence, hereby:

- (a) declare, under regulation 3 of the Regulations, the following operation in which persons rendered service, in the area comprising the total land area, territorial waters and superjacent airspace of the Solomon Islands to be a *declared operation* for the purposes of the Regulations;
 - (i) Operation ANODE that commenced on 24 July 2003;
- (b) **determine**, under regulation 4 of the Regulations, that the conditions for award of the Australian Operational Service Medal (Civilian) with Clasp 'SOLOMON IS II' ("the Medal") for that *declared operation* are that:
 - (i) the Medal may be awarded to a civilian, as defined under regulation 2 of the Regulations, who was employed for duty as such a person of the *declared* operation for a period of not less than an aggregate of 30 days;

AND PROVIDED THAT where a person does not complete the *prescribed period* for the award of the Medal required by subparagraph b(i) owing to his or her death, evacuation due to illness, injury or other disability due to service, the person will be deemed to have completed that *prescribed period*;

(c) **determine**, for the purposes of this determination, that a person is not eligible for an award of the Medal where an entitlement exists to another Australian medal for the same deployment.

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DAVID FEENEY Parliamentary Secretary for Defence



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I, QUENTIN ALICE LOUISE BRYCE, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to the *Australian Operational Service Medal Regulation 2012* contained in the Schedule to Letters Patent dated 22 May 2012 ("the Regulations"), on the recommendation of the Minister for Defence, hereby:

- (a) declare, under regulation 3 of the Regulations, the following operation in which persons rendered service, in the area comprising Timor-Leste and the sea adjacent to Timor-Leste out to a distance of 12 nautical miles from the low water mark to be a *declared operation* for the purposes of the Regulations;
 - (i) Operation ASTUTE that commenced on 12 May 2006;
- (b) **determine**, under regulation 4 of the Regulations, that the conditions for award of the Australian Operational Service Medal (Civilian) with Clasp 'TIMOR-LESTE' ("the Medal") for that *declared operation* are that:
 - (i) the Medal may be awarded to a civilian, as defined under regulation 2 of the Regulations, who was employed for duty as such a person of the *declared* operation for a period of not less than an aggregate of 30 days;

AND PROVIDED THAT where a person does not complete the *prescribed period* for the award of the Medal required by subparagraph (i) owing to his or her death, evacuation due to illness, injury or other disability due to service, the person will be deemed to have completed that *prescribed period*;

(c) **determine**, for the purposes of this determination, that a person is not eligible for an award of the Medal where an entitlement exists to another Australian medal for the same deployment.

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