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The Governor-General is pleased to announce the following awards for distinguished service in Somalia:

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS (DSC)

Awarded the Distinguished Service Cross

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Lieutenant Colonel David John HURLEY

28 West Street, Mundingburra Qld 4812

For distinguished command and leadership as Commanding Officer, 1st Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment, Group in Somalia.

Colonel William Julian Andrew MELLOR, AM, ADC

16 Shaldon Street, The Gap Qld 4061

For distinguished command and leadership as Commander, Australian Force Somalia

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL (DSM)

Awarded the Distinguished Service Medal

Corporal Thomas Alexander AITKEN

23 Madden Parade, Singleton Heights NSW 2330

For distinguished leadership as a section commander in C Company 1st Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment Group in Somalia during Operation SOLACE.

COMMENDATION FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

Awarded the Commendation for Distinguished Service

Private Christopher Joseph DAY

C Company Lines, 1 Battalion RAR, Lavarack Barracks, Townsville Qld 4813

For distinguished performance of duties as a patrol signaller in Baidoa, Somalia during Operation SOLACE.

Captain Stuart James DODDS

22 Hender Street, Bayswater North Vic 3153

For distinguished performance of duties as Officer Commanding Mortar Platoon, 1st Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment in Somalia

Corporal Phillip John MARTIN

1st Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment, Coral Lines, Lavarack Barracks, Townsville Qld 4813

For distinguished leadership as a section commander in D Company 1st Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment in Somalia during Operation SOLACE.

Major David Gordon McKASKILL

B Sqn 314 Cavalry Regiment, Lavarack Barracks, Townsville Qld 4813

For distinguished performance of duty as Officer Commanding B Squadron, 3rd/4th Cavalry Regiment during Operation SOLACE.

Major Michael John MOON

School of Infantry, Lone Pine Barracks, Milpo Singleton NSW 2330

For distinguished leadership as Officer Commanding C Company, 1st Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment Group in Somalia.

Major Richard Hugh STANHOPE

Canadian Forces Staff College, Toronto Canada

For distinguished performance of duty as Officer Commanding the Civil-Military Operations Team in Baidoa, Somalia.

By His Excellency's Command,

Douglas Sturkey
Official Secretary to
the Governor-General



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