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AWARDS ARISING FROM SERVICE IN EAST TIMOR

The Governor-General is pleased to announce the following appointments and awards for operational service in East Timor, and for service in support of the operations conducted there:

COMPANION (AC) IN THE MILITARY DIVISION OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Major General Peter John COSGROVE, AM, MC
"The Bungalow", Victoria Barracks, Paddington NSW 2021
For eminent service to the Australian Defence Force as the Commander of the International Force East Timor.

OFFICER (AO) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA

Mr Alan James MILLS, AM, APM
Canberra ACT 2600
For distinguished service as the Commissioner of the Civilian Police Contingent of the United Nations Assistance Mission in East Timor overseeing security of the consultation ballot.

OFFICER (AO) IN THE MILITARY DIVISION OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Major General Andrew James MOLAN, AM
"Birdwood House", 9 Taurama Street, Enoggera Qld 4051
For distinguished service to the Australian Defence Force as the Head of the Australian Defence Staff in Jakarta during the Indonesian and East Timor crises.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS (DSC)

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Lieutenant Colonel Stephen Julian DAY
39 Redwood Avenue, Kirwan Qld 4817
For distinguished command and leadership of the 3rd Combat Engineer Regiment during the deployment and operational phases of *Operation WARDEN.*

Brigadier Mark EVANS, AM
Jezzine House, Jezzine Barracks, North Ward Qld 4810
For distinguished command and leadership as the Commander of the 3rd Brigade during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Lieutenant Colonel Simon Charles GOULD
41 Lakes Crescent, North Lakes NT 0812
For distinguished command and leadership as the Commanding Officer of the 5th/7th Battalion (Mechanized), the Royal Australian Regiment, with the International Force East Timor.

Lieutenant Colonel Timothy Joseph McOWAN, CSM
1 Seaward Avenue, Swanbourne WA 6010
For distinguished command and leadership as the Commanding Officer of the Response Force Component, and as the Special Operations Component Commander at the Headquarters of the International Force East Timor.

Lieutenant Colonel Michael David SLATER, CSC
10 Glebe Place, Kirwan Qld 4817
For distinguished command and leadership of the 2nd Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, during the deployment and operational phases of *Operation WARDEN.*

Lieutenant Colonel Nicholas Warrick WELCH
10 Bibury Close, Chipping Norton NSW 2170
For distinguished command and leadership of the 3rd Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, during the deployment and operational phases of *Operation WARDEN.*

MEMBER (AM) IN THE MILITARY DIVISION OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Commander Daryl Wayne BATES, RAN
Residence C, 2-4 Wylde Street, Potts Point NSW 2011
For exceptional service to the Australian Defence Force as the Chief of Staff at the Deployable Joint Force Headquarters – Maritime with the International Force East Timor.

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Member (AM) in the Military Division of the Order of Australia (continued)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY (continued)

Commodore James Richard STAPLETON, RAN
Residence F, Wylde Street, Potts Point NSW 2011
For exceptional service to the Australian Defence Force in the field of Maritime Operations in East Timor.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Lieutenant Colonel Donald Cyril COUSINS
23 Castlecor Street, Ferny Grove Qld 4055
For exceptional service to the Australian Defence Force as the Staff Officer Grade One Personnel and Logistics at the Headquarters of the International Force East Timor during *Operation WARDEN*.

Lieutenant Colonel Quentin Lloyd FLOWERS
6 Macedon Street, Wavell Heights Qld 4012
For exceptional service to the Australian Defence Force as the Staff Officer Grade One Operations at the Deployable Joint Force Headquarters and Headquarters of the International Force East Timor.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

Air Commodore Roxley Kenneth McLENNAN
Richmond House, RAAF Base, Richmond NSW 2755
For exceptional service to the Australian Defence Force as the Air Component Commander and Commander of the Australian Contingent for the International Force East Timor during *Operation WARDEN*.

CONSPICUOUS SERVICE CROSS (CSC)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Lieutenant Commander Jonathan Burs DUDLEY, RAN
13 Little Street, Fannie Bay NT 0820
For outstanding achievement as the Commanding Officer of HMA Ships JERVIS BAY and GEELONG.

Commander Leslie Vaughn RIXON, RAN
16 Sherringham Crescent, Durack NT 0830
For outstanding achievement as the Commanding Officer of HMA Ships JERVIS BAY amd GLADSTONE.

Lieutenant Commander Geoffrey Leonard TURNER, RAN
4 Serenoa Court, Warnbro WA 6169
For outstanding achievement in providing garrison support in Darwin to enable the timely deployment of Australian and international forces to East Timor.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Warrant Officer Class Two Audrey BREW
C/- DNSDC, Moorebank Avenue, Moorebank NSW 2170
For outstanding achievement as the Manager of Technical Supplies, General Equipment, within the Materiel Operations Branch of the Defence National Storage and Distribution Centre, in support of *Operation WARDEN*.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

Flight Lieutenant Richard John ALBERTS
Officers' Mess, RAAF Base, Glenbrook NSW 2773
For outstanding achievement as the Air Movements Officer in support of Australian and international air operations staging through, and based in, RAAF Darwin.

Group Captain Grahame Vincent CARROLL
5 Cullen Avenue, RAAF Base, Richmond NSW 2755
For outstanding achievement as the Joint Special Operations Air Component Commander, Joint Task Force Number 504, during the air evacuation from East Timor.

Wing Commander Alan James COOK
9 Rumbalara Crescent, RAAF Base, Darwin NT 0820
For outstanding achievement in supporting Australian and international operations staging through, and based in, Darwin.

Wing Commander Christopher Joseph McHUGH
Annandale Qld 4814
For outstanding achievement as the Officer Commanding, Combat Support Force, Townsville in providing support to East Timor operations.

BAR TO THE CONSPICUOUS SERVICE CROSS (CSC and Bar)

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Colonel Kenneth Allan BROWNRIGG, CSC
88 Inglis Street, Mulwala NSW 2647
For outstanding achievement as the Army Attaché in Indonesia during the East Timor crisis.

NURSING SERVICE CROSS (NSC)

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Staff Sergeant Kim FELMINGHAM
C/- 1st Joint Support Unit, Gallipoli Barracks, Enoggera Qld 4052
For outstanding devotion and competency in providing medical treatment to vehicle accident casualties on 14 January 2000 while on *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

Corporal Wayne Bradley McKENNA
53 V.R.D. Drive, Leanyer NT 0812
For outstanding devotion and competency in the performance of medical duties with the 1st Combat Service Support Team in East Timor.

MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY (MG)

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Sergeant Steven ODDY
C/- Campbell Barracks, Swanbourne WA 6010
For gallantry on 16 October 1999 while leading a patrol in the vicinity of Aidabasalala, East Timor, during *Operation WARDEN*.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL (DSM)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Lieutenant Commander Peter Reginald TEDMAN, RAN
192 Riseley Street, Booragoon WA 6154
For distinguished leadership as the Commanding Officer of the Clearance Diving Team Four during *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Major Stephen James GRACE
18/112 Port Hacking Road, Sylvania NSW 2224
For distinguished leadership as a Rifle Company Commander during operations with the International Force East Timor.

Captain Jonathan Graham HAWKINS
C/- Campbell Barracks, Swanbourne WA 6010
For distinguished leadership as a Troop Commander during *Operaton WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major James Francis McMAHON
220 Hamersley Road, Subiaco WA 6008
For distinguished leadership as an Officer Commanding during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Corporal Paul John TEONG
C/- 2nd Battalion, Lavarack Barracks, Townsville Qld 4813
For distinguished leadership as a Section Commander, 8 Platoon, during contact with opposing militia at Motaain in East Timor on 10 October 1999.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

Squadron Leader John David LEO
7 Murphy Street, Ipswich Qld 4305
For distinguished leadership as the Commanding Officer of No 2 Airfield Defence Squadron at Komoro, East Timor.

MEDAL (OAM) OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA IN THE MILITARY DIVISION

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Warrant Officer Class Two Robert Thomas McCABE
Perth WA 6000
For meritorious service to the Australian Defence Force with the Response Force in East Timor during *Operation WARDEN.*

Chaplain Grade Two Graeme John RAMSDEN
1 Banek Place, Everton Hills Qld 4053
For meritorious service to the Australian Defence Force as the Chaplain of the 1st Joint Support Unit and Deputy Senior Chaplain of the Deployable Joint Force Headquarters during *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

Flight Lieutenant (Chaplain) Ross John NAYLOR
Officers' Mess, RAAF Base, Williamtown NSW 2314
For meritorious service to the Australian Defence Force in the performance of chaplaincy duties with the International Force East Timor.

CONSPICUOUS SERVICE MEDAL (CSM)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Lieutenant Commander Paul Jeremy MULCAHY, RAN
48 Park Road, Burwood NSW 2134
For outstanding service as the Staff Officer Grade Two Plans at the Headquarters of the 1st Joint Movements Group, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Captain Noel William HENDERSON
Australian Embassy, Jakarta, Locked Bag 40, Kingston ACT 2600
For outstanding service in providing support for operations in East Timor.

Warrant Officer Class Two Wayne Anthony KEARNEY
Australian Embassy, Jakarta, Locked Bag 40, Kingston ACT 2600
For outstanding service as an assistant to the Army Attaché in Indonesia during the East Timor crisis.

Major David James MOON
3 Nurses Walk, Larrakeyah NT 0820
For outstanding service as the Civil Military Liaison Officer at Headquarters Northern Command.

Warrant Officer Class Two Leanne Elizabeth NIMMO
Australian Embassy, Jakarta, Locked Bag 40, Kingston ACT 2600
For outstanding service as an assistant to the Army Attaché in Indonesia during the East Timor crisis.

Warrant Officer Class Two Stephen Michael ROBINSON
12 Piccabeen Grove, Durack NT 0830
For outstanding service in the field of Logistics in support of *Operation WARDEN* and *Operation SAFE HAVEN.*

Sergeant Kerry WALSH
409 Stuart Drive, Wulguru Qld 4811
For outstanding service as the Local Purchase Officer at the Force Support Group in Darwin in support of *Operations SPITFIRE, WARDEN* and *STABILISE.*

Warrant Officer Class Two Sandra Fay WILSON
C/- Joint Movement Control Office Darwin, Larrakeyah Barracks, Larrakeyah NT 0820
For outstanding service as the Warrant Officer Operations and Plans at the Joint Movement Control Office Darwin.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

Squadron Leader Robert Stephen BARNES
78 Ragless Circuit, Kambah ACT 2902
For outstanding service as the Officer-In-Charge of the Logistics Services Flight at No 323 Combat Support Squadron in support of operations in East Timor.

Conspicuous Service Medal (CSM) (continued)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE (continued)

Group Captain Brenton Paul CROWHURST
5 Tukara Road, South Penrith NSW 2750
For outstanding service as the Base Commander at RAAF Base Tindal in support of operations in East Timor.

Squadron Leader John Raymond HEINRICH
43 Conway Street, Queanbeyan NSW 2620
For outstanding service as the Officer-In-Charge of the Development Flight at No 92 Wing during *Operations SPITFIRE, WARDEN* and *STABILISE*.

Warrant Officer Alexander HYNDMAN
15 Roney Court, Katherine NT 0850
For outstanding service to the Australian Defence Force during *Operation SPITFIRE* and *Operation WARDEN*.

Flying Officer Paul William SAKER
7 Serrata Court, Kirwan Qld 4817
For outstanding service as the Officer-In-Charge of the 395 Expeditionary Combat Support Wing Detachment B in support of Royal Australian Air Force personnel deployed to East Timor.

COMMENDATION FOR GALLANTRY

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Able Seaman Justin James BROWN
26 McGuire Mews, Rockingham WA 6168
For gallantry during a reconnaissance of an amphibious landing site in East Timor on the night of 21 October 1999.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Trooper Brook BURGESS
PO Box 2089, Claremont WA 6010
For gallantry in providing medical support to two wounded fellow soldiers while under fire with the International Force East Timor on 6 October 1999.

COMMENDATION FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Chief Petty Officer Peter Andrew HANCOCK, CSC
27 Newman Crescent, HMAS HARMAN ACT 2600
For distinguished performance of duties as the Senior Radio Communications specialist for the International Force East Timor Naval Component during *Operation STABILISE*.

Lieutenant Commander Terrence Joseph O'CONNOR, RAN
13 Delta View Close, Freshwater Qld 4870
For distinguished performance of duties as the Port Control Officer and Deputy Harbour Master during *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

Commander Robert Wayne RICHARDS, RAN
12 Gelea Crescent, Vermont South Vic 3133
For distinguished performance of duties as the Supply Officer of HMAS SUCCESS during *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

Lieutenant Commander Andrew Phillip RUSHBROOK, RAN
308/9 William Street, North Sydney NSW 2060
For distinguished performance of duties as the Flight Commander of HMAS SYDNEY with the International Force East Timor.

Able Seaman Simon Jason SMITH
15 Murphy Way, Warnbro WA 6169
For distinguished performance of duties as part of the Australian Clearance Diving Team Four Detachment within the International Force East Timor.

Commander Vincent Morris THOMPSON, CSC, RAN
33 Edenholme Road, Five Dock NSW 2046
For distinguished performance of duties as the Commanding Officer of HMAS TOBRUK and as the Commander of Task Unit 627.1.4 during *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY

Major Michael Charles ASHLEIGH
7 Woodhouse Court, Annandale Qld 4814
For distinguished performance of duties as the Office-in-Charge of the Battalion Support Group, 3rd Brigade Administrative Support Battalion, during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Corporal Andrew William CAMERON
25 Field Street, Beaconsfield WA 6162
For distinguished performance of duties as a Patrol Commander during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Colonel Grant Douglas CAVENAGH, AM
221 Whitehorse Road, Balwyn Vic 3103
For distinguished performance of duties as the Commander of the Force Logistics Support Group during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major Christopher Antony FIELD
C/- 2nd Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, Lavarack Barracks, Townsville Qld 4813
For distinguished performance of duties as the Operations Officer of the 2nd Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, whilst in East Timor.

Major Marcus Conrad FIELDING
9 Cargoon Court, Annandale Qld 4814
For distinguished performance of duties as the Brigade Major of the Headquarters of the 3rd Brigade during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major Graeme William FINNEY
49 Point Lonsdale Road, Point Lonsdale Vic 3225
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer Commanding of the Civil Military Liaison Team, 5th/7th Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, whilst in East Timor.

Commendation for Distinguished Service
(continued)

AUSTRALIAN ARMY (continued)

Captain Neil Jeffery GLASSON
C/- 8th Combat Engineer Regiment, Newcastle Training Depot, Military Road, Adamstown NSW 2289
For distinguished performance of duties as the Troop Commander of the 15 Field Troop, 18 Field Squadron, 3rd Combat Engineer Regiment, during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major Robert Charles HAMILTON
111 Glaneuse Road, Point Lonsdale Vic 3225
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer Commanding of Bravo Company, 2nd Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Corporal Lee-Ann McCLENAHAN
HMAS KANIMBLA, C/- Carrington Post Office, Carrington NSW 2294
For distinguished performance of duties as a Section Commander in 72 Terminal Troop, 10th Force Support Battalion, during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Warrant Officer Class Two William Patrick MAHER
C/- Campbell Barracks, Swanbourne WA 6010
For distinguished performance of duties as a Patrol Commander during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major Michael Allan ROZZOLI
C/- 5/7 RAR (Mech), Robertson Barracks, Palmerston NT 0830
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer Commanding of Charlie Company, 5th/7th Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major Andrew Crosby SHEGOG
14 Sonata Place, Kirwan Qld 4817
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer Commanding of the 103rd Signals Squadron during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Lance Corporal Jason Raymond STAGG
C/- 5/7 RAR (Mech), Robertson Barracks, Palmerston NT 0830
For distinguished performance of duties as the acting Section Commander of Callsign 43C, 5th/7th Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, in East Timor.

Sergeant Stephen Michael STARKOFF
C/- 5/7 RAR (Mech), Robertson Barracks, Palmerston NT 0830
For distinguished performance of duties as the Platoon Sergeant of 7 Platoon, 5th/7th Battalion, the Royal Australian Regiment, in East Timor.

Major Peter Charles STEEL
C/- RAAF Base, Townsville Qld 4813
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer Commanding of the 5th Aviation Squadron Group, 5th Aviation Regiment, during *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

Lieutenant Colonel Neil Alan TURTON
C/- United States Army Aviation Centre, Fort Rucker, Alabama 36362 USA
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer Commanding of the 162nd Reconnaissance Squadron during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Warrant Officer Class Two Douglas Norman WARD
C/- 3 BASB, Field Supply Company, Lavarack Barracks Townsville Qld 4813
For distinguished performance of duties as the Technical Warrant Officer within the Field Supply element of the 3rd Brigade Administrative Support Battalion during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major Christopher Andrew WEBSDANE
C/- Army Headquarters, Russell Offices, Canberra ACT 2600
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer Commanding of C Squadron, 2nd Cavalry Regiment, during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Major John Christopher WILSON
C/- Land Headquarters, Victoria Barracks, Paddington NSW 2021
For distinguished performance of duties in the planning and installation of the commercial telecommunications network in support of *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

Corporal Leighton Barnet WILSON
C/- 1 CSSB, Robertson Barracks, Palmerston NT 0830
For distinguished performance of duties as the acting Workshop Sergeant and Section Commander of the 1st Combat Service Support Team, and as the Maintenance Section Commander, during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

Squadron Leader George Anton CHRISTIANSON
10 Bilberry Street, Kirwan Qld 4817
For distinguished performance of duties as the Officer-in-Charge of the Operations Support Flight, 381 Expeditionary Combat Support Squadron, at Komoro Airfield during *Operation WARDEN* in East Timor.

Warrant Officer Gregory Michael HARRINGTON
C/- No 3 RAAF Hospital, RAAF Base, Richmond NSW 2755
For distinguished performance of duties as the environmental health specialist deployed to East Timor.

Wing Commander Stephen Leslie SPENCER
C/- RAAF Base, Richmond NSW 2755
For distinguished performance of duties in the provision of air support to *Operation WARDEN* and *Operation STABILISE* in East Timor.

MERITORIOUS UNIT CITATION

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Task Unit 645.1.1
For sustained outstanding service in warlike operations in support of the International Force East Timor during *Operation STABILISE.*

Meritorious Unit Citation (continued)

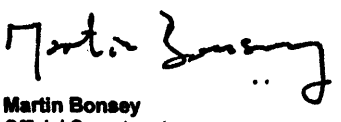
AUSTRALIAN ARMY

3 Squadron Group, the Special Air Service Regiment
For sustained outstanding service in warlike operations as the Special Air Service Regiment of the Response Force for *Operation WARDEN*.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

No 2 Airfield Defence Squadron
For sustained outstanding service in warlike operations in support of the International Force East Timor during *Operation WARDEN and Operation STABILISE*.

By His Excellency's Command



Martin Bonsey
Official Secretary to
the Governor-General

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