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TUESDAY, 12TH OCTOBER 1976

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

HONOURS AND AWARDS

NAVY DEPARTMENT

Whitehall, London S.W.1.  
 Tuesday, 12th October 1976.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the publication of the name of one Mention in Despatches in recognition of distinguished service in Northern Ireland during the period 1st February 1976 to 30th April 1976.

*Mention in Despatches*

PO27283S Corporal Robert Grierson GIBSON, Royal Marines.

ARMY DEPARTMENT

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS  
 OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.  
 12th October 1976.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give Orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of distinguished services in Northern Ireland during the period 1st February-30th April 1976:

*To be an Additional Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Lieutenant-Colonel Patrick Frank Blair HARGRAVE (431873), The Worcestershire and Sherwood Foresters Regiment (29th/45th Foot).

*To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Major Laurence Harvey BROWN (471210), Royal Corps of Transport.

Major Richard Morgan LLEWELLYN (450929), The Royal Welch Fusiliers.  
 Captain (Acting Major) Hedley LOCK, B.E.M. (488676), Intelligence Corps.  
 Lieutenant-Colonel Michael Anthony PARISH (463563), Corps of Royal Military Police.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS  
 OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.  
 12th October 1976.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the Queen's Gallantry Medal to the under-mentioned in recognition of services in Northern Ireland during the period 1st February-30th April 1976:

24030927 Sergeant Philip Bruce THACKER, The Worcestershire and Sherwood Foresters Regiment (29th/45th Foot).

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS  
 OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.  
 12th October 1976.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) to the undermentioned in recognition of meritorious service in Northern Ireland during the period 1st February-30th April 1976:

23827062 Corporal (acting Sergeant) Alexander Donaldson INNES, Royal Corps of Signals.

Whitehall, London S.W.1.  
 12th October 1976.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the awards of the Military Cross, the Military Medal and for the publication of the names of those Mentioned in Despatches in recognition of distinguished service in Northern

Ireland during the period 1st February 1976-30th April 1976:

*Awarded the Military Cross for gallant service:*

Captain Richard John LEES (484896), The Worcestershire and Sherwood Foresters Regiment (29th/45th Foot).

*Awarded the Military Medal for bravery:*

23730966 Private Robert BUCHANAN, The Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment).

*Mention in Despatches:*

Captain Karl Phillip Allardyce BARCLAY (488384), The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders (Princess Louise's).

Major Eric Hugh BARKER (463307), Corps of Royal Engineers.

24129296 Sergeant Barry Keath BARNES, The Queen's Lancashire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Cecil Vaughan BILES, M.B.E. (445793), Royal Horse Artillery.

24154267 Corporal David BRADLEY, The Parachute Regiment.

Major Angus Edward Francis COWAN (461402), The Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment).

Major Jeremy John Douglas COX (475124), Scots Guards.

Lieutenant (Acting Captain) Diana Francis DAVIES (496096), Women's Royal Army Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Phillip Middleton DAVIES, O.B.E. (462864), The Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment).

Captain John Arthur Clarence DEAKIN (485711), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Captain Howard Neil FAIRMAN (488429), Royal Horse Artillery.

24117483 Corporal James Trainer Gibson GILLIES, The Worcestershire and Sherwood Foresters Regiment (29th/45th Foot).

23909060 Sergeant John David Alexander LINTON, The Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment).

23166568 Warrant Officer Class 2 John OAKLEY, The Queen's Regiment.

22352656 Warrant Officer Class 2 John William PONTING, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel Jeremy David RAILTON (427223), 1st The Queen's Dragoon Guards.

24053823 Corporal Christopher John RODZIEWICZ, The Queen's Regiment.

23685256 Staff Sergeant David Spence ROY, The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders (Princess Louise's).

Lieutenant Robert Logan SCOTT-BOWDEN (498193), The Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment).

24253816 Lance Bombardier Barry SMITH, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

24257441 Private Victor Robert Michael SMITH, The Parachute Regiment.

Major Charles Anthony Gilbert WELLS (467645), 15th/19th The King's Royal Hussars.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Ian WIRGMAN (393328), The Royal Highland Fusiliers (Princess Margaret's Own Glasgow and Ayrshire Regiment).

Captain (Acting Major) Peter Leslie William WOOD (479390), Army Air Corps.

Major Ronald Bruce Hayward YOUNG (472655), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

## AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London SW1A 1BG.

12th October 1976.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition, during the period 1st February to 30th April 1976, of distinguished service in Northern Ireland:

*To be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Squadron Leader Reginald George HARRIS (3524391), Royal Air Force.

Whitehall, London SW1A 2HB.

12th October 1976.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following award in recognition, during the period 1st February to 30th April 1976, of gallant and distinguished service in Northern Ireland:

#### *Air Force Cross*

Squadron Leader James CLARKSON (4232493), Royal Air Force.

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