teeth. Covered in blood and suffering under the weight and position of his Officer, Fireman Taylor's breathing also became restricted as he too became trapped as a result of his cramped position. He was administered oxygen by ambulance personnel. The rescue operation took approximately 30 minutes before the two injured men and Fireman Taylor were rescued. The Officer made a good recovery but the driver died later in hospital.

Fireman Taylor, with total disregard for his own safety, displayed gallantry of a high order and selfless devotion to duty, when, during the rescue operation of two seriously injured and trapped colleagues in an overturned fire appliance, he assisted both men and remained with them until rescued, refusing to leave when a fire broke out in the cabin. The risk of fire spread was high due to the substantial spillage of diesel fuel and brake fluid resulting from the accident.

QUEEN'S COMMENDATION FOR BRAVE CONDUCT

Peter Linden Keys, Sergeant, Northern Ireland Airports Constabulary.

For Bravery in Northern Ireland.

Alan James KNAPP, Detective Sergeant, Metropolitan Police.

For services in pursuing an armed robber, following an attempted hold up of a security van. During the chase, the gunman stopped, turned and shot at the officer to escape arrest. Detective Sergeant Knapp later apprehended and arrested the gunman after knocking him off his motorcycle, during a second chase.

Robert Ian MURRAY, Sergeant, Greater Manchester Police.

For services in disarming and arresting a man armed with a handgun, during an attempted robbery at a bank.

Patrick Richard Phelan, Detective Constable, Metropolitan Police.

For services in pursuing two robbers, one armed with a handgun who turned and threatened the officer, as both men made their escape, following a raid on a post office. Assisted by other police officers, Constable Phelan continued the search, arresting and detaining the men who were found hiding close by.

Miss Helen Maria Pope, Accident and Emergency Sister, Southend General Hospital.

For services in administering first aid to a badly injured motorist, following an accident and before the arrival of the emergency services. The motorist's vehicle was in danger of catching fire and rolling down an embankment.

Matthew Joseph Powell-Bristow, Sergeant, Surrey Constabulary.

Richard John Wood, Station Officer, Surrey Ambulance Service. Boienaw RAIKUMAR, Constable, Surrey Constabulary.

For services in rescuing, arresting and detaining a man, following a violent struggle, when he threatened to jump from the roof of a house.

John Michael Ryan, Constable, Northumbria Police.

For services in disarming and arresting a man armed with a rifle who had threatened to shoot the officer.

TAM Ting-kai, Constable, Royal Hong Kong Police Force.

For services in pursuing an armed man following a robbery at a jewellery company. During the chase, the robber turned and fired several shots at Constable Tam who, undeterred continued the chase, returned fire on one occasion and arrested and detained the gunman with the help of other officers.

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