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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St James's Palace, London SW1

29th October 2002

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in and appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Northern Ireland during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

Order of the British Empire

(Military Division)

ARMY

OBE

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

Lieutenant Colonel Ian William SMITH, MBE (504508),
The Parachute Regiment.

MBE

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

Major Mark William George ADAMS (531832), Royal
Corps of Signals.

Major Alan William BARBONE (514047), Army Air Corps.
24652671 Warrant Officer Class 2 Blaine Mark BRADBURY,
The Royal Gloucestershire, Berkshire and Wiltshire
Regiment.

24504418 Warrant Officer Class 2 Stanley Christopher
CHAPMAN, Corps of Royal Engineers.

24521742 Colour Sergeant (Acting Warrant Officer
Class 2) Edward Patrick COEN, The Royal Scots.

24041041 Warrant Officer Class 2 Joseph Shields
MCMURRAY, The Queen's Royal Lancers.

Major Nicholas Paul SHORT (520713), The Royal
Gloucestershire, Berkshire and Wiltshire Regiment.

24652650 Warrant Officer Class 2 Gary TAIT, The
Royal Scots.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Northern Ireland during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

Queen's Gallantry Medal

QGM

24676150 Colour Sergeant Brian Leyton ALLEN, The
Parachute Regiment.

24592882 Warrant Officer Class 2 Nigel Owen HOPKINS,
The Royal Logistic Corps.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

Whitehall, London SW1

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following as having been Mentioned in Despatches, Commended for Bravery or Commended for Valuable Service in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Northern Ireland during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

ROYAL NAVY

Queen's Commendation for Bravery

Leading Seaman (Diver) (Local Acting Petty Officer (Diver)) Paul Mark HURSTHOUSE, D208848N.

ARMY

Mention in Despatches

24900778 Corporal Scott Samuel Alexander HENDERSON, The King's Own Scottish Borderers.
25086169 Fusilier Robert John JOLLY, The Royal Highland Fusiliers.

Queen's Commendation for Bravery

25082787 Lance Corporal Steven MacDonald Reekie SKINNER, The Royal Scots.
24660962 Warrant Officer Class 2 Mark David TAYLOR, The Royal Welch Fusiliers.
24862650 Staff Sergeant Garth Edward THOMPSON, Intelligence Corps.

Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service

Major Allan BARNES (541826), Coldstream Guards.
Lieutenant Colonel Edward David BROWN, MBE (508148), The Royal Gloucestershire, Berkshire and Wiltshire Regiment.
Captain Kenneth CAMPBELL (551511), The King's Own Scottish Borderers.
Lieutenant Colonel John Mark CASTLE (508821), The King's Own Scottish Borderers.
24536756 Warrant Officer Class 1 Andrew Peter CLARK, The Royal Logistic Corps.
Lieutenant Colonel Timothy Thomas Cyril COLLINS (513997), The Royal Irish Regiment.
25042072 Lance Corporal Nicky ELLIOTT, The Royal Logistic Corps.
24489892 Warrant Officer Class 2 Kenneth FERGUSON, The Royal Irish Regiment.
Captain Laurence Edward FOWKES (541240), The Royal Gurkha Rifles.
25012095 Corporal William GARRICK, The Royal Scots.
24437881 Sergeant Ralph Glenn JOHNSON, Royal Corps of Signals.
25051617 Corporal (Acting Sergeant) Duncan Mark KNOX, The Parachute Regiment.
Captain Adam Thomson LEGGAT (540694), The Royal Irish Regiment.
24685034 Warrant Officer Class 2 Richard David Greer MEALEY, The Royal Irish Regiment.

Major Bruce Steven MONTGOMERY (526381), The Royal Highland Fusiliers.

Captain Mark Robert PURVES (541175), Royal Corps of Signals.

24689218 Sergeant Lee Gibson RANKIN, The Royal Gloucestershire, Berkshire and Wiltshire Regiment.

24606757 Warrant Officer Class 2 Stuart REILLY, Adjutant General's Corps (Royal Military Police).

Major Brendan SHAW (528557), Army Air Corps.

Major John William Rugg SWANSON, MBE (542586), The Royal Irish Regiment.

25028131 Corporal Simon Robert TIMEWELL, Royal Corps of Signals.

24521458 Colour Sergeant (Acting Warrant Officer Class 2) Derek Elliot TURNBULL, The King's Own Scottish Borderers.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Mention in Despatches

Flight Lieutenant Simon Jon KOVACH (5208285S), Royal Air Force.

Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service

Group Captain John Maurice Maynard PONSONBY, OBE (5205086M), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant James Richard ROWE (5208561R), Royal Air Force.

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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 gallant and distinguished services in the former Yugoslavia during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

Order of the British Empire**(Military Division)**

ARMY

MBE

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

Major Peter BLYTH (504808), The Prince of Wales's Own Regiment of Yorkshire.

Captain Nigel Offley CREWE-READ (545207), The Royal Regiment of Wales.

25031798 Corporal Alan Christopher HOLYOAK, The Parachute Regiment, Territorial Army.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following as having been Commended for Bravery or Commended for Valuable Service in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the former Yugoslavia during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

ARMY

Queen's Commendation for Bravery

Lieutenant Mark Tyrtoff DAVIS (551271), The Royal Regiment of Wales.

25125012 Private David GREENHALGH, The Royal Regiment of Wales.

Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service

Colonel Mark Patrick BANHAM, MBE (508135), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major Simon James BANTON (530944), The Staffordshire Regiment.

Major Matthew Willard Louis Wyoke BOTSFORD (531920), The Queen's Dragoon Guards.

Major Nicholas John BYRNE (531837), The Royal Logistic Corps.

Brigadier William Osborne COOK (488788), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.

24792423 Corporal (Local Sergeant) Tristan Francis DUNBAR, Royal Corps of Signals.

Captain Thomas Edward Charles HAMILTON (549091), The Queen's Royal Hussars.

W1037530 Private Sandra O'NEILL, The Royal Logistic Corps, Territorial Army.

Major James Graham ROBINSON (519722), The Royal Gurkha Rifles.

Brigadier David John RUTHERFORD-JONES (504501), late The Light Dragoons.

Captain James Scott SENIOR (540392), Army Air Corps.

Lieutenant Colonel David James Lord SWANN, MBE (514037), The Queen's Royal Hussars.

Major John Conway WILLIAMS, MBE, QGM (543425), Intelligence Corps.

25079648 Corporal Marcus Francis Nathaniel WOODARD, Adjutant General's Corps (Royal Military Police).

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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 gallant and distinguished services in Sierra Leone during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

Order of the British Empire**(Military Division)**

ARMY

MBE

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

Major Alan Frederick MORROW (528265), The Royal Irish Regiment.

24647378 Warrant Officer Class 2 Mark Christopher THOMPSON, The Parachute Regiment.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following as having been Commended for Valuable Service in recognition of gallant and distinguished services for operations in Sierra Leone during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service

Lieutenant Colonel John Marcus GALE (501597), Royal Corps of Signals.

Lieutenant Colonel Richard Leon Maunsell HACKETT, MBE (499710), The Royal Welch Fusiliers.

Lieutenant Colonel Mark Julian HALLAS (518113), Intelligence Corps.

24521519 Warrant Officer Class 2 Gary McQUILLAN, The Royal Irish Regiment.

Colonel William Hewitt MOORE (504371), late Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Lieutenant Colonel David Alan WIGGINS (509596), The Royal Logistic Corps.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the Gulf during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

Order of the British Empire**(Military Division)****ROYAL NAVY****OBE***To be an Additional Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Commander John Robert Hamilton CLINK, Royal Navy.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following as having been Commended for Bravery or Commended for Valuable Service in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the Gulf during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

ROYAL NAVY**Queen's Commendation for Bravery**

Marine Engineering Mechanic (Mechanical) 1 (Acting Leading Marine Engineering Mechanic (Mechanical) 1)
Kevin Joseph HEFFERNAN, D233630S.

Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service

Lieutenant Andrew Michael STACEY, Royal Navy.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the name of the following as having been Commended for Valuable Service in recognition of gallant and distinguished services whilst serving with the United Nations Observer Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

ARMY**Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service**

Lieutenant Colonel Andrew Dutton MASON, OBE (503873),
The Parachute Regiment.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of gallant and distinguished services whilst serving with the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia during the period 1st October 2001 to 31st March 2002:

Order of the British Empire**(Military Division)****ARMY****MBE***To be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Major Maxwell Ivan HANLON (508585), The Royal Irish Regiment.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following as having been Commended for Bravery in recognition of gallant and distinguished services at sea:

ROYAL NAVY**Queen's Commendation for Bravery**

Corporal Gordon McBain KEAY, Royal Marines, P045579F.
Sergeant Gary Francis PATTERSON, Royal Marines, P044600L.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards:

Queen's Gallantry Medal**QGM****ARMY***For his bravery in disarming a man who was endangering the lives of others on 18th January 2001:*

25003049 Bombardier Darren Stephen NEEDHAM, Royal
Regiment of Artillery.

For their bravery in disposing of an unexploded Second World War bomb at Lingfield on 7th/8th January 2002:

Lieutenant Paul Anthony NESS (548825), Corps of Royal Engineers.

25049999 Lance Corporal Dean Stewart MACMASTER, Corps of Royal Engineers.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

For his bravery in rescuing the crew of a burning freighter on the night of 14th/15th December 2001:

R8260849 Sergeant Neil Stuart FINCH, Royal Air Force.

ARMY

Queen's Commendation for Bravery

For his bravery in searching for survivors from a capsized dive-vessel in Belize on 9th October 2001:

Captain Timothy David EDMUNDS-McCLUNE (538955), Corps of Royal Engineers.

For his bravery in transporting an unexploded Second World War bomb to a safer place for detonation on 7th January 2002:

25059378 Sapper Stephen Robert SMITH, Corps of Royal Engineers.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

**Queen's Commendation for
Bravery in the Air**

For their bravery in rescuing the crew of a burning freighter on the night of 14th/15th December 2001:

K8260056 Flight Sergeant Allan Paul HEGERTY, Royal Air Force.

8305032G Flying Officer Andrew William SMITH, Royal Air Force.
