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## Honours and Awards

### 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

29th October 2002

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: