

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF  
THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St James's Palace, London SW1  
6th March 2009

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in the field during the period 1st April to 30th September 2008:

ARMY

**Order of the British Empire**

**(Military Division)**

**MBE**

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

Staff Sergeant John Warren FAWCETT, Royal Corps of Signals, 25013466.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

Whitehall, London SW1  
6th March 2009

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 field during the period 1st April to 30th September 2008:

ROYAL NAVY

**Queen's Commendation for Bravery**

Sergeant Mark SHERATON, Royal Marines, P053138C.

ARMY

**Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service**

Colonel Murdo Norfolk Soulsby URQUHART, OBE, late Royal Irish Regiment, 504517.

Sergeant Paul Vincent WADE, Royal Corps of Signals, 25063676.

Colonel Murray Courtenay WHITESIDE MBE, late Army Air Corps, 520059.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

**Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service**

Wing Commander Stephen James JACKSON, Royal Air Force, 5207032W.

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

**Air Force Cross**

**AFC**

ROYAL NAVY

Lieutenant Commander Martin Nicholas LANNI, Royal Navy, C036538W.

*For his bravery on 28th May 2007 in rescuing climbers by helicopter from Ben Nevis in severe weather conditions.*

Lieutenant Michael Raoul PAULET, Royal Navy, C038703P.

*For exemplary bravery whilst responding to an emergency call from the ferry MV RIVERDANCE off the coast of Blackpool on 31st January 2008.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Flight Lieutenant Lee Roland TURNER, Royal Air Force, 8304954P.

*For exemplary bravery whilst responding to an emergency call from the ferry MV RIVERDANCE off the coast of Blackpool on 31st January 2008.*

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards for non-combatant operations:

**Queen's Gallantry Medal**

**QGM**

ROYAL NAVY

Leading Aircrewman Kevin REGAN, Royal Navy, D238844K.

*For exemplary bravery whilst responding to an emergency call from the ferry MV RIVERDANCE off the coast of Blackpool on 31st January 2008.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Master Aircrewman Richard Mark TAYLOR, Royal Air Force, L8417262.

*For exemplary bravery whilst responding to an emergency call from the ferry MV RIVERDANCE off the coast of Blackpool on 31st January 2008.*