# CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St James's Palace, London SW1

26 February 2015

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the awards of The Queen's Gallantry Medal to the under mentioned:

#### **QUEEN'S GALLANTRY MEDAL**

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#### **ROYAL NAVY**

Petty Officer Aircrewman Russell James ADAMS, Royal Navy, D259534X.

For repeatedly risking his life whilst rescuing 5 fishermen from almost certain death, after their fishing vessel was badly damaged in a storm 6 nautical miles north of Newquay on 1st February 2014.

#### **ROYAL AIR FORCE**

Sergeant Daniel Martin ALLANSON, Royal Air Force, P8600177.

For demonstrating exemplary, selfless courage and determination in risking his own life in order to winch to safety a fisherman, 60 miles north-east of East Falkland on 28th July 2014.

# MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

Whitehall, London SW1

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

#### QUEEN'S COMMENDATION FOR BRAVERY

#### **ROYAL NAVY**

Petty Officer (Diver) Richard Anthony BROWN, Royal Navy, D222132S.

For continuously placing himself in danger in order to remove and transport to an area for safe disposal, 71 World War Two Self Igniting Phosphorus grenades over a two day period in a courageous and selfless act in Thurso, Scotland during 28th - 29th June 2013.

Lieutenant Commander Robin Leslie SUCKLING, Royal Navy, C032061P.

For risking his life in the rescue of 2 stranded mountain climbers in gusting 50 knot winds on the top of Buachaille Etive Mor in Glencoe, Scotland on 4th March 2014.

## ARMY

Corporal Alexander HARRIES, Adjutant General's Corps (Royal Military Police), 25168433.

For displaying bravery and courage in his calm, considered reaction to a high speed car crash by suppressing the ensuing fire, providing medical support to the trapped victims and directing traffic, without thought for his own safety at Gutersloh, Germany on 10th November 2013.

Officer Cadet Frances Margaret Emma TOWNEND, University Officer's Training Corps Army Reserve, 3007557B.

For risking her life in order to alert the emergency services and administer first aid to the victim of a motorway crash before subsequently being hit by a vehicle, and sustaining life threatening injuries on the M4 on 17th October 2013.

### QUEEN'S COMMENDATION FOR VALUABLE SERVICE

#### **ARMY**

Major Paul James STEWART, Army Air Corps, 551818

For transforming and improving the working conditions for all within his squadron.

# DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following awards which have been conferred on the under mentioned in recognition of meritorious, gallant and distinguished services during coalition operations in Afghanistan:

#### **US LEGION OF MERIT (DEGREE OF OFFICER)**

Brigadier William Ernest DECHOW, OBE, Royal Marines, N028526R.

Colonel Charles Spencer Thomas PAGE, MBE, late Scots Guards, 513353.

#### **US BRONZE STAR MEDAL**

Major Matthew Edward DARLEY, Royal Marines, N029367K.

Captain Shaun PRESCOTT, Royal Navy, C031501H.

Colonel Martin Charles Marshall BRICKNELL, late Royal Army Medical Corps, 520113.

Major David William DOCHERTY, The Royal Logistic Corps, 541592.

Colonel Charles Pollock WALLACE, late The Royal Regiment of Scotland, 518204.

Wing Commander Nigel IBBETSON, Royal Air Force, 8300409T.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following awards which have been conferred on the under mentioned in recognition of meritorious, gallant and distinguished services during coalition operations in Iraq:

# **US LEGION OF MERIT (DEGREE OF OFFICER)**

Brigadier James Henry GORDON, CB, CBE, late The Royal Green Jackets, 504457.

#### **US BRONZE STAR MEDAL**

Captain Keith HARVEY, Royal Navy, C023901A.

Captain Nicholas William HINE, Royal Navy, C031981V.

Colonel Andrew David SADDLETON, Royal Marines, N028091P.

Captain Philip David WARWICK, Royal Navy, C031090F.

Lieutenant Colonel Dominic Colin GOSLING, The Royal Logistic Corps, 534133.

Lieutenant Colonel Charles Andrew CRAIG-HARVEY, Irish Guards, 517260.

Major Timothy Mark Daniel HAWKINS, The Royal Logistic Corps, 546524.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following award which has been conferred on the under mentioned in recognition of meritorious, gallant and distinguished services during coalition operations in Qatar:

#### **US AIR MEDAL**

Flight Lieutenant Simon Joseph HOLDEN, Royal Air Force, 8401846R.