



Government House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

2 March 2009

AUSTRALIAN BRAVERY DECORATIONS

The Governor-General is pleased to announce the award of the following Bravery Decorations:

STAR OF COURAGE

(For acts of conspicuous courage in circumstances of great peril)

Mr Stephen William HYLAND
Qld

Mr Michael Anthony TUCKER
15 Stone Hill Circuit, Cranbourne East Vic 3977

BRAVERY MEDAL

(For acts of bravery in hazardous circumstances)

Ms Editha AQUINO
Vic

Mr Michael John CHILLEMI
13 Binda Street, Malua Bay NSW 2536

Mr Phillip John COLLINS
NSW

Mr Paul Johannes DE WAARD
Middelburg, Netherlands

Senior Sergeant Richard James DOWNIE
Queensland Police

Mr Brian Leonard ELVERY
209 Sheehans Lane, Gulmarrad NSW 2463

Mr Grant James FORD
16 Honour Avenue, Mount Macedon Vic 3441

Mr Stephen Oswald FOSTER
Capalaba Qld 4157

Mr Daniel GARLICK
Cranbourne Vic 3977

Mr Benar GIAWA
Tuindrao, Nias, Republic of Indonesia

Sergeant Peter Thomas GIBSON
New South Wales Police

Mr Alan James GRANT
3 Aquamarine Street, Quakers Hill NSW 2763

Mr Adiziduhu HAREFA
Tuindrao, Nias, Republic of Indonesia

Mr Motani HAREFA
Tuindrao, Nias, Republic of Indonesia

Mr Brendan Gerard KEILAR, deceased
Late of Hawthorn East Vic 3123

Senior Constable John Sione LIMA
Queensland Police

Mr Luke LUCHETTI
1-4 Urara Street, Yamba NSW 2464

Mr Craig MEANEY
4 Lawford Street, Fairfield Heights NSW 2165

Mrs Barbara Joan MITCHELL
10 Harper Court, Mandurah WA 6210

Mr Seti Eli NDRURU
Tuindrao, Nias, Republic of Indonesia

Mr Simon NGUYEN
35 Rhondda Street, Smithfield NSW 2164

Senior Constable Anthony Charles RODGERS
New South Wales Police

Mr Edward George TAMMS
3/92 Tuckey Street, Mandurah WA 6210

Bravery Medal (continued)

Mr Rodney Newman WELLS
PO Box 123, Quairading WA 6383

Mr Trent James WEST
7A Nankiville Road, Kalgoorlie WA 6430

COMMENDATION FOR BRAVE CONDUCT

(For acts of bravery considered worthy of recognition)

Mr Glendon Leigh AITCHISON
Qld

Sergeant Gary Charles BELING
Queensland Police

Mr Stephen Charles BENNETT
36 Tinobah Place, Maryland NSW 2287

Mr Selwyn John BROWN
Three Peaks, Condobolin NSW 2877

Mr Anthony Joseph CAMERON
Grafton NSW 2460

Mrs Helen June COWAN
12 Ewing Crescent, Dawesville WA 6211

Mr Stephen James COWARD
WA

Chief Petty Officer Gary Roderick DHU
Edmonton Qld 4869

Senior Constable Paul James DOHERTY
New South Wales Police

Mr Peter Henry DUBOIS
Coffs Harbour NSW 2450

Mr Brent Craig ECCLES
WA

Mr Samuel William EDWARDS
60 Witty Road, Bellbowrie Qld 4070

Mr Paul Anthony FITZGERALD
ACT

Miss Jane Cristy FLAVEL
9 Baltic Avenue, West Beach SA 5024

Mr Mark David FLETT
ACT

Mr Charlie Ricky GAFA
10 Hinkler Avenue, Sebastopol Vic 3356

Mr Mathew Peter HOBSON
North Lambton NSW 2299

Ms Siobhan JACKSON
849 High Street, Thornbury Vic 3071

Mr Charles LAKEY
Vic

Ms Judith Rae McALPINE
Dawesville WA 6211

Senior Constable Daniel James McARTHUR
New South Wales Police

Constable Ray Peter NOFFKE
New South Wales Police

Mr Gary Edward PEARCE
21 Alwinton Street, Maryland NSW 2287

Mr Jeffrey PIEFKE
197 Forrest Street, Dampier WA 6713

Constable Benjamin Geoffrey RADCLIFFE
New South Wales Police

Mr Duncan James RAYWARD
Lord Howe Island NSW 2898

Chief Inspector David Kenneth ROBINSON
New South Wales Police

Mr Michael Donald ROGAN
228 Dobie Street, Grafton NSW 2460

Senior Sergeant Garry John SMITH
Northern Territory Police

Senior Constable John Robert SMITH
New South Wales Police

Mr Michael Thomas SYDES
317 Crown Street, Surry Hills NSW 2010

Ms Sarah Leone THOMPSON
'Nathans Valley', Lord Howe Island NSW 2898

Mr Marc William TUCKER
NSW

Ms Catherine Odette VINCENT
Emerald Qld 4720

Ms Kelsie Roze ZOSARS
28 Rosedale Drive, Urunga NSW 2455

GROUP BRAVERY CITATION

For a collective act of bravery, by a group of persons in extraordinary circumstances, that is considered worthy of recognition

Awardees comprise the crew of the Tugboat Watagan who, on 8 June 2007, went to the assistance of the Sea Confidence during the Hunter/Central Coast Storm Emergency.

Mr Stephen Robert BAKER
3 Rosemount Avenue, Lake Munmorah NSW 2259

Captain Jack DE GILIO
NSW

Mr Paul Stephen DEVEREUX
Stockton NSW 2295

Mr Leslie Harold HANDICOTT
6 Paston Close, Jewells NSW 2280

Mr Robert William HARRIS
25 Paterson Close, Whitebridge NSW 2290

Mr Steven William PARKER
Merewether NSW 2291

Mr Jon Gregory PARTRIDGE
NSW

Mr George William SEWELL
54 Young Street, Carrington NSW 2294

Mr Stephen Ernest TAYLOR
Hamilton South NSW 2303

Awardees comprise the crew of the Tugboat Wickham who, on 8 June 2007, went to the assistance of the Betis during the Hunter/Central Coast Storm Emergency.

Mr Murray Francis GREEN
Newcastle NSW 2300

Mr Ashley Ian HARDY
Bateau Bay NSW 2260

Captain Aaron Jeremiah HENSHAW
27 Maneela Street, Blacksmiths NSW 2281

Mr Gerard Christopher INKSTON
Carrington NSW 2294

Mr Michael Arthur MINERS
67 Campbell Road, Mannering Park NSW 2259

Captain Ian Robert TURTON
RMB 2342 George Street, Fullerton Cove NSW 2318

Mr Peter James WEARY
29 Alder Crescent, Gateshead NSW 2290

Mr Thomas Pearson WILEY
16 Freeman Street, New Lambton NSW 2305

By Her Excellency's Command



Stephen Brady
Official Secretary to the Governor-General