



## National Medal (Approved Government Organisations) Determination 2025

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I, the Honourable Sam Mostyn AC, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting on the recommendation of the Assistant Minister to the Prime Minister and the Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister, make the following determination.

Dated *9 March* 2025

Sam Mostyn AC  
Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

Patrick Gorman  
Assistant Minister to the Prime Minister  
Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister

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## Part 1—Preliminary

### 1 Name

This instrument is the *National Medal (Approved Government Organisations) Determination 2025*.

### 2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	The day this instrument is published in the Gazette.	

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

### 3 Authority

This instrument is made under regulation 4 of the *National Medal Regulations 2011*:

- (a) set out in the Schedule to the Letters Patent dated 20 April 2011 given under the Great Seal of Australia; and
- (b) as amended by the Schedule to the Letters Patent dated 29 January 2020.

### 4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

### 5 Definitions

- (1) In this instrument:

**Regulations** means the *National Medal Regulations 2011*:

- (a) set out in the Schedule to the Letters Patent dated 20 April 2011 given under the Great Seal of Australia; and
- (b) as amended by the Schedule to the Letters Patent dated 29 January 2020.

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- (2) Expressions used in this instrument have the same meaning as in the Regulations.

## Part 2—Approved government organisations

### 6 Approved government organisations, approval dates and eligible service

(1) For the purposes of regulation 4 of the Regulations, a government organisation specified in column 1 of an item of the following table is an approved government organisation.

<b>Approved government organisations, approval dates and eligible service</b>			
<b>Item</b>	<b>Column 1 Approved government organisation</b>	<b>Column 2 Approval date</b>	<b>Column 3 First day or period for eligible service</b>
1	The part of the Public Transport Commission Security Services (NSW) whose functions were performed by uniformed patrol officers and detectives	30 April 1987	20 October 1972 to 30 June 1980
2	The part of the Investigation Branch of the former State Rail Authority (NSW) whose functions were performed by uniformed patrol officers and detectives	30 April 1987	1 July 1980 to 8 March 1988
3	The part of the NSW Police whose functions were performed by Special Constables who transferred from the Investigation Branch of the State Rail Authority (NSW)	9 March 1988	9 March 1988 to 25 May 1999
4	The part of the Australian Customs and Border Protection Service whose functions are performed by law enforcement officers occupying positions designated as such by the Australian Customs and Border Protection Service	23 September 2011	16 December 1999
5	The part of the Office of the Sheriff of New South Wales whose functions are performed by the Sheriff and sworn sheriff's officers	23 September 2011	3 February 1988
6	The part of the Public Transport Authority of Western Australia (including when previously known as the Western Australian Government Railways Commission) whose functions are performed by Public Transport Authority Security Officers (Transit Officers) or Special Constables	12 February 2019	17 March 1995
7	The part of the Junee Correctional Centre in New South Wales whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff
8	The part of the Parklea Correctional Centre in New South Wales whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	31 October 2009
9	The part of the Fulham Correctional Centre in Victoria whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff

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<b>Approved government organisations, approval dates and eligible service</b>			
<b>Item</b>	<b>Column 1</b> <b>Approved government organisation</b>	<b>Column 2</b> <b>Approval date</b>	<b>Column 3</b> <b>First day or period for eligible service</b>
10	The part of the Metropolitan Women’s Correctional Centre in Victoria whose functions are performed by custodial staff	25 July 2013	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff
11	The part of Port Phillip Prison in Victoria whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff
12	The part of the Arthur Gorrie Correctional Centre in Queensland whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	1 July 1992
13	The part of the Borallon Correctional Centre in Queensland whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	2 January 1989
14	The part of the Southern Queensland Correctional Centre in Queensland whose functions are performed by custodial staff	25 July 2013	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff
15	The part of Acacia Prison in Western Australia whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff
16	The part of Mt Gambier Prison in South Australia whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff
17	The part of South Australian Prisoner Movement and In-Court Management in South Australia whose functions are performed by custodial staff	23 September 2011	The day those functions were first performed by custodial staff
18	The part of the Sheriff’s Office of the Courts Administration Authority of South Australia whose functions are performed by the Sheriff, Deputy Sheriffs and Sheriff’s officers, appointed under the <i>Courts Administration Act 1993</i> (SA) as in force from time to time	5 August 2022	30 November 1978
19	The part of Transport for NSW whose functions are performed by accredited fire and emergency services officers who are part of the Rail Fire and Emergency Unit for Sydney Trains	the day this instrument commences	The day those functions were first performed by accredited fire and emergency services officers

Note: The correctional facilities listed in items 7 to 17 of the table above are privately operated.



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- (2) The approval date for the organisation is the date specified in column 2 of the item of the table in subsection (1).
- (3) For the purposes of subregulation 18(4) of the Regulations, the day or period specified in column 3 of the item of the table in subsection (1) is:
  - (a) if a day is specified—the first day of service in the organisation that can be counted as eligible service; or
  - (b) if a period is specified—the period within which service in the organisation can be counted as eligible service.

## **Schedule 1—Repeals**

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#### **1 The whole of the instrument**

Repeal the instrument.