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It is notified for general information that the Governor-General has approved amendments to conditions for the award of the Australian Service Medal with Clasp 'KOREA' as detailed in the following Instrument of declaration and determination:



## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

### DECLARATION AND DETERMINATION UNDER THE AUSTRALIAN SERVICE MEDAL REGULATIONS

I, **QUENTIN ALICE LOUISE BRYCE**, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to the Australian Service Medal Regulations contained in the Schedule to Letters Patent dated 13 September 1988, ("the Regulations") on the recommendation of the Parliamentary Secretary for Defence, **hereby**:


- (a) **revoke** the Declaration and Determination made on 23 March 2001 under regulation 3 and subregulation 4(2) respectively of the Regulations;
- (b) **declare**, under regulation 3 of the Regulations, non-warlike operations in which members of the Australian Defence Force are assigned for duty to the United Nations Command (Military Armistice Commission) involving the preservation of the Armistice between the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and the Republic of Korea that commenced on 14 February 1975, in the specified area of the Korean Peninsula to be a *prescribed operation* for the purposes of the Regulations; and
- (c) **determine**, under regulation 4 of the Regulations, that the conditions for award of the Australian Service Medal with Clasp 'KOREA' ("the Medal") for that *prescribed operation* are:
  - (i) the Medal may be awarded to a member of the Australian Defence Force who rendered assigned service as such a member while posted to or serving as a member of the Australian element for duty to the *prescribed operation* for a *prescribed period*;
  - (ii) the Medal may be awarded to a member of the Australian Defence Force who rendered assigned service as such a member for a *prescribed period*, as part of the contribution of a foreign Defence Force on an approved third country deployment to the *prescribed operation* while on secondment or exchange with the foreign Defence Force;

- (iii) the Medal may be awarded to a person who rendered assigned service as part of the Australian element of the *prescribed operation*, and who, in accordance with a determination made by the Minister under paragraph 4(4)(b) of the Regulations, is in a class of persons who may be awarded the Medal;
- (iv) in this paragraph "*prescribed period*" for the *prescribed operation* at subparagraph (b) means, in relation to subparagraphs (c)(i), (c)(ii) and (c)(iii) a period of not less than an aggregate of 30 days;

PROVIDED THAT where a member does not complete the *prescribed period* for the award of the Medal required by subparagraph (c)(iv) owing to his or her death, evacuation due to illness, injury or other disability due to service, the member will be deemed to have completed that *prescribed period*.

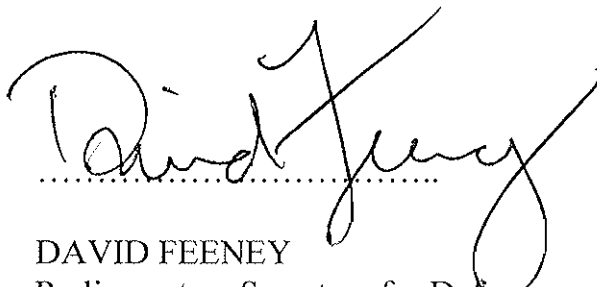
Dated

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Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command



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For the Minister for Defence