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The following Regulations to govern the award of the Colonial Prison Service Long Service Medal in the Cayman Islands have been made by the Governor with the approval of the Secretary of State in accordance with the Royal Warrant dated the Twenty-eighth day of October, 1955, as amended by the Royal Warrants of the 15th day of September, 1977, and the 11th day of October, 1979.

## 1. SERVICE REQUIRED:

The Colonial Prison Service Medal will be granted as a reward for long service and good conduct to staff of all ranks in the Prison Service of the Cayman Islands, who on or after the 11th day of October, 1979, shall have completed eighteen years' continuous service as hereinafter defined.

A Clasp will also be granted to the recipient of the Medal on his completing twenty-five years' qualifying service, and a further Clasp on completing thirty years' qualifying service. For each Clasp so awarded a small silver rose may be added to the ribbon when worn alone.

## 2. CONTINUITY OF SERVICE:

Qualifying service in the Prison Service of other Colonies or Territories under Her Majesty's Protection may be allowed to reckon towards the required period of qualifying service, if the total period of such service amounts to not less than eighteen years: provided, however, that where service has been rendered in more than one such Territory as aforesaid an interval not exceeding twelve months between any two periods of service shall not be regarded as breaking the continuity of such service; provided also that a break in service not exceeding six calendar months in any one such Territory shall not be regarded as breaking the continuity of such service. Previous service in the police force of the Cayman Islands may also be allowed to reckon towards the required period of qualifying service provided that such police force service is continuous with prison staff service in the Cayman Islands, and for that purpose an interval of not more than six months between any two periods of such police force service or between any such period and a period of prison staff service shall not be regarded as breaking the continuity of such police force service with the prison staff service.

## 3. EXEMPLARY CHARACTER:

(a) For the purpose of these Regulations service shall only be reckoned as qualifying service if it is certified that the character and conduct of the person recommended for the grant of the Medal or Clasp has been exemplary.

(b) For the purpose of this regulation "exemplary character and conduct" shall mean such character and conduct of the person recommended, throughout his

qualifying service, as in the sole judgment of the Officer in Command of the Cayman Islands Prison Service would merit the grant of a Medal or Clasp; provided that an adverse entry on the Conduct Sheet of such person less than five years before the date of recommendation for the award shall disentitle him to a certificate under paragraph (a) of this regulation.

4. RECOMMENDING AUTHORITY:

Recommendations for the award of the Medal or Clasp shall be submitted by the Officer in charge of the Prison Service to the Governor or Officer Administering the Government. The medal will be awarded on the authority of the Governor or Officer Administering the Government and a notification of such award shall be published in the Official Gazette.

5. FORFEITURE AND RESTORATION:

(a) A recipient of the Medal or Clasp who is convicted of a criminal offence or is dismissed or removed from the Prison Service for misconduct shall forfeit the Medal and Clasp unless the Governor or Officer Administering the Government shall otherwise direct.

(b) A Medal or Clasp so forfeited may be restored to the recipient by the Governor or Officer Administering the Government at his discretion.

(c) A notice of forfeiture or restoration shall in every case be published in the Official Gazette.

6. REVOCATION OF PREVIOUSLY MADE REGULATIONS

The Colonial Prison Service Medal Regulations made at George Town, Grand Cayman, on the 1st of August, 1978, are hereby revoked.

Made by me at George Town, Grand Cayman, with the approval of the Secretary of State in accordance with the Royal Warrant dated the Twenty-eighth day of October, 1955, as amended by the Royal Warrants of the 15th day of September, 1977, and the 11th day of October, 1979.

T. RUSSELL  
Governor

This 13th day of February, 1980.