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### **MEDALS AWARDED TO AMBULANCE STAFF**

Twenty-eight proud members of the Ambulance Service with experience ranging from between six to fourteen years of ambulance work were presented the Queen's Diamond Jubilee medal on the 13<sup>th</sup> March at Bleak House by the Minister for Health John Cortes.

The Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal is a commemorative medal created in 2011 to mark the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the accession to the throne of Queen Elizabeth II. As part of the Queen's Jubilee, emergency service personnel that have completed 5 full calendar years of service on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2012 qualify for the Queen's Jubilee medal.

The Minister congratulated the recipients and commented on the excellent professional work carried out by the service and the way that the service had progressed and developed.

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#### **NOTES TO EDITORS:**

##### **JUBILEE MEDAL PRESENTATION**

###### General

1. The Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal is a commemorative medal created in 2011 to mark the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the accession to the thrones of Queen Elizabeth II. As part of the Queen's Jubilee emergency service personnel that have completed 5 full calendar years of service on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2012 qualify for the Queen's Jubilee medal.
2. It has been agreed that the Ambulance Service personnel in Gibraltar, as an Emergency Service, should be entitled to receive the medal.
3. Details of the medal are below:

##### **QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE MEDAL**

The Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal was designed by Timothy Noad. It depicts on the obverse the Ian Rank-Broadley effigy of the Queen crowned with a tiara and is circumscribed by the inscription ELIZABETH II DEI GRATIA REGINA FID DEF ("Elizabeth II by the Grace of God, Queen, Defender of the Faith"). The reverse shows a faceted hexagon with a crowned royal cipher, inscribed with the years 1952 and 2012.

Those awarded the medal were:

Kyrone Celecia	Station Officer
Michael Valarino	Ambulance Tutor
Sonya Marlow	Ambulance Dispatch Officer
Adrian Gerada	Ambulance Service Coordinator
Paul Watson	Ambulance Service Coordinator
Steven Licudi	Ambulance Service Coordinator
Jon Segui	Ambulance Service Coordinator
Robert Reading	Emergency Medical Technician
Charlie Noguera	Emergency Medical Technician
Anthony Williams	Emergency Medical Technician
Edwin Thompson	Emergency Medical Technician
Jenny Garrett	Emergency Medical Technician
Robbie Brown	Emergency Medical Technician
Darren Cerisola	Emergency Medical Technician
Stuart Ryan	Emergency Medical Technician
Paul Tremayne	Emergency Medical Technician
Francis Cassaglia	Emergency Medical Technician
Ian McDonald	Emergency Medical Technician
Jordana Camilleri	Emergency Medical Technician
Alan Carrara	Emergency Medical Technician
Jan-Kjetil Jess	Emergency Medical Technician
Fabian Ferro	Emergency Medical Technician
Tanya Lambert	Emergency Medical Technician
Ivan Berllaque	Ambulance Care Assistant
Owen Bosano	Ambulance Care Assistant
Graham Southwell	Ambulance Care Assistant
Jonathan Dotto	Ambulance Care Assistant
Ian Grech	Ambulance Care Assistant

