



# National Honours and Awards

## (The National Honours and Awards Act – 1969)

On the occasion of the 58<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Independence, His Excellency The Governor-General, the Most Honourable Sir Patrick Linton Allen, ON, GCMG, CD, KSt.J, acting in accordance with the Regulations made under Section 7 of the National Honours and Awards Act, and on the advice of the Prime Minister, the Most Honourable Andrew Holness, ON, MP, is pleased to make the following appointments to the Orders of the Societies of Honour and to award the Badge of Honour, with effect from Independence Day, Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> August 2020, in respect of the undermentioned:

### ORDER OF MERIT (OM)

*For appointment as a Member of the Order of Merit*

**Professor Orlando H. PATTERSON, CD**

For his highly distinguished international contribution to Academia, West Indian Literature, Sociology and the Epistemology of Social Culture

### ORDER OF JAMAICA (OJ)

*For appointment as Members of the Order of Jamaica*

**Honourable Karl George SAMUDA, CD, MP**

For 40 years of distinguished Public Service, Political Representation and Public Policy Development

**Senator the Honourable Thomas George Lewis TAVARES-FINSON, CD, QC**

For distinguished Public Service

**Mr Brian Hector John WYNTER, CD**

For distinguished service to Central Banking and the Financial Sector in Jamaica

**Ms Merlene Joyce OTTEY, CD**

For distinguished contribution in Sport Athletics (Track & Field) both Locally and Internationally

**Mr Patrick Andrew Alwyn Junior HYLTON, CD**

For distinguished contribution to the Financial Sector and Philanthropy

### THE ORDER OF DISTINCTION IN THE RANK OF COMMANDER (CD)

*For appointment as Members of the Order of Distinction – in the rank of Commander*

**Honourable Miss Justice Paulette Angela WILLIAMS**

For exceptional service to the Legal Profession and the Judiciary

**Honourable Shahine Elizabeth ROBINSON, MP**

*(Posthumous Award)*

For exceptional contribution to the Public Service and National Policy Development

**Reverend Karl Baldwin JOHNSON**

For exceptional contribution to Religion and Community Development

**Reverend Dr Roy James HENRY**

For exceptional contribution to Religion and Community Development

**Rt Reverend Robert McLean THOMPSON**

For exceptional Leadership in Church & Community

**Bishop the Reverend Everalde Leeanah GALBRAITH**

For exceptional contribution to Religion and Community Development

**Miss Cedella Anita MARLEY**

For Philanthropy through exceptional contribution to Sports Development and the National Women’s Football Programme

**Mr George Anthony HYLTON**

For over 30 years of exceptional Public Service in the fields of Politics, Governance and Diplomatic Affairs

**Mr Oliver Adolphus SAMUELS, OD**

For 50 years of exceptional contribution to Jamaica’s Theatre and the extensive promotion of authentic Jamaican Culture in performances to the Jamaican Diaspora and International Spectators Worldwide

**Miss Eula Hyacinth RITCHIE**

For exceptional service in the Midwifery and Nursing Profession in Jamaica and the Caribbean

**Mr Garfield George GRANDISON**

For exceptional contribution to Journalism and the Print Media Development

**Mr Richard Howard Delano FORBES, Snr**

*(Posthumous Award)*

For exceptional contribution to Television and the Digital Industry of Jamaica as a pioneer in Multimedia Services including LED screen technology

**Miss Maurene Angelia SIMMS**

For 37 years of exceptional service in the field of Central Banking, particularly Financial Regulations and Bank Supervision

**Mr Dunbar Theophilus McFARLANE**

For exceptional contribution to the Banking Sector

**Mr Donald Sylvester REYNOLDS**

For exceptional service in the field of Accountancy and significant contribution to Public and Private Sector Development in Jamaica

**Mr James Edward Delano RAWLE**

For exceptional contribution to Public Service in the area of Industry and Commerce

### THE ORDER OF DISTINCTION IN THE RANK OF COMMANDER (CD) (cont'd)

**Professor Rainford Jonathan WILKS**

For exceptional service in the field of Medicine, specialising in Cardiovascular Disease, Epidemiology and Tropical Medicine Research

**Professor Sir Godfrey Henry Oliver PALMER, OBE**

For exceptional representation and Service to the Jamaican Diaspora in Scotland

**Mr Wade Cleone LYN**

For exceptional Consular Service and contribution to the Jamaican Diaspora in the United Kingdom

**Honourable Mrs Hazelle P. ROGERS**

For exceptional service to the Jamaican and the Caribbean Diaspora in the United States of America through State and Legislative Representation in Florida

**Mrs Mary Alison McLEAN**

*(Posthumous Award)*

For exceptional contribution to Public Service Leadership in Jamaica as well as to International and Regional Representation in Multilateral Affairs

**Archbishop Kenneth David Oswin RICHARDS, DD**

For exceptional contribution to Religion and Community, especially in Youth Empowerment Training and Education.

**Mr Keith Patrick DUNCAN**

For exceptional service in the fields of Finance, Business, Youth Empowerment and Community Development

**Ms Deon HEMMING, OD**

For exceptional representation of Jamaica in Sports, especially in Track and Field

**Mr Metry Albert SEAGA**

For exceptional contribution to the Manufacturing Sector in Jamaica

**Mr Brian Maxwell JARDIM**

For exceptional contribution to Industry and Commerce in Jamaica

**Mr Ian Barry Russell DEAR**

For exceptional contribution to Caribbean Tourism and Real Estate Development

**Dr Hector Palman ROBINSON, OD**

For exceptional contribution in the field of Medicine

**Ambassador Earle Courtenay RATTRAY**

For exceptional contribution to the Jamaican Foreign Service

**Dr Alwin Livingstone HALES**

For exceptional Public Service

**Miss Valrie Annie CURTIS**

For exceptional service to the Houses of Parliament of Jamaica

### THE ORDER OF DISTINCTION IN THE RANK OF OFFICER (OD)

*For appointment as Members of the Order of Distinction – in the rank of Officer*

**Dr Florence Albertha YOUNG**

For outstanding contribution to Agriculture

**Ms Marjorie STEER**

For outstanding contribution to Agriculture

**Lieutenant Colonel Hubert Ezekiel LOUNGE**

For outstanding contribution to Agriculture

**Mr Eric DONALDSON**

For outstanding service to the Jamaican Music Industry

**Mr William “Willie” STEWART**

For outstanding service to the Jamaican Music Industry

**Mr Manley Augustus “Big Youth” BUCHANAN**

For outstanding service to the Jamaican Music Industry

**Mr David Michael RODIGAN**

For outstanding service to the promotion of Jamaican Music across the world

**Mr Keith Lloyd LYN**

For outstanding service to the Jamaican Music Industry

**Mrs Letna Orinthia ALLEN-ROWE**

For outstanding service to the Jamaican Diaspora in Canada

**Mr George MIGHTY, MBE, JP**

For outstanding service to the Jamaican Diaspora in England

**Mr Rion Beuforce HALL**

For outstanding contribution to Philanthropy and Community Development

**Mr Newlyn Neil SEATON**

For outstanding contribution to Philanthropy, Industrial Development and Public Service

### THE ORDER OF DISTINCTION IN THE RANK OF OFFICER (OD) (cont'd)

**Mr Paul Alphanso NAPIER**

For outstanding service to the Education Sector

**Ms Daphne Constancia MAHONEY**

For outstanding contribution for Philanthropy and Community Development in the Jamaican Diaspora in the United States of America

**Miss Antoinette Kristena AIKEN**

For outstanding contribution to the Deaf Community through Jamaican Sign Language and Spoken English Interpreting

**Miss Joy Eleanor DOUGLAS**

For outstanding contribution to Jamaica Urban and Regional Developments

**Councillor Milton BROWN**

*(Posthumous Award)*

For outstanding service to Local Government and Community Development

**Mr Winston George WRIGHT**

For Voluntary Service and leadership to the Jamaica 4-H Clubs

**Colonel (Retired) Audley Verold CARTER, JP**

For outstanding service to the Jamaica Defence Force

**Lieutenant Colonel (Retired) Desmond Ellington GRANT**

For outstanding service to the Jamaica Defence Force

**Warrant Officer Class 1 Hugh Patrick BLAKE**

For outstanding service to the Jamaica Defence Force

**Mr Clifton Emanuel GRANT**

For outstanding service in the field of Trade Unionism

**Dr. Hugh Oliver CROSS**

For outstanding contribution to the development of Telecommunications in Jamaica

**Mr Henry Vincent George STENNETT**

For outstanding contribution in the field of Radio Broadcasting

**Mr Holford Ashton Rayson PLUMMER**

For outstanding service in the field of Radio Broadcasting – Production and Technical Support

**Mrs Patricia Annette LAZARUS**

For outstanding contribution to Media and Community Development

**Miss Barbara Naedene ELLINGTON**

For outstanding contribution to Media

**Mr Dennis Howard Frederick BELL**

For outstanding service in the field of Sports

**Miss Khadija Monica SHAW**

For outstanding achievement in Sports, in particular Football

**Mr Emilio Michael RODRIQUEZ**

For outstanding achievement and service to Sports, in particular, Horse Racing

**Ms Carol Marcia BOURKE**

For outstanding service in the field of Tourism

**Ms Carolyn WRIGHT**

*(Posthumous Award)*

For outstanding service to the Tourism Industry, especially for Small Hotel Development

**Mr Errol Courtney GREENE, JP**

For outstanding contribution to Public Service

**Mrs Madge NEIL-BURNETT**

For outstanding contribution to Entrepreneurship and Community Development

**Mr Bobby “Bobby Digital” GRANTLEY DIXON**

*(Posthumous Award)*

For outstanding contribution to Jamaican Music as a Studio Engineer and Producer

**Mr Deiwght St Alvin PETERS**

For outstanding contribution to Jamaican Culture through the Global Fashion Industry

**Mr Dorricks Eddison GRAY**

For outstanding service to the development of Marine and Terrestrial Archeology and contribution to the Jamaica National Heritage Trust

**Mr Clive Dunavon THOMPSON**

For over forty (40) years of outstanding service to the Arts through the National Dance Theatre Company

**Bishop Dr Lennox WALKER**

For outstanding service to Religion and Diaspora Community Development in Canada

**Mr Jonathan BAKER**

For outstanding service to the Jamaican Music Industry and Promotion of Tourism in Portland

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# National Honours and Awards... cont'd

## BADGE OF HONOUR FOR GALLANTRY (BH{G})

### District Constable Basil Fitzroy FULLER

District Constable Fuller in his capacity as a Coxswain bravely fought raging seas in stormy weather and risked his life while travelling to Honduras and back to retrieve a stolen Police Boat, the property of the Government of Jamaica

### Mr George Jon-Andrew BRYAN

For an act of courage and bravery in saving the lives of two children on April 20, 2020 in Boston, Portland

### District Constable Sean Conway PIERRE

District Constable Pierre in his capacity as a Coxswain bravely fought raging seas in stormy weather and risked his life while travelling to Honduras and back to retrieve a stolen Police Boat, the property of the Government of Jamaica

## BADGE OF HONOUR FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE (BH{M})

### Mrs Winsome Arlene RAMSINGH

For meritorious service to Philanthropy and Community Development

### Mr Tyrone Donovan CHONG, QC

For meritorious service to the Foreign Service as a Honorary Consul for Jamaica in St Lucia

### Mrs Prudence Phillips HARVEY GENTLES

*(Honorary)*  
For meritorious service to the National Crime Prevention Fund (Crime Stop Jamaica)

### Mrs Sheena LINDO-KERR

For meritorious service to Public Health as a Nurse

### Mrs Dawn Patricia GRAY-TAYLOR

For meritorious contribution to the Public Service

### Mrs Jerine SINGH

For meritorious contribution to the Public Service

### Ms Annette Rosalie Marina OSBOURNE

For meritorious contribution to the Public Service

### Mrs Amina BLACKWOOD MEEKS

For meritorious service to Jamaican Culture

### Mr Ralph Nathaniel NELSON

For meritorious service in the field of Education

### Mr Michael Barrington LEE

For meritorious service in the field of Education

### Mrs Lois Elaine RAINFORD

For meritorious service in the field of Education

### Mr Roy Nicholas FULLER

For meritorious service in the field of Marine Piloting

### Mr Malcolm Wendell JONES

For meritorious service in the field of Marine Piloting

## BADGE OF HONOUR FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE (BH{M}) (cont'd)

### Mr Seaward Herman KING

*(Posthumous Award)*

For meritorious service in the field of Marine Piloting

### Mr Alfred Lawrence LINTON

For meritorious service in the field of Marine Piloting

### Mr George Fitz-Herbert MUNRO

For meritorious service in the field of Marine Piloting

### Pastor Edwin MOORE

For meritorious service to Religion and Community Development

### Mrs Carol Marjorie Elaine HIGGINS

For meritorious service to the Health Sector

### Mr Levi CROLL

For meritorious service in Community Development

### Mr Paul Andrew NORMAN

For meritorious service in Community Development

### Mr Marianito Tecson LIBUNAO

*(Honorary)*

For meritorious service to the Foreign Service

### Mr Seth Adjetey MENSAH

*(Honorary)*

For meritorious service to the Foreign Service

### Mr Errol Ray PALMER

For meritorious service to the Foreign Service

### Mr Errol George WYNTER

For meritorious contribution to the Public Service

### Mr Desmond George THOMPSON

For meritorious contribution to the Public Service

### Mr Anthony Patrick "Chips" RICHARDS

For meritorious service to the Jamaican Music Industry Locally and Internationally

## BADGE OF HONOUR FOR LONG AND FAITHFUL SERVICE (BH{L})

### Mrs Claudette FRASER SEATON

For sterling Community Service

### Mrs Winsome FRASER WEBB

For sterling Voluntary Service to the Poor Relief Department in St Andrew

### Mr Patrick Fitzgerald NEWMAN

For sterling Community Service

### District Constable Winston Augustus CHAMBERS

For sterling service of over 39 years as a District Constable in May Pen, Clarendon

### District Constable Godfrey Antonio GORDON

For sterling service of over 37 years as a District Constable in Lfluidas Vale, St Catherine

## BADGE OF HONOUR FOR LONG AND FAITHFUL SERVICE (BH{L}) (cont'd)

### Ms Dawn FEARON

For sterling service of over 31 years as a Bursar in the Ministry of Education at Lennon High School, Clarendon

### Mrs Pauline HARRISON

For sterling service of 35 years as a Bursar in the Ministry of Education at Tacius Golding High School, St Catherine

### Mrs Valrie Elaine FACEY

For sterling service of 35 years as a Bursar in the Ministry of Education at G.C. Foster College, St Catherine

### Mrs Veronica SCOTT-TAYLOR

For sterling service of over 43 years as a Bursar in the Ministry of Education at Edwin Allen High School, Clarendon

### Miss Idell Rose SCOTT

For sterling service to the Cross Keys High School, Manchester, from the establishment of the school in 1977.

### Mrs Joy Marie SMITH

For sterling service to Education

### Miss Edna Elaine WRIGHT

For sterling service to the Urban Development Corporation

### Mrs Millicent Georgia MCGREGOR

For sterling service of 40 years to the Medical Associates Hospital, Kingston

### Mr Lynden WALLEN

For sterling service to the Jamaica Civil Aviation Authority for 39 years

### Mr Victor BECKFORD

For sterling service to the Jamaica Civil Aviation Authority for 36 years

### Mrs Joan Cleopatria WALLER WALKER

For sterling service of over 42 years to the National Housing Trust (NHT)

### Mrs Gloria May BROWN-FAIRWEATHER

For sterling Public Service

### Miss Cynthia Victoria ALLEN

For sterling service of over 25 years to the Supreme Court

### Mrs Jean SMITH BRYAN

For sterling service to Education and Community Development

### Pastor Rose Marie HAUGHTON

For sterling service to Public Service and Community Development

*The Chancery of the Orders of the Society of Honours  
Office of the Prime Minister*



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The Governor-General, His Excellency the Most Honourable Sir Patrick Allen, ON, GCMG, CD, KSt.J, acting in accordance with the provisions of the relevant Regulations under the National Honours and Awards Act, 1969, is pleased to award the Medal of Honour for Gallantry, to the undermentioned officer and other members of the Uniformed Services, with effect from Independence Day, August 6, 2020:

## JAMAICA CONSTABULARY FORCE [JCF]

### MEDAL OF HONOUR FOR GALLANTRY

#### Superintendent of Police Leon Ernest Clunis

*(Posthumous award)*

Superintendent Clunis courageously led a deadly operation in Horizon Park, St Catherine, where he was shot. He was hospitalised and due to related complications succumbed to injuries on June 30, 2020. Supt Clunis was part of an intelligence-driven operation mounted on the morning of Friday, June 12, 2020, in search of wanted men with high-powered weapons. The perpetrator who fired upon the Police was killed hours later in a police operation.

#### No. 14127

#### Detective Corporal Dane Kimoy Biggs

*(Posthumous award)*

Detective Corporal Biggs lost his life heroically during a deadly operation conducted in Horizon Park, St Catherine, as part of an intelligence-driven operation mounted on the morning of Friday, June 12, 2020, in search of wanted men with high-powered weapons. The perpetrator who fired upon the police was killed hours later in a police operation.

#### No. 19352

#### Constable Decardo Akeem Hylton

*(Posthumous award)*

Constable Hylton lost his life heroically during a deadly operation conducted in Horizon Park, St Catherine, as part of an intelligence-driven operation mounted on the morning of Friday, June 12, 2020, in search of wanted men with high-powered weapons. The perpetrator who fired upon the police was killed hours later in a police operation.

#### No. 82344

#### District Constable Lothan Roshane Richards

District Constable Richards suffered serious injuries when he was shot during a deadly operation conducted in Horizon Park, St Catherine, as part of an intelligence-driven operation mounted on the morning of Friday, June 12, 2020, in search of wanted men with high-powered weapons. He was hospitalised and later released. The perpetrator who fired upon the Police was killed hours later in a police operation.

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