



## Defence Force Orders for Honours and Awards

### Authority

1. These orders are issued pursuant to the Defence Act 1990 and are to be complied with by all concerned.
2. DFO 6 *Defence Force Orders for Honours and Awards* was issued on behalf of the Chief of Defence Force (CDF).
3. The online copy of DFO 6 is the definitive copy. This delivers information to the user ahead of that supplied on CD-ROM and in paper-based publications.

### Conflict

4. Nothing in these orders is to be construed as prevailing over any relevant Act of Parliament or regulations made under it.
5. If there is any conflict between these orders and any other orders or procedures issued within the Armed Forces, interim or otherwise (except [DM 69 \(2 ed\) Manual of Armed Forces Law](#)), these orders are to prevail. If there is any conflict with the orders (interim or otherwise) in DM 69 (2 ed) then that manual is to prevail.
6. Any conflict between these orders and any other orders, rules, instructions or procedures issued within the New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF) should be reported through normal channels to the Manager Honours and Awards, Headquarters New Zealand Defence Force (HQNZDF) without delay.

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