

Australian Government



Department of Defence

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

Full name: *Terrence James MELBIN*

Service number: *5709019, 54021*

Category of service:
National Service *02 January 1956 to 08 April 1956*
Citizen Military Forces *09 April 1956 to 28 January 1960*
Australian Regular Army *02 February 1960 to 02 February 1980*

Employment: *Driver, Operator Plant, Assistant Supervisor Plants Roads and Airfields, Supervisor Plants Roads and Airfields, Assistant Instructor*

Rank on discharge: *Warrant Officer, Class One*

Postings:
17 National Service Training Battalion *02 January 1956*
10 Western Australia Mounted Infantry *09 April 1956*
10 Light Horse Regiment *01 January 1957*
44 Railway Squadron *29 July 1959*
1 Recruit Training Battalion *02 February 1960*
School of Military Engineering *06 June 1960*
22 Construction Squadron *16 October 1960*
24 Construction Squadron *11 September 1967*
1 Field Squadron *22 April 1968*
18 Field Squadron *16 April 1969*
55 Engineer Workshop and Park Squadron *08 December 1970*
1 Field Engineer Regiment *04 April 1972*
School of Military Engineering *16 September 1977*

Operational Service/Deployment:
New Guinea *06 June 1964 to 29 April 1965*
Singapore *09 June 1966 to 06 December 1966*
Vietnam *22 April 1968 to 16 April 1969*

Honours and Awards:

Australian Active Service Medal 1945-75 with Clasps 'MALAYSIA' and 'VIETNAM'

General Service Medal 1962 with Clasp 'BORNEO'

Vietnam Medal

Australian Service Medal 1945-75 with Clasp 'PNG'

Defence Force Service Medal

National Medal

Australian Defence Medal

Anniversary of National Service 1951-1972 Medal

Pingat Jasa Malaysia

Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal

Returned From Active Service Badge



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