

**ORDERS APPROVED AND BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT THE
PRIVY COUNCIL HELD BY THE QUEEN AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE
ON 14TH MARCH 2018**

COUNSELLORS PRESENT

The Rt Hon Andrea Leadsom (Lord President)

The Rt Hon Alistair Burt

The Rt Hon Greg Clark

The Rt Hon David Lidington

Succession to
the Crown Act
2013

Declaration of Consent to the marriage of HRH Prince Henry of
Wales and Rachel Meghan Markle.

Order directing that the Instrument of Consent be entered in the
Books of the Privy Council.

Privy
Counsellors

The Rt Hon Mark Lancaster TD MP, the Right Reverend Dame
Sarah Mullally DBE, The Rt Hon Sir Guy Newey, The Rt Hon
Caroline Nokes MP, The Rt Hon Claire Perry MP and The Rt Hon
Sir Rabinder Singh were sworn Members of Her Majesty's Most
Honourable Privy Council.

Order appointing Enele Sopoaga a Member of Her Majesty's
Most Honourable Privy Council.

Proclamations

Five Proclamations:—

1. determining the specifications and design for a new series
of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort,
platinum piedfort and cupro-nickel; and a new series of
twenty-five pound coins in platinum celebrating the
seventieth birthday of His Royal Highness The Prince of
Wales;
2. determining the specifications and designs for a new series
of five hundred pound, one hundred pound, fifty pound,
twenty-five pound, ten pound, one pound and fifty pence
gold coins; a new series of five hundred pound, ten pound,
two pound, one pound, fifty pence, twenty pence, ten
pence and five pence silver coins; and a new series of
twenty-five pound platinum coins;

3. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of five pound coins in gold and silver commemorating the hundredth anniversary of the First World War;
4. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of five pound coins in standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel;
5. determining the specifications and design for a new series of one pound platinum coins;

and five Orders directing the Lord Chancellor to affix the Great Seal to the Proclamations.

Ministers of the
Crown Act
1975

The Secretaries of State for Health and Social Care and for Housing, Communities and Local Government and Transfer of Functions (Commonhold Land) Order 2018 (SI).

Taxation
(International
and Other
Provisions) Act
2010

1. The Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Colombia) Order 2018 (SI);
2. The Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Lesotho) Order 2018 (SI).

Jersey

Four Orders approving the following Acts of the States of Jersey:—

1. Howard Davis Farm (Arrangements for further Abrogation of Covenant) (Jersey) Law 2018;
2. Public Finances (Amendment No. 5) (Jersey) Law 2018;
3. Public Health and Safety (Rented Dwellings) (Jersey) Law 2018;
4. Connétables (Amendment No. 2) (Jersey) Law 2018.

Guernsey

Order approving the Data Protection (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2017.

Burial Act 1853
(Notice)

Order giving notice of the discontinuance of burials in:—

1. St Andrew's Churchyard, Lamesley, Gateshead, Tyne and Wear;
2. St Andrew's Church, 34 High Street, Rippingale, Bourne, Lincolnshire;
3. St Peter's Churchyard, Bishop Waltham, Hampshire;
4. St Kenelm's Churchyard, Sapperton, Cirencester, Gloucestershire.

Dioceses,
Pastoral and
Mission
Measure 2007

Order changing the name of the suffragan see of Richmond to Kirkstall.



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to make the following Declaration.

Richard Tilbrook

MY LORDS,

I declare My Consent to a Contract of Matrimony between My Most Dearly Beloved Grandson Prince Henry Charles Albert David of Wales and Rachel Meghan Markle, which Consent I am causing to be signified under the Great Seal and to be entered in the Books of the Privy Council.



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

WHEREAS Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of an Act entitled Succession to the Crown Act 2013, to declare Her Consent to a Contract of Matrimony between Prince Henry Charles Albert David of Wales, K.C.V.O. and Rachel Meghan Markle, which Consent Her Majesty has caused to be signified under the Great Seal:

HER MAJESTY was thereupon pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Instrument (a copy whereof is hereunto annexed), signifying Her Majesty's Consent as aforesaid, be entered in the Books of the Privy Council in pursuance of the further provisions of the aforementioned Act.

Richard Tilbrook

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Our other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith, To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting!

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament entitled "Succession to the Crown Act 2013", it is amongst other things enacted that "a person who (when the person marries) is one of the 6 persons next in the line of succession to the Crown must obtain the consent of Her Majesty before marrying", such consent to be signified under the Great Seal, declared in Council, and recorded in the books of the Privy Council:

NOW KNOW YE that We have consented and do by these Presents signify Our Consent to the contracting of Matrimony between Our Most Dearly Beloved Grandson Prince Henry Charles Albert David of Wales, K.C.V.O., and Rachel Meghan Markle.

In Witness whereof We have caused Our Great Seal to be affixed to these Presents.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace the Fourteenth day of March 2018 in the Sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

BY THE QUEEN HERSELF SIGNED WITH HER OWN HAND



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day The Right Honourable Mark Lancaster TD having been appointed, by Order, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day the Right Reverend Dame Sarah Mullally DBE, the Lord Bishop of London, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council and took her place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day The Right Honourable Sir Guy Newey having been appointed, by Order, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day The Right Honourable Caroline Nokes having been appointed, by Order, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn, and took her place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day The Right Honourable Claire Perry having been appointed, by Order, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn, and took her place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day The Right Honourable Sir Rabinder Singh having been appointed, by Order, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day Enele Sopoaga was, by Her Majesty's command, appointed a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Richard Tilbrook



BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

**DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGN FOR
A NEW SERIES OF FIVE POUND COINS IN GOLD,
STANDARD SILVER, SILVER PIEDFORT, PLATINUM
PIEDFORT AND CUPRO-NICKEL; AND A NEW SERIES OF
TWENTY-FIVE POUND COINS IN PLATINUM CELEBRATING
THE SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS
THE PRINCE OF WALES**

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (cc), (cd), (d) and (dd) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to determine the denomination, the design and dimensions of coins to be made at Our

Mint, to determine the weight and fineness of certain gold coins, the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins and their least current weight, and to determine the weight and composition of coins other than gold coins or coins of silver of Our Maundy money, and the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins, to provide for the manner of measurement of the variation from the standard weight of coins, and to determine the percentage of impurities which such coins may contain:

And Whereas under section 3(1)(f) and (ff) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to direct that coins made at Our Mint other than gold, silver, cupro-nickel and bronze coins shall be current and that any coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount:

And Whereas under section 6(2) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to prescribe the composition of the standard trial plates to be used for determining the justness of coins of any metal other than gold, silver or cupro-nickel:

And Whereas it appears to Us desirable to order that, to celebrate the seventieth birthday of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales, there should be made at Our Mint a new series of coins of the denomination of five pounds in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort, platinum piedfort and cupro-nickel; and a new series of coins of the denomination of twenty-five pounds in platinum.

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (cc), (cd), (d), (dd), (f) and (ff), the said section 6(2), and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:

FIVE POUND GOLD COIN

1. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse a depiction of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales with the inscription “· H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES ·” and “70TH BIRTHDAY”. The coin shall have a plain edge.’

FIVE POUND STANDARD SILVER COIN

2. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 28.28 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, composition or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.45 grammes;

(b) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver; and

(c) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse a depiction of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales with the inscription “· H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES ·” and “70TH BIRTHDAY”. The coin shall have a plain edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

FIVE POUND SILVER PIEDFORT COIN

3. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 56.56 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, composition or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.215 grammes;

(b) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver; and

(c) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse a depiction of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales with the inscription “· H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES ·” and “70TH BIRTHDAY”. The coin shall have a plain edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

TWENTY-FIVE POUND PLATINUM COIN

4. (1) A new coin of platinum of the denomination of twenty-five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 7.846 grammes, a standard diameter of 20 millimetres and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said platinum coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.075 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The said platinum coin may contain impurities of five-tenths of one per centum.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The composition of the standard trial plates to be used for determining the justness of the said platinum coin shall be pure platinum.

(6) The design of the said platinum coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 2018 · 25 POUNDS”, and for the reverse a depiction of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales with the inscription “· H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES ·” and “70TH BIRTHDAY”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(7) The said platinum coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

FIVE POUND PLATINUM PIEDFORT COIN

5. (1) A new coin of platinum of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 94.2 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said platinum coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.85 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The said platinum coin may contain impurities of three-tenths of one per centum.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of coin.

(5) The composition of the standard trial plates to be used for determining the justness of the said platinum coin shall be pure platinum.

(6) The design of the said platinum coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse a depiction of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales with the inscription “· H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES ·” and “70TH BIRTHDAY”. The coin shall have a plain edge.’

(7) The said platinum coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

FIVE POUND CUPRO-NICKEL COIN

6. (1) A new coin of cupro-nickel of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 28.28 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, a standard composition of seventy-five per centum copper and twenty-five per centum nickel, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said cupro-nickel coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, composition or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.75 grammes;

(b) a variation from the said standard composition of two per centum copper and two per centum nickel; and

(c) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The said cupro-nickel coin may contain impurities of three-quarters of one per centum.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said cupro-nickel coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse a depiction of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales with the inscription “· H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES ·” and “70TH BIRTHDAY”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(6) The said cupro-nickel coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

7. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fifteenth day of March Two thousand and eighteen.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this fourteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and eighteen and in the sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain do cause the Great Seal of the Realm to be affixed to the Proclamation of this day's date, determining the specifications and design for a new series of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort, platinum piedfort and cupro-nickel; and a new series of twenty-five pound coins in platinum celebrating the seventieth birthday of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales.

Richard Tilbrook



BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

**DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGNS FOR A
NEW SERIES OF FIVE HUNDRED POUND, ONE HUNDRED
POUND, FIFTY POUND, TWENTY-FIVE POUND, TEN POUND,
ONE POUND AND FIFTY PENCE GOLD COINS; A NEW SERIES
OF FIVE HUNDRED POUND, TEN POUND, TWO POUND, ONE
POUND, FIFTY PENCE, TWENTY PENCE, TEN PENCE AND
FIVE PENCE SILVER COINS; AND A NEW SERIES OF
TWENTY-FIVE POUND PLATINUM COINS**

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (cc), (cd), (d) and (dd) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to determine the denomination, the design and dimensions of coins to be made at Our

Mint, to determine the weight and fineness of certain gold coins, the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins and their least current weight, and to determine the weight and composition of coins other than gold coins or coins of silver of Our Maundy money, and the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins, to provide for the manner of measurement of the variation from the standard weight of coins, and to determine the percentage of impurities which such coins may contain:

And Whereas under section 3(1)(f) and (ff) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to direct that coins made at Our Mint other than gold, silver, cupro-nickel and bronze coins shall be current and that any coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount:

And Whereas under section 6(2) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to prescribe the composition of the standard trial plates to be used for determining the justness of coins of any metal other than gold, silver or cupro-nickel:

And Whereas it appears to Us desirable to order that there should be made at Our Mint a new series of coins of the denominations of five hundred pounds, one hundred pounds, fifty pounds, twenty-five pounds, ten pounds, one pound and fifty pence in gold, a new series of coins of the denominations of five hundred pounds, ten pounds, two pounds, one pound, fifty pence, twenty pence, ten pence and five pence in silver, and a new series of coins of the denomination of twenty-five pounds in platinum.

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (cc), (cd), (d), (dd), (f) and (ff), the said section 6(2), and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:

FIVE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

1. (1) A new gold coin of the denomination of five hundred pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 156.295 grammes, a standard diameter of 50 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999.9, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.8 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 154.5 grammes.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 500 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 5OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2018”;
or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 5OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

ONE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

2. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of one hundred pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 31.21 grammes, a standard diameter of 32.69 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999.9, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.15 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 31.01 grammes.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 100 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2018”;
or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

FIFTY POUND GOLD COIN

3. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of fifty pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 15.6 grammes, a standard diameter of 27 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999.9, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.045 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 15.505 grammes.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 50 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/2OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/2OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

TWENTY-FIVE POUND GOLD COIN

4. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of twenty-five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 7.8 grammes, a standard diameter of 22 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not more than 999.9, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.025 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 7.75 grammes.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 25 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/4OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/4OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

TEN POUND GOLD COIN

5. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of ten pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 3.13 grammes, a standard diameter of 16.5 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999.9, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.02 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 3.11 grammes.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 10 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/10OZ FINE GOLD 999.9 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription "BRITANNIA 1/100Z FINE GOLD 999.9 2019".

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

ONE POUND GOLD COIN

6. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of one pound shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 1.58 grammes, a standard diameter of 12 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999.9, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.02 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 1.56 grammes.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 1 POUND", and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription "BRITANNIA 1/200Z FINE GOLD 999.9 2018"; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription "BRITANNIA 1/200Z FINE GOLD 999.9 2019".

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

FIFTY PENCE GOLD COIN

7. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of fifty pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 0.8 grammes, a standard diameter of 8 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999.9, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.015 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 0.65 grammes.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 50 PENCE”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/400Z FINE GOLD 999.9 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/400Z FINE GOLD 999.9 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

FIVE HUNDRED POUND SILVER COIN

8. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five hundred pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 1005 grammes, a standard diameter of 100 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 5 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.25 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured by weighing each coin separately.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 500 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1 KILO FINE SILVER 999 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1 KILO FINE SILVER 999 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

TEN POUND SILVER COIN

9. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of ten pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 156.295 grammes, a standard diameter of 65 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.85 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 10 POUNDS”, and for reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 5OZ FINE SILVER 999 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 5OZ FINE SILVER 999 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

TWO POUND SILVER COIN

10. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of two pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 31.21 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.15 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 2 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1OZ FINE SILVER 999 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1OZ FINE SILVER 999 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

ONE POUND SILVER COIN

11. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of one pound shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 15.71 grammes, a standard diameter of 27 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.16 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 1 POUND”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/2OZ FINE SILVER 999 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/2OZ FINE SILVER 999 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

FIFTY PENCE SILVER COIN

12. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of fifty pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 7.86 grammes, a standard diameter of 22 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.08 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 50 PENCE”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription "BRITANNIA 1/4OZ FINE SILVER 999 2018"; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription "BRITANNIA 1/4OZ FINE SILVER 999 2019".

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

TWENTY PENCE SILVER COIN

13. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of twenty pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 3.15 grammes, a standard diameter of 16.5 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.035 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 20 PENCE", and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription "BRITANNIA 1/10OZ FINE SILVER 999 2018"; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription "BRITANNIA 1/10OZ FINE SILVER 999 2019".

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

TEN PENCE SILVER COIN

14. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of ten pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 1.58 grammes, a standard diameter of 12 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.025 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 10 PENCE”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/20OZ FINE SILVER 999 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/20OZ FINE SILVER 999 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

FIVE PENCE SILVER COIN

15. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 0.8 grammes, a standard diameter of 8 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.015 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 PENCE”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/40OZ FINE SILVER 999 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/40OZ FINE SILVER 999 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

TWENTY-FIVE POUND PLATINUM COIN

16. (1) A new coin of platinum of the denomination of twenty-five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 7.846 grammes; a standard diameter of 20 millimetres and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said platinum coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.075 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The said platinum coin may contain impurities of five-tenths of one per centum.

(4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(5) The composition of the standard trial plates to be used for determining the justness of the said platinum coin shall be pure platinum.

(6) The design of the said platinum coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 25 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) the figure of Britannia wearing a Corinthian helmet garlanded with the floral symbols of Britain and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/4OZ PLATINUM 999.5 2018”; or

(b) the figure of Britannia holding a trident and shield and accompanied by a lion, and the inscription “BRITANNIA 1/40OZ PLATINUM 999.5 2019”.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(7) The said platinum coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

17. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fifteenth day of March Two thousand and eighteen.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this fourteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and eighteen and in the sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain do cause the Great Seal of the Realm to be affixed to the Proclamation of this day's date, determining the specifications and designs for a new series of five hundred pound, one hundred pound, fifty pound, twenty-five pound, ten pound, one pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of five hundred pound, ten pound, two pound, one pound, fifty pence, twenty pence, ten pence and five pence silver coins; and a new series of twenty-five pound platinum coins.

Richard Tilbrook



BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

**DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGNS FOR A
NEW SERIES OF FIVE POUND COINS IN GOLD AND SILVER
COMMEMORATING THE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE FIRST WORLD WAR**

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (cc), (cd), and (d) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to determine the denomination, the design and dimensions of coins to be made at Our Mint, to determine the weight and fineness of certain gold coins, the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins and their least current weight, and to determine the weight and composition of coins other than gold coins or coins of silver of Our Maundy

money, and the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins, to provide for the manner of measurement of the variation from the standard weight of coins:

And Whereas under section 3(1)(ff) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to direct that any coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount:

And Whereas it appears to Us desirable to order that, to commemorate the hundredth anniversary of the First World War, there should be made at Our Mint a new series of coins of the denomination of five pounds in gold and in silver:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (cc), (cd), (d) and (ff), and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:

FIVE POUND GOLD COIN

1. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

FIVE POUND SILVER COIN

2. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 28.28 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, composition or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.45 grammes;

(b) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver; and

(c) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

DESIGN OF THE COINS

3. (1) The design of the said five pound gold and silver coins shall be as follows:

For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse either:

(a) a portrait of T.E. Lawrence, accompanied by an image of soldiers on camels with the inscription “1914 THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1918” and “T.E. LAWRENCE” around the coin; separated by poppy flowers attached with barbed wire. The said coin shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription “I WROTE MY WILL ACROSS THE SKY IN STARS”; or

(b) a depiction of the aftermath of the Battle of Ypres, showing British soldiers by a grave and the inscription “· 1914 THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1918 · YPRES”. The said coin shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription “HERE WAS THE WORLD’S WORST WOUND”; or

(c) a view of a First World War tank and the inscription “1914 THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1918”. The said coin shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription “THE DEVIL IS COMING”; or

(d) a view of a woman working in a factory and the inscription “1914 THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1918”. The said coin shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription “ON HER THEIR LIVES DEPEND”; or

(e) a depiction of a bi-plane from the First World War and the inscription “· 1914 THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1918 · ROYAL AIR FORCE”. The said coin shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription “TUMULT IN THE CLOUDS”; or

(f) a design showing a Victory Medal on a letter in front of a family portrait and the inscription “1914 THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1918”. The said coin shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription “THE WATCHERS BY LONELY HEARTHS”.

4. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fifteenth day of March Two thousand and eighteen.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this fourteenth day of March in the year of
Our Lord Two thousand and eighteen and in the sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 14th DAY OF MARCH 2018

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain do cause the Great Seal of the Realm to be affixed to the Proclamation of this day's date, determining the specifications and designs for a new series of five pound coins in gold and silver commemorating the hundredth anniversary of the First World War.

Richard Tilbrook



BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

**DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGNS FOR A
NEW SERIES OF FIVE POUND COINS IN STANDARD SILVER,
SILVER PIEDFORT AND CUPRO-NICKEL**

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(a), (b), (cc), (cd), (d) and (dd) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to determine the denomination, the design and dimensions of coins to be made at Our Mint, to determine the weight and composition of coins other than gold coins or coins of silver of Our Maundy money, and the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins, to provide for the manner of measurement of the variation from the standard weight of coins, and to determine the percentage of impurities which such coins may contain:

And Whereas under section 3(1)(ff) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to direct that any coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount:

And Whereas it appears to Us desirable to order that there should be made at Our Mint a new series of coins of the denomination of five pounds in standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (cc), (cd), (d), (dd) and (ff), and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:

FIVE POUND STANDARD SILVER COIN

1. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 28.28 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, composition or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.45 grammes;

(b) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver; and

(c) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse a depiction of a poppy with the inscription “REMEMBRANCE”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

FIVE POUND SILVER PIEDFORT COIN

2. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 56.56 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61

millimetres, a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, composition or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.215 grammes;

(b) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver; and

(c) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018”, and for the reverse a depiction of a poppy with the inscription “REMEMBRANCE”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

FIVE POUND CUPRO-NICKEL COIN

3. (1) A new coin of cupro-nickel of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 28.28 grammes, a standard diameter of 38.61 millimetres, a standard composition of seventy-five per centum copper and twenty-five per centum nickel, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said cupro-nickel coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, composition or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.75 grammes;

(b) a variation from the said standard composition of two per centum copper and two per centum nickel; and

(c) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The said cupro-nickel coin may contain impurities of three-quarters of one per centum.

(5) The design of the said cupro-nickel coin shall be either:

(a) 'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 5 POUNDS · 2018", and for the reverse a depiction of a poppy with the inscription "REMEMBRANCE"; or

(b) For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · FID · DEF · 5 POUNDS", and for the reverse a depiction of four ballerinas and four carved nutcrackers in the shape of soldiers surrounded by the inscription "CHRISTMAS 2018 THE NUTCRACKER" and decorative ribbons.

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

(6) The said cupro-nickel coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

4. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fifteenth day of March Two thousand and eighteen.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this fourteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and eighteen and in the sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN



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