

**ORDERS APPROVED AND BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT THE
PRIVY COUNCIL HELD BY THE KING AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE
ON 8TH MARCH 2023**

COUNSELLORS PRESENT

The Rt Hon Penny Mordaunt (Lord President)

The Rt Hon Oliver Dowden CBE

The Rt Hon Alister Jack

The Rt Hon Lord True CBE

Privy
Counsellors

Marcus Jones MP, Kelly Tolhurst MP and Craig Whittaker MP, were sworn as Members of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

The Rt Hon Maria Eagle MP made affirmation as a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Proclamations

Five Proclamations:—

1. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of fifteen thousand pound, five thousand pound, two thousand pound, one thousand pound, five hundred pound, two hundred pound, one hundred pound, twenty five pound and fifty pence coins in gold; and a new series of five hundred pound, ten pound, five pound and two pound silver coins;
2. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of one hundred pound and twenty five pound gold coins; a new series of ten pound, five pound and two pound silver coins; and a new series of five pound cupro-nickel coins;
3. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of five pound, two pound, sovereign, half-sovereign and quarter sovereign coins in gold;
4. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel;
5. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of fifty pence coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel;

and an Order directing the Lord Chancellor to affix the Great Seal to the Proclamations.

Charters

Two Orders granting Supplemental Charters to:—

1. The London Institute of Banking & Finance;
2. Royal Statistical Society.

Charter
Amendments

Two Orders allowing amendments to the Charters of:—

1. The Royal Literary Fund;
2. The University of Southampton.

Universities of
Oxford and
Cambridge Act
1923

Order approving amendments to the Statutes of Oxford University.

Visiting
Forces Act
1952

The Visiting Forces (Designation) Order 2023 (SI).

Copyright,
Designs and
Patents Act
1988

The Copyright and Performances (Application to Other Countries) (Amendment) Order 2023 (SI).

Political
Parties,
Elections and
Referendums
Act 2000

The Postponement of Local Elections (Northern Ireland) Order 2023 (SI).

Sanctions and
Anti-Money
Laundering
Act 2018

The Russia (Sanctions) (Overseas Territories) (Amendment) Order 2023 (SI).

Jersey

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

1. The Civil Partnership (Amendment) (Jersey) Law 2023;
2. The Marriage and Civil Partnership (Amendments) (Jersey) Law 2023;
3. The Marriage and Civil Status (Amendment No. 5) (Jersey) Law 2023.

Burial Act
1853 (Notice)

Order giving notice of the discontinuance of burials in:—

1. St Bartholomew's Churchyard Extension, Keelby, Lincolnshire;
2. St James Churchyard, Badsey, Worcestershire.

Petitions

Order referring a Petition of The Royal Society for Home Relief of Incurables, Edinburgh praying for the grant of a Supplementary Charter, to a Committee of the Privy Council.



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day Marcus Jones was, by His Majesty's command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day Kelly Tolhurst was, by His Majesty's command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council and took her place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day Craig Whittaker was, by His Majesty's command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

This day the Right Honourable Maria Eagle having been appointed, by Order, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, was, by His Majesty's command, admitted on affirmation, and took her place at the Board accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



BY THE KING

A PROCLAMATION

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

CHARLES 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, and 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 there should be made at Our Mint a new series of coins of the denominations of fifteen thousand pounds, five thousand pounds, two thousand pounds, one thousand pounds, five hundred pounds, two hundred pounds, one hundred pounds, twenty-five pounds and fifty pence in gold, and a new series of coins of the denominations of five hundred pounds, ten pounds, five pounds and two pounds 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:

FIFTEEN THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

1. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of fifteen thousand pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 15030 grammes, a standard diameter of 220 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999, 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 35.94 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.75 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 14985.08 grammes.

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

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

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 15000 POUNDS”, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a plain edge.’

FIVE THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

2. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of five thousand pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 5015 grammes, a standard diameter of 175 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999, 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 35 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.6 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 4980 grammes.

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

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

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 5000 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a plain edge.’

TWO THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

3. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of two thousand pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 2010 grammes, a standard diameter of 150 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999, 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 11.97 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.6 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 1995.04 grammes.

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

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

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 2000 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

ONE THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

4. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of one thousand pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 1005 grammes, a standard diameter of 100 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999, 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 6 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.3 millimetres per coin.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 997.5 grammes.

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

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

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 1000 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

FIVE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

5. (1) A new coin of gold 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 0.937 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 155.12 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 500 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

TWO HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

6. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of two hundred pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 62.42 grammes, a standard diameter of 40 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 0.24 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 62.12 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 200 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

ONE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

7. (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 0.12 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 31.06 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 100 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

TWENTY-FIVE POUND GOLD COIN

8. (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 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 0.024 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 7.77 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 25 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

FIFTY PENCE GOLD COIN

9. (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 0.012 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 0.79 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 50 PENCE ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

FIVE HUNDRED POUND SILVER COIN

10. (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 6 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.3 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 500 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. 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

11. (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 0.934 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F D · 10 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. 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 POUND SILVER COIN

12. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 62.86 grammes, a standard diameter of 40 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 0.784 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 5 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. 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

13. (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 0.12 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 2 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Our Royal Arms set against an ornate background accompanied by cartouches depicting Our Royal Cypher and three interlinked Cs, and surrounded by the inscription “· THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 ·”. 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.

14. This Proclamation shall come into force on the ninth day of March Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this eighth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-three and in the first year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING



BY THE KING

A PROCLAMATION

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

CHARLES 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)(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 denominations of one hundred pounds and twenty-five pounds in gold, a new series of coins of the denominations of ten pounds, five pounds and two pounds in silver, and a new series of coins of the denomination of five pounds in cupro-nickel:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (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:

ONE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

1. (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 0.12 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 31.06 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 either:

(a) ‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 100 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year; or

(b) for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 100 POUNDS”, and for the reverse a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · 1OZ · FINE GOLD · 999.9 ·” and the date of the year; or

(c) for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 100 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year; or

(d) for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 100 POUNDS”, and for the reverse a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · 1OZ · FINE GOLD · 999.9 ·” and the date of the year.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

TWENTY-FIVE POUND GOLD COIN

2. (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 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 0.024 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 7.77 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 silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 25 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

(a) a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year; or

(b) a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

TEN POUND SILVER COIN

3. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of ten pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 311.53 grammes, a standard diameter of 89 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999.9 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 0.566 grammes;
and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.3 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 10 POUNDS”, and for the reverse either:

(a) a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · 10OZ · FINE SILVER · 999.9 ·” and the date of the year; or

(b) a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · 10OZ · FINE SILVER · 999.9 ·” and the date of the year; or

(c) a depiction of King Arthur with the inscription “KING ARTHUR · 10OZ · FINE SILVER · 999.9 ·” and the date of the year.

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 POUND SILVER COIN

4. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of five pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 62.86 grammes, a standard diameter of 40 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 0.784 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 5 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

(a) a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year; or

(b) a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year.

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

5. (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 0.12 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 either:

(a) ‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 2 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year; or

(b) for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 2 POUNDS ·”, and for the reverse a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · 1OZ · FINE SILVER · 999 ·” and the date of the year; or

(c) for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 2 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year; or

(d) for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 2 POUNDS ·”, and for the reverse a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · 1OZ · FINE SILVER · 999 ·” and the date of the year.

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 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, diameter or composition 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 0.852 grammes;

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

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

(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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 5 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

(a) a depiction of Merlin with the inscription “MERLIN · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year; or

(b) a depiction of Morgan Le Fay with the inscription “MORGAN LE FAY · MYTHS AND LEGENDS ·” and the date of the year.

The coin shall have a grained edge.’

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

7. This Proclamation shall come into force on the ninth day of March Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this eighth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-three and in the first year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING



BY THE KING

A PROCLAMATION

**DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGN FOR A NEW
SERIES OF FIVE POUND, TWO POUND, SOVEREIGN,
HALF-SOVEREIGN AND QUARTER-SOVEREIGN COINS IN GOLD**

CHARLES R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (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 provide for the manner of measurement of the variation from the standard weight of coins:

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 pounds, two pounds, sovereign, half-sovereign and quarter-sovereign in gold:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (cd) and (d) 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 36.02 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.

TWO POUND GOLD COIN

2. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of two pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard diameter of 28.4 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.

SOVEREIGN GOLD COIN

3. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of a sovereign shall be made, being a coin of a standard diameter of 22.05 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.

HALF-SOVEREIGN GOLD COIN

4. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of half-sovereign shall be made, being a coin of a standard diameter of 19.3 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.

QUARTER-SOVEREIGN GOLD COIN

5. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of quarter-sovereign shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 1.997 grammes, a standard diameter of 13.5 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of 916.7 and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, diameter or fineness 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 0.012 grammes;

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

(c) a variation from the said millesimal fineness of two per mille.

(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 least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 1.98 grammes.

DESIGN OF THE COINS

6. The design of the said five pound, two pound, sovereign, half-sovereign and quarter-sovereign gold coins shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · DEI · GRA · REX · FID · DEF” and for the reverse a depiction of St George armed, sitting on horseback, attacking a dragon with a sword, and a broken spear upon the ground, and the date of the year. The coins shall have a grained or plain edge.’

7. This Proclamation shall come into force on the ninth day of March Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this eighth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-three and in the first year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING



BY THE KING

A PROCLAMATION

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

CHARLES 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)(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 gold, in standard silver, in silver piedfort and in cupro-nickel:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (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 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 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, diameter or composition 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 0.503 grammes;

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

(c) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver.

(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.

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, diameter or composition 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 0.252 grammes;

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

(c) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver.

(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.

FIVE POUND CUPRO-NICKEL COIN

4. (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, diameter or composition 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 0.852 grammes;

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

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

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

DESIGN OF THE COINS

5. The design of the said five pound gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel coins shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 5 POUNDS ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of the St Edward’s Crown accompanied by the sovereign’s sceptre with dove and the sovereign’s sceptre with cross with the inscription “THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023”. The coins shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription “· GOD SAVE OUR GRACIOUS KING”, save for the cupro-nickel coin which shall have a grained edge.

6. This Proclamation shall come into force on the ninth day of March Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this eighth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-three and in the first year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING



BY THE KING

A PROCLAMATION

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

CHARLES 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)(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 fifty pence in gold, in standard silver, in silver piedfort and in cupro-nickel:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (c), (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:

FIFTY PENCE GOLD COIN

1. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of fifty pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 15.5 grammes, a standard diameter of 27.3 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of 916.7, and being in the shape of an equilateral curve heptagon.

(2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, diameter or fineness 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 0.078 grammes;

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

(c) a variation from the said millesimal fineness of two per mille.

(3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 15.4 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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 50 PENCE ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse Our Royal Cypher set against a depiction of a section of the exterior of Westminster Abbey. The coin shall have a plain edge.’

FIFTY PENCE STANDARD SILVER COIN

2. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of fifty pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 8 grammes, a standard diameter of 27.3 millimetres, a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, and being in the shape of an equilateral curve heptagon.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, diameter or composition 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 0.196 grammes;
- (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin; and
- (c) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver.

(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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 50 PENCE ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse Our Royal Cypher set against a depiction of a section of the exterior of Westminster Abbey. 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.

FIFTY PENCE SILVER PIEDFORT COIN

3. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of fifty pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 16 grammes, a standard diameter of 27.3 millimetres, a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, and being in the shape of an equilateral curve heptagon.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, diameter or composition 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 0.24 grammes;
- (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin; and
- (c) a variation from the said standard composition of five parts per thousand fine silver.

(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 “· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 50 PENCE ·” and the date of the year, and for the reverse Our Royal Cypher set against a depiction of a section of the exterior of Westminster Abbey. 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.

FIFTY PENCE CUPRO-NICKEL COIN

4. (1) A new coin of cupro-nickel of the denomination of fifty pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 8 grammes, a standard diameter of 27.3 millimetres, a standard composition of seventy-five per centum copper and twenty-five per centum nickel, and being in the shape of an equilateral curve heptagon.

(2) In the making of the said cupro-nickel coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight, diameter or composition 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 0.336 grammes;

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

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

(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 either:

(a) 'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· CHARLES III · D · G · REX F · D · 50 PENCE ·"' and the date of the year, and for the reverse Our Royal Cypher set against a depiction of a section of the exterior of Westminster Abbey; or

(b) For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 50 PENCE ·"' and the date of the year, and for the reverse Our Royal cypher set against a depiction of a section of the exterior of Westminster Abbey.

The coin shall have a plain edge.'

(6) The said cupro-nickel coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount not exceeding ten pounds in any part of Our United Kingdom.

5. This Proclamation shall come into force on the ninth day of March Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this eighth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-three and in the first year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

It is this day ordered by His Majesty in Council that the Right Honourable the Lord Chancellor do cause the Great Seal of the Realm to be affixed to the five Proclamations of this day's date:

1. determining the specification and designs for a new series of fifteen thousand pound, five thousand pound, two thousand pound, one thousand pound, five hundred pound, two hundred pound, one hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence coins in gold; and a new series of five hundred pound, ten pound, five pound and two pound silver coins;
2. determining the specification and designs for a new series of one hundred pound and twenty-five pound gold coins; a new series of ten pound, five pound and two pound silver coins; and a new series of five pound cupro-nickel coins;
3. determining the specification and designs for a new series of five pound, two pound, sovereign, half-sovereign and quarter sovereign coins in gold;
4. determining the specification and designs for a new series of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel;
5. determining the specification and designs for a new series of fifty pence coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

The following Report of a Committee of the Privy Council dated 26th August 2022 was today considered:—

“Her late Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second was pleased, by Her Order of 13th April 2022, to refer to this Committee a Petition on behalf of The London Institute of Banking & Finance, praying for the grant of a Supplemental Charter:

The Committee, in obedience to Her late Majesty's Order of Reference, have accordingly considered the Petition and have agreed to report it as their opinion that a revised Supplemental Charter may be granted in terms of the annexed Draft.”

His Majesty, having taken the Report and the revised Draft Supplemental Charter accompanying it into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve them. It is accordingly ordered that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain should cause a Warrant to be prepared for His Majesty's Royal Signature for passing under the Great Seal a Supplemental Charter in conformity with the annexed Draft.

Richard Tilbrook CVO



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

The following Reports of a Committee of the Privy Council dated 4th May 2022 and 1st March 2023 were today considered:—

“Her late Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second was pleased, by Her Order of 16th February 2022, to refer to this Committee a Petition on behalf of The Royal Statistical Society, praying for the grant of a Supplemental Charter:

The Committee, in obedience to Her late Majesty's Order of Reference, have accordingly considered the Petition and have agreed to report it as their opinion that a revised Supplemental Charter may be granted in terms of the annexed Draft.”

His Majesty, having taken the Reports and the revised Draft Supplemental Charter accompanying them into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve them. It is accordingly ordered that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain should cause a Warrant to be prepared for His Majesty's Royal Signature for passing under the Great Seal a Supplemental Charter in conformity with the annexed Draft.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

His Majesty has approved amendments to the Charter of The Royal Literary Fund as set out in the Schedule to this Order.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE ROYAL LITERARY FUND

1. In Article 1 ***delete*** “1818’ and ***substitute*** “Original”.
2. In Article 3(v):
 - a) ***delete*** “masculine and ***substitute*** “feminine”;
 - b) and in the following line ***delete*** “feminine” and ***substitute*** “masculine”.
3. In Article 5(xv) ***delete*** “(“the Managers”)”.
4. In Article 6(ii):
 - a) ***delete*** “him” and ***substitute*** “her”;
 - b) ***delete*** “his” and ***substitute*** “her”.
5. In Article 6(ii)(a) ***delete*** “his” and ***substitute*** “her”.
6. In Article 8(iv) ***delete*** “(“the Registrars”)”.
7. In Article 12 ***delete*** “membership” and ***substitute*** “Membership”.



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

His Majesty in Council has allowed revised amendments to the Charter of The University of Southampton as set out in the Schedule to this Order.

Richard Tilbrook CVO

SCHEDULE

REVISED AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHAMPTON

1. **Delete** Articles 1 to 24 and **substitute:**
 - “1. There is hereby founded a University by the name of 'The University of Southampton' with such Faculties, Schools and other academic groups as may be constituted from time to time by the Ordinances of the University and from henceforth for ever shall be one body politic and corporate with perpetual succession and a Common Seal by the name of 'The University of Southampton' with full power and capacity by and in such name to sue and be sued and to take and hold land to assume armorial bearings which shall be duly enrolled in Our College of Arms and to do all other lawful acts whatsoever.
 2. We Our Heirs and Successors Kings and Queens of the Kingdom and Dominions aforesaid shall be and remain the Visitor and Visitors of the University of Southampton through the President of Our Council for the time being.
 3. The University shall be a teaching and an examining body and which shall further the prosecution of research.
 4. Subject to this Our Charter and to the Ordinances the University shall, without limitation, have the following powers:

- a) To award and confer under conditions laid down in its Ordinances Degrees and other academic distinctions to and on persons who shall have pursued an approved course of study in the University and shall have passed the examinations or other tests prescribed by the University.
- b) To award Degrees and other academic distinctions jointly with other higher education institutions having the power to grant such qualifications, to persons who shall have passed the examinations or other tests prescribed by the University and the other parties to the joint awards.
- c) To admit graduates of other Universities to Degrees of equal or similar rank in the University.
- d) To confer Degrees of the University on any persons who hold office in the University as Professors, Associate Professors, Readers, Senior Lecturers, Lecturers or otherwise or who shall have carried on research therein under conditions laid down in its Ordinances.
- e) To grant Diplomas Certificates or other distinctions to persons who have pursued a programme of study approved by the University under conditions laid down by the University.
- f) To confer Honorary Degrees and other distinctions on approved persons provided that all Degrees and other distinctions so conferred shall be conferred and held subject to any provisions which are or may be made in reference thereto by the Ordinances or Regulations of the University.
- g) On what the University shall deem to be good cause to deprive persons of any Degrees Diplomas Certificates or distinctions granted to or conferred upon them by the University.
- h) To provide instruction in such branches of learning as the University may think fit and to make provision for research and for the advancement and dissemination of knowledge whether through Faculties, Schools or other academic groups as the University may determine.
- i) To provide such lectures and instruction for persons not members of the University as the University may determine and grant Certificates to such persons.
- j) To accept the examinations and periods of study passed by students of the University at other Universities or places of learning as equivalent to such examinations and periods of study in the University as the University may determine and to withdraw such acceptance at any time.
- k) To affiliate other institutions or branches or departments thereof or to recognise selected members of the staff thereof as teachers of the University or to admit the members thereof to any of the privileges of the University and to accept attendance at programmes of study in such institutions or branches or departments thereof in place of such part of the attendance at programmes of study in the University and upon such terms and conditions and subject to such regulations as may from time to time be determined by the University.
- l) To examine and inspect schools and other educational institutions and to co-operate by means of Joint Boards or otherwise with other University

authorities for the conduct of examinations for the examination and inspection of schools and other academic institutions and for such other purposes as the University may from time to time determine.

- m) To enter into any agreement for the incorporation in the University of any other institution and for taking over its rights property and liabilities and for any other purpose not repugnant to this our Charter.
- n) To institute Professorships, Associate Professorships, Readerships, Senior Lectureships, Lectureships and any other offices required by the University and to appoint to such offices.
- o) To institute and award Fellowships, Studentships, Scholarships, Exhibitions, Bursaries and Prizes.
- p) To establish and maintain and to administer and govern institutions for the residence of the students of the University whether Colleges, Halls, Hostels or Houses and to licence and supervise such institutions and other places of residence whether maintained by the University or not.
- q) To make provision for research and advisory services and with these objects to enter into such arrangements with other institutions or with public bodies as may be thought desirable.
- r) To undertake and organise research, consultancy services and other activities using the expertise and facilities of the University with a view to generating revenue to be used to support and further the objects of the University.
- s) To provide for the printing and publication of research and other works which may be issued by the University.
- t) To acquire, own, maintain, manage, develop, adopt and dispose of real and personal property.
- u) To invest.
- v) To give guarantees.
- w) To borrow and raise money and give security for loans, and for those purposes the University shall have the authority to enter into any financial instrument which is ancillary or incidental to the exercise of such powers.
- x) To determine, levy, demand and receive fees, subscriptions and deposits, and to make investments and to borrow money on such terms as the University may think fit.
- y) To solicit, receive and administer grants, subscriptions, donations, endowments, legacies, gifts and loans of any property whatsoever real or personal whether subject to any special trust or not.
- z) To establish and abolish posts, make and terminate appointments, and to remunerate the holders thereof.
- aa) To do all such other acts and things, whether incidental to the powers aforesaid or not, as may be requisite in order to further the objects of the University as a place of education, learning and research.

5. There shall be a Chancellor of the University who shall be the ceremonial head of the University.
6. There shall be Pro Chancellors of the University, who shall subject to the Ordinances exercise all the functions of the Chancellor in the absence of the Chancellor or during a vacancy in the office of Chancellor.
7. There shall be a President and Vice-Chancellor of the University who shall be the principal academic and administrative officer of the University and who shall ex officio take the chair at meetings of the Senate. The President and Vice-Chancellor shall be appointed by the Council in accordance with the Ordinances.
8. There shall be Vice-Presidents and Associate Vice-Presidents of the University. During a vacancy in the office of the President and Vice-Chancellor or in the event of their incapacity, the Council may appoint a Vice-President as Acting President and Vice-Chancellor for such period and on such conditions as the Council may determine.
9. There shall be a Council of the University which shall be the governing body of the University and shall have the custody and use of the Common Seal, the management and administration of the revenue and property of the University and the conduct of all the affairs of the University. The Council shall exercise all of the University's powers and shall, without limitation, have such powers as prescribed by Ordinance.
10. The Council shall comprise such independent members (being neither members of staff nor students of the University) ("Independent Members") and such members of staff and students for such terms of office as it may prescribe from time to time by Ordinance, provided always that there shall be a majority of independent members, of which at least one shall be a graduate of the University.
11. There shall be a Chair and a Vice-Chair of the Council and a Treasurer and such other officers of the University as the Council may appoint from time to time from amongst its Independent Members.
12. The quorum for Council shall be one third of the Members plus one, provided that the Independent Members are in the majority.
13. A meeting of the Council may be held either in person or by suitable electronic or virtual means in which all participants may simultaneously communicate with all other participants. Participants shall be considered to be present at the meeting by attending in person or virtually.
14. A resolution approved in writing or by email by a simple majority of the Members of Council or, in the case of a Special Resolution, by three-fourths of the Members of Council shall be as valid as a resolution passed at a meeting. For this purpose the resolution may be approved in or by more than one document or email and will be treated as passed on the date the requisite majority is received.

15. Subject to the provisions of this Our Charter, the Council may delegate such of its functions, powers and duties to such bodies or individuals as it may think fit. In accordance with the Ordinances, the Council may appoint standing and temporary committees which shall have the power to establish sub-committees unless the Council has provided to the contrary.
16. The Council may not delegate its powers to:
 - a) Amend the Charter and Ordinances;
 - b) Approve the University's mission and strategic plan;
 - c) Approve the University's annual financial forecasts;
 - d) Approve the University's annual budget;
 - e) Approve the University's annual financial statements and accounts;
 - f) Approve the University's bankers and internal and external auditors;
 - g) Appoint and remove the Pro Chancellors, the Chair and Vice-Chair of Council, the Treasurer, members in the appropriate classes of membership of Council and the President and Vice-Chancellor.
17. The University shall have external Auditors who shall be appointed by the Council. The Auditors shall be members of a relevant professional body and in the active practice of their profession. No Auditor shall be a member of the Council or staff of the University.
18. There shall be a Senate of the University which shall subject to the Ordinances of the University and the control and approval of the Council regulate and superintend the education and discipline of students and of undergraduates of the University.
19. There shall be a Union of Students of the University which shall conduct and manage its own affairs and funds in accordance with a constitution approved by the Council.
20. The Council may by Special Resolution revoke, amend or add to any of the provisions of this Our Charter, provided that no revocation, amendment or addition in relation to academic matters shall be made before the Senate has been consulted, and such revocation, amendment or addition shall when allowed by Us, Our Heirs or Successors in Council become effectual so that this Our Charter shall thenceforward continue and operate as so revoked, amended or added to. This provision shall apply to this Our Charter as revoked, amended or added to in manner aforesaid.
21. A 'Special Resolution' means:-
 - a. a resolution passed at a meeting of the Council, provided that the notice of the meeting shall be given to each Member of the Council not less than fourteen days before the meeting, and that the resolution be passed at the meeting by a majority of not less than three-fourths of the Members present and voting;

- b. a written resolution approved in accordance with Article 14.
- 22. The Council, on the recommendation of or after consultation with the Senate on academic matters, may make Ordinances which may add to, amend or repeal the Ordinances from time to time in force. Such Ordinances, or such addition, amendment or repeal, shall only have effect if passed by a majority of not less than two-thirds of those present and voting at the meeting of the Council or passed by a written resolution approved in accordance with Article 14 except with a majority of not less than two-thirds of the Members of Council.
- 23. The Ordinances of the University shall prescribe or regulate as the case may be:
 - a) The composition and the proceedings of the Council.
 - b) The constitution, powers and duties of the Senate and all other matters relative to the Senate which it may consider are proper to be so prescribed and regulated.
 - c) The constitution, powers and duties of the Boards of the Faculties, Schools or other such academic groups as may be constituted from time to time and all other matters relative to the Faculties, Schools or other such academic groups which it may be thought proper to be so prescribed and regulated.
 - d) Such other matters as the Council may deem fit with respect to or for the governance of the University.
- 24. The Council, the Senate and the Boards of the Faculties, Schools or other such academic groups as may be constituted from time to time respectively may from time to time make Standing Orders for governing subject to these Presents and the Ordinances the proceedings of those bodies. The power to make Standing Orders shall include the power to add to, amend, alter or repeal any such Standing Orders.
- 25. The Council shall have regard to the need to ensure that employees (other than registered students) engaged in teaching or research, in undertaking academic activity, shall have freedom within the law to question and test received wisdom and to put forward new ideas and controversial or unpopular opinions, without placing themselves in jeopardy of losing their jobs or any privileges which they may have at the University.
- 26. The University promotes equal opportunities and no discrimination that is prohibited by any legislation that is from time to time in force shall be shown against any person.
- 27. In this Our Charter

'Ordinances' means Ordinances made by Council pursuant to this Our Charter.

'Regulations' except when otherwise required by the context means Regulations made pursuant to this Our Charter or to the Ordinances.
- 28. Our Royal Will and pleasure is that these Presents shall ever be construed benevolently and in every case most favourably to the University of Southampton and the promotion of the objects of this Our Charter.”



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 8th DAY OF MARCH 2023

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

The University of Oxford has made a Statute, amending the existing Statutes, in accordance with the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act 1923, and in the form set out in the Schedule to this Order.

The Statute has been submitted to His Majesty in Council, and the provisions of the Act relating to publication in the London Gazette and laying before both Houses of Parliament have been complied with.

No petition or address has been presented against the Statute.

Now, therefore, His Majesty, having taken the Statute into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve it.

Richard Tilbrook CVO

SCHEDULE

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

STATUTE APPROVED BY CONGREGATION ON

TUESDAY, 11 October 2022

WHEREAS it is expedient to change the existing provisions governing the Beit Professor of the History of the British Commonwealth, NOW THE UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD, in exercise of the powers in that behalf conferred upon it by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1923, and of all other powers enabling it, ENACTS, subject to the approval of His Majesty in Council, AS FOLLOWS.

In the Schedule to the Statutes, amend part 4 (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

~~‘Part 4: Beit Professor of the Global and Imperial History of the British Commonwealth~~

4.1. The annual contribution from the Beit Fund towards the stipend of the holder of the Professorship of ~~the Global and Imperial History of the British Commonwealth~~ shall be used as partial funding for that chair, which shall be called the Beit Professorship.

4.2. The Beit Professor of ~~the Global and Imperial History of the British Commonwealth~~ shall undertake research, lecture and give instruction in ~~the History of the British Empire and Commonwealth~~ global and imperial history.

4.3. The professor shall be elected by an electoral board consisting of:

(1) the Vice-Chancellor, ~~or, if the head of the college specified in (2) of this section is Vice-Chancellor, a person appointed by Council;~~

(2) the head of the college to which the professorship shall be for the time being allocated by Council under any statute or regulation, or, if the head is unable or unwilling to act, a person appointed by the governing body of the college;

(3) a person appointed by the governing body of the college specified in (2) of this section;

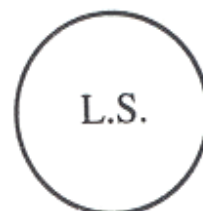
(4), (5) two persons appointed by Council;

(6) ~~a person appointed by the Humanities Board~~ the Head of the Humanities Division, or their nominee;

(7)-(9) three persons appointed by the Board of the Faculty of History.

4.4. The professor shall be subject to any general statutes or regulations concerning the duties of professors and to any particular regulations which are applicable to this chair.’

The **COMMON SEAL** of the
CHANCELLOR, MASTERS, AND
SCHOLARS OF THE
UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD



was affixed on 26th October 2022

in the presence of:

Antony Willott
Director of Planning and Council Secretariat



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

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IN COUNCIL

The following report from the Committee of Council for the Affairs of Jersey and Guernsey was today read at the Board:

“In accordance with the Royal Assent to Legislation and Petitions (Bailiwick of Jersey) Order 2022 the Committee have considered a letter from the Deputy Greffier of the States of Jersey transmitting an Act passed on 2nd March 2022 entitled the Civil Partnership (Amendment) (Jersey) Law 2023:

The Committee have considered the Act and have agreed to report that it may be advisable for Your Majesty to approve and ratify it.”

His Majesty, having taken the report into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve and ratify the Act (a copy of which is annexed to this Order) and to order that it, together with this Order, shall be entered on the Register of the Island of Jersey and observed accordingly. His Majesty's Officers in the Island, and all others whom it may concern, are therefore to take notice of His Majesty's Order and to proceed accordingly.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



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The Committee have considered the Act and have agreed to report that it may be advisable for Your Majesty to approve and ratify it.”

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The Secretary of State for Justice, after giving ten days' notice of his intention to do so, has, under the Burial Act 1853 as amended, made representations to His Majesty in Council that, subject to the exceptions below, burials should be discontinued in:-

- 1) St Bartholomew's Churchyard Extension, Keelby, Lincolnshire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 2) St James Churchyard, Badsey, Worcestershire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto).

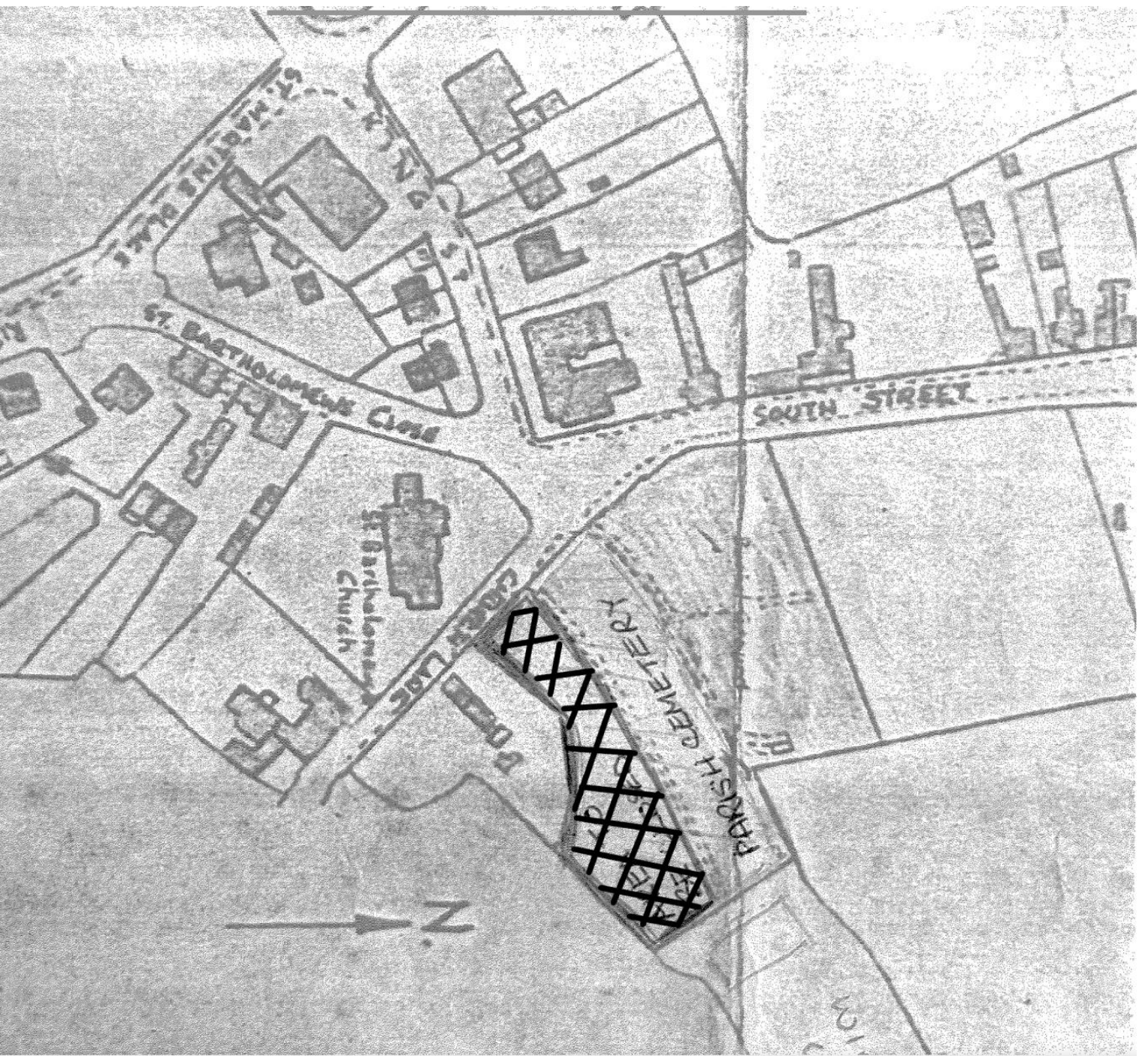
The exceptions are that:-

- (a) in the place numbered 2 above, in any vault or walled grave in the churchyard, burial may be allowed but every coffin in such vault or grave must be separately enclosed by stonework or brick work properly cemented;
- (b) in places numbered 1 and 2 above, in any existing earthen grave in the churchyard, the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons previously buried in that grave, but no part of the coffin containing the body shall be less than one metre below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

His Majesty in Council is pleased to give Notice of these representations and to order that they be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on 19th April 2023.

And His Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order should be published in the London Gazette, and that copies of it should be fixed on the doors of the Churches or Chapels of the above mentioned places, or displayed conspicuously inside them, for one month before 19th April 2023.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO







At the Court at Buckingham Palace

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IN COUNCIL

A Petition of The Royal Society for Home Relief to Incurables, Edinburgh praying for the grant of a Supplementary Charter was today referred by His Majesty in Council, together with any other Petitions on the subject, to a Committee of the Privy Council for consideration and report.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO