# ORDERS APPROVED AND BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT THE PRIVY COUNCIL HELD BY THE KING AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE ON 17TH MAY 2023

# **COUNSELLORS PRESENT**

The Rt Hon Penny Mordaunt (Lord President)
The Rt Hon Kemi Badenoch
The Rt Hon Lucy Frazer KC
The Rt Hon Alister Jack
The Rt Hon Chloe Smith

Privy Counsellors Humza Yousaf MSP was sworn as a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Secretary of State

The Right Honourable Chloe Smith made affirmation as one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (Science, Innovation and Technology).

# Proclamations Five Proclamations:—

- determining the specifications and design for a new series of five hundred pound, two hundred pound, 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;
- 2. determining the specifications and design for a new series of one hundred pound, twenty-five pound and ten pound gold coins; a new series of one pound gold piedfort coins; and a new series of two pound silver coins;
- determining the specifications and design for a new series of one hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of ten pound, five pound, two pound and fifty pence silver coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins;
- 4. determining the specifications and design for a new series of five pound silver coins;

5. determining the specifications and design for a new series of two pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort, cupro-nickel and nickel-brass;

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

#### Charters

Two Orders granting Supplemental Charters to:

- 1. The Royal Geographical Society;
- 2. The School of Oriental and African Studies.

#### Charter Amendments

Order allowing amendments to the Charter of The Worshipful Company of Drapers of the City of London.

## British Broadcasting Corporation

Order extending the term of office for Dame Elan Closs Stephens DBE, as the Nation Member for Wales, to the Board of the British Broadcasting Corporation.

#### Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2018

The Republic of Belarus (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Isle of Man) (Revocation) Order 2023 (SI).

#### Jersey

Order approving the Sanctions and Asset-Freezing (Amendment No. 3) (Jersey) Law 2023.

#### Burial Act 1853 (Notice)

Order giving notice of the discontinuance of burials in:—

- 1. St Mary the Virgin Church Churchyard, Diptford, Devon;
- 2. St Mary's Church Churchyard, North Huish, Devon;
- 3. All Saints Churchyard, Nazeing, Epping Forest, Essex;

4. St Andrew Churchyard, Burgess Hill, West Sussex.

#### Burial Act 1853 (Final)

Order prohibiting further burials in:-

- 1. Holywell (North) Churchyard, Oxford, Oxfordshire;
- 2. Holywell (South) Churchyard, Oxford, Oxfordshire;
- 3. St Martin's Churchyard, Looe, Cornwall;
- 4. St Mary the Virgin Church Churchyard, Alderbury, Salisbury, Wiltshire;
- 5. St Mary the Virgin Churchyard, Swineshead, Lincolnshire;
- 6. St Bartholomew's Churchyard Extension, Keelby, Lincolnshire;
- 7. St James Churchyard, Badsey, Worcestershire.

#### Petitions

Order referring a Petition of the College of Paramedics praying for the grant of a Charter of Incorporation, to a Committee of the Privy Council.



# At the Court at Buckingham Palace

# THE 17th DAY OF MAY 2023

# PRESENT,

# THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

This day Humza Yousaf 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 17th DAY OF MAY 2023

# PRESENT,

# THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

This day the Right Honourable Chloe Smith did, by His Majesty's command, make solemn affirmation as Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



#### BY THE KING

# A PROCLAMATION

DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGNS FOR A NEW SERIES OF FIVE HUNDRED POUND, TWO HUNDRED POUND, 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 five hundred pounds, two hundred pounds, 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:

# FIVE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

- 1. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  500 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE". The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### TWO HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

2. (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 either:

- (a) a depiction of the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE"; or
- (b) a depiction of the silhouette of Dame Shirley Bassey accompanied by the inscription "DAME SHIRLEY BASSEY" and the song titles "GOLDFINGER", "MOONRAKER" and "DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER".

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### ONE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

- 3. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  100 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE"; or
- (b) a depiction of the silhouette of Dame Shirley Bassey accompanied by the inscription "DAME SHIRLEY BASSEY" and the song titles "GOLDFINGER", "MOONRAKER" and "DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER".

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 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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  25 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE"; or
- (b) a depiction of the silhouette of Dame Shirley Bassey accompanied by the inscription "DAME SHIRLEY BASSEY" and the song titles "GOLDFINGER", "MOONRAKER" and "DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER".

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### TEN POUND SILVER COIN

- 5. (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 the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE". 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 COIN

- 6. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  5 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE"; or
- (b) a depiction of the silhouette of Dame Shirley Bassey accompanied by the inscription "DAME SHIRLEY BASSEY" and the song titles "GOLDFINGER", "MOONRAKER" and "DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER".

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.

#### TWO POUND SILVER COIN

- 7. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  2 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:
- (a) a depiction of the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE". The coin shall have a plain edge and in incuse letters the inscription "· EVERY BREATH YOU TAKE"; or
- (b) a depiction of the silhouette of Dame Shirley Bassey accompanied by the inscription "DAME SHIRLEY BASSEY" and the song titles "GOLDFINGER", "MOONRAKER" and "DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER". 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

- 8. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  5 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of the silhouettes of the three members of The Police accompanied by the inscription "THE POLICE"; or
- (b) a depiction of the silhouette of Dame Shirley Bassey accompanied by the inscription "DAME SHIRLEY BASSEY" and the song titles "GOLDFINGER", "MOONRAKER" and "DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER".

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.

9. This Proclamation shall come into force on the eighteenth day of May Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this seventeenth day of May 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, TWENTY-FIVE POUND AND FIFTY PENCE GOLD COINS; A NEW SERIES OF TEN POUND, FIVE POUND, TWO POUND AND FIFTY PENCE SILVER COINS; AND A NEW SERIES OF FIFTY PENCE 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, twenty-five pounds and fifty pence in gold, a new series of coins of the denominations of ten pounds, five pounds, two pounds and fifty pence in silver, and a new series of coins of the denomination of fifty pence 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 as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  100 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

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 gold coin shall be as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  25 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### FIFTY PENCE GOLD COIN

- 3. (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 either:

- (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

The coin shall have a plain edge.'

#### TEN POUND SILVER COIN

- 4. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of ten pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 156.3 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 either:
  - (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or

- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

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 COIN

- 5. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  5 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

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.

#### TWO POUND SILVER COIN

- 6. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  2 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:
  - (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

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.

#### FIFTY PENCE SILVER COIN

7. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  50 PENCE  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:
  - (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

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

- 8. (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 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 either:
  - (a) a depiction of R2-D2 and C-3PO with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (b) a depiction of Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
- (c) a depiction of Luke Skywalker and Princess Leia with the inscription "STAR WARS"; or
  - (d) a depiction of Han Solo and Chewbacca with the inscription "STAR WARS".

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.

9. This Proclamation shall come into force on the eighteenth day of May Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this seventeenth day of May 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, TWENTY-FIVE POUND AND TEN POUND GOLD COINS; A NEW SERIES OF ONE POUND GOLD PIEDFORT COINS; AND A NEW SERIES OF 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 one hundred pounds, twenty-five pounds and ten pounds in gold, a new series of coins of the denomination of one pound in gold piedfort, and a new series of coins of the denomination of 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:

#### 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 0.118 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 either:

- (a) Our Royal Cypher surrounded by a laurel wreath and the inscription "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023" and, in microtext, "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 1OZ FINE GOLD 999.9"; or
- (b) a depiction of Britannia standing upon a rock in the sea, her right hand grasping a trident and her left resting on a shield and holding an olive branch, accompanied by a security latent feature, the inscription "· BRITANNIA · (the date of the year) · 1OZ · 999.9 · FINE · GOLD ·" and, in microtext, "DECUS ET TUTAMEN".

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 gold coin shall be as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F D  $\cdot$  25 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse Our Royal Cypher surrounded by a laurel wreath and the inscription "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023" and, in microtext, "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 1/4OZ FINE GOLD 999.9". The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### TEN POUND GOLD COIN

- 3. (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 0.018 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 3.108 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 · 10 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse Our Royal Cypher surrounded by a laurel wreath and the inscription "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023" and, in microtext, "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 1/100Z FINE GOLD 999.9". The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### ONE POUND GOLD PIEDFORT COIN

- 4. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of one pound shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 15.976 grammes, a standard diameter of 22.05 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of no less than 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 0.031 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 15.94 grammes.
  - (5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  DEI  $\cdot$  GRA  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  FID  $\cdot$  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 coin shall have a grained or plain edge.'

#### 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 as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  2 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) Our Royal Cypher surrounded by a laurel wreath and the inscription "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023" and, in microtext, "THE CORONATION OF KING CHARLES III 6 MAY 2023 1OZ FINE SILVER 999"; or
- (b) a depiction of Britannia standing upon a rock in the sea, her right hand grasping a trident and her left resting on a shield and holding an olive branch, accompanied by a security latent feature, the inscription "· BRITANNIA · (the date of the year) · 1OZ · 999 · FINE · SILVER ·" and, in microtext, "DECUS ET TUTAMEN".

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

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this seventeenth day of May 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 SILVER COINS

# CHARLES R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(a), (b), (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 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 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 silver:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (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 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, 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 0.504 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 · 5 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of three lions passant guardant, being that quartering of Our Royal Arms known heraldically as England and the inscription "FIVE POUNDS". 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.
- 2. This Proclamation shall come into force on the eighteenth day of May Two thousand and twenty-three.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this seventeenth day of May 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 TWO POUND COINS IN GOLD, STANDARD SILVER, SILVER PIEDFORT, CUPRO-NICKEL AND NICKEL-BRASS

# CHARLES 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)(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 denomination of two pounds in gold, in standard silver, in silver piedfort and in cupro-nickel and nickel-brass:

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

#### TWO POUND GOLD COIN

- 1. (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, being circular in shape and having joined concentric inner and outer sections.
- (2) Without prejudice to section 1(2) of the Coinage Act 1971, the inner and outer sections may consist of different alloys.
  - (3) The approximate diameter of the inner section shall be 20 millimetres.
- (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.

#### TWO POUND STANDARD SILVER COIN

- 2. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of two pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight (including the gold plate) of 12 grammes, a standard diameter of 28.4 millimetres, a standard composition (excluding the gold plate) of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, being circular in shape, and having joined concentric inner and outer sections, the outer section being plated with fine gold.
- (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 0.25 grammes for the inner and outer sections;
- (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin; and

- (c) in relation to those parts of the coin other than the gold plating, 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 approximate diameter of the inner section shall be 20 millimetres.
- (5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

#### TWO POUND SILVER PIEDFORT COIN

- 3. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of two pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight (including the gold plate) of 24 grammes, a standard diameter of 28.4 millimetres, a standard composition (excluding the gold plate) of 925 parts per thousand fine silver, being circular in shape, and having joined concentric inner and outer sections, the outer section being plated with fine gold.
- (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 0.36 grammes for the inner and outer sections;
- (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin; and
- (c) in relation to those parts of the coin other than the gold plating, 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 approximate diameter of the inner section shall be 20 millimetres.
- (5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

# TWO POUND CUPRO-NICKEL AND NICKEL-BRASS COIN

4. (1) A new coin of cupro-nickel and nickel-brass of the denomination of two pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 12 grammes, a standard diameter of 28.4 millimetres, being circular in shape and having joined concentric inner and outer sections, with a standard composition as to the inner section of seventy-five per centum copper and twenty-five per centum nickel, and as to the outer section of seventy-six per centum copper, four per centum nickel and twenty per centum zinc.

- (2) In the making of the said cupro-nickel and nickel-brass 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 0.5 grammes for the inner and outer sections;
- (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin; and
- (c) a variation from the said standard composition as to the inner section of two per centum copper and two per centum nickel, and as to the outer section of two per centum copper, three-quarters of one per centum nickel and two per centum zinc.
  - (3) The approximate diameter of the inner section shall be 20 millimetres.
- (4) The inner and outer sections of the said coin may contain impurities of three-quarters of one per centum.
- (5) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.
- (6) The composition of the standard trial plates to be used for determining the justness of the nickel-brass outer section of the said coin shall be pure copper, pure nickel and pure zinc.
- (7) The said cupro-nickel and nickel-brass coin shall be current and 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 two pound gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel and nickel-brass coins shall be:

'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 computer punch cards accompanied by the inscription "ADA LOVELACE COMPUTER VISIONARY 1815-1852 A DISCOVERER OF THE HIDDEN REALITIES OF NATURE". The coins shall have a grained edge and in incuse letters the inscription "· INNOVATION IN SCIENCE · LOVELACE" save for the gold coin where the incuse letters shall be accompanied by a plain edge.'

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

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this seventeenth day of May 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 17th DAY OF MAY 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 specifications and designs for a new series of five hundred pound, two hundred pound, 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;
- 2. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of one hundred pound, twenty-five pound and ten pound gold coins; a new series of one pound gold piedfort coins; and a new series of two pound silver coins;
- 3. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of one hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of ten pound, five pound, two pound and fifty pence silver coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins;
- 4. determining the specifications and design for a new series of five pound silver coins;
- 5. determining the specifications and design for a new series of two pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort, cupro-nickel and nickel-brass.

Richard Tilbrook, CVO



#### THE 17th DAY OF MAY 2023

#### PRESENT,

# THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

The following Report of a Committee of the Privy Council dated 9th March 2023 was today considered:—

"Your Majesty was pleased, by Your Order of 14th December 2022, to refer to this Committee a Petition of The Royal Geographical Society praying for the grant of a Supplemental Charter:

"The Committee, have accordingly considered the Petition and have agreed to report that the Supplemental Charter may be granted by Your Majesty in the terms of the annexed Draft."

His Majesty, having taken into consideration the Report and the Draft Supplemental Charter accompanying it, 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.



#### THE 17th DAY OF MAY 2023

#### PRESENT,

# THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

The following Report of a Committee of the Privy Council dated 10th May 2023 was today considered:—

"Your Majesty was pleased, by Your Order of 15th February 2023, to refer to this Committee a Petition of The School of Oriental and African Studies praying for the grant of a Supplemental Charter:

The Committee, have accordingly considered the Petition and have agreed to report that the Supplemental Charter may be granted by Your Majesty in the terms of the annexed Draft."

His Majesty, having taken into consideration the Report and the Draft Supplemental Charter accompanying it, 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.



#### THE 17th DAY OF MAY 2023

#### PRESENT,

# THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

His Majesty has allowed the amendments to the Charter of The Worshipful Company of Drapers of the City of London as set out in the Schedule to this Order, which shall come into effect on 1st day of August 2023.

	Richard Tilbrook, CVO
 SCHEDULE	_

Amendments to the Charter of The Worshipful Company of Drapers of the City of London

#### 1. **Delete** Articles 6 to 8 and **substitute**:

- "6. An Assistant Emeritus may not (subject to Article 8 below) attend meetings of the Court of Assistants or vote at such meetings but shall otherwise retain such rights and privileges of an Assistant as are specified in Standing Orders.
- 7. An Assistant Emeritus shall not by virtue of membership of the said Court incur any legal duties, liabilities or responsibilities whether as a trustee or otherwise.
- 8. Article 6 above shall not preclude the attendance of an Assistant Emeritus at a particular meeting of the said Court at the invitation of the Master in relation to specific items of business or any meeting of the said Court to which all Assistants Emeriti have been summoned in accordance with a Standing Order made pursuant to Article 9 below.
- 9. The said Court shall prescribe in Standing Orders ways in which Assistants Emeriti may be kept apprised of Company affairs and business and by which their knowledge, experience and skills may be utilised for the benefit of the Company.

#### **Amendments**

10. The Court of Assistants may by a resolution passed at any meeting by not less than two-thirds of the members present and voting (being an absolute majority of the whole number of members of the said Court eligible to vote), and confirmed by the said Court in like fashion at a subsequent meeting held at least one month later but not more than six months later, amend or add to this Our Supplemental Charter and all earlier Charters and Letters Patent previously mentioned and such alterations, amendments or additions shall when allowed by Us, Our Heirs or Successors in Council become effectual so that this Our Supplemental Charter shall thenceforward continue and operate as amended or added to."



#### THE 17th DAY OF MAY 2023

#### PRESENT,

## THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

WHEREAS the Royal Charter for the continuance of the British Broadcasting Corporation granted to the Corporation on 8th December 2016 provides that the BBC Board shall include a Chair and the four Nation Members; that they shall be appointed by His Majesty, His Heirs or Successors in Council; that the period of appointment must be specified in the terms of appointment, and that no period longer than four years may be so specified; that a serving non-executive member of the Board may at any time be re-appointed once by Order in Council for a period of no longer than four years, that this power may be exercised with effect from a date other than that on which the previous term would have expired:

AND WHEREAS the respective period of appointment of Dame Elan Closs Stephens DBE, the Nation Member for Wales, will expire on 19th July 2023:

NOW, THEREFORE, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

The period of re-appointment of Dame Elan Closs Stephens DBE as the Nation Member for Wales of the Board of the British Broadcasting Corporation shall be, and is hereby, amended to end on 19th January 2024.



#### THE 17th DAY OF MAY 2023

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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 21st March 2023 entitled the Sanctions and Asset-Freezing (Amendment No. 3) (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.



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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 Mary the Virgin Church Churchyard, Diptford, Devon (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 2) St Mary's Church Churchyard, North Huish, Devon (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 3) All Saints Churchyard, Nazeing, Epping Forest, Essex (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 4) St Andrew Churchyard, Burgess Hill, West Sussex (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto).

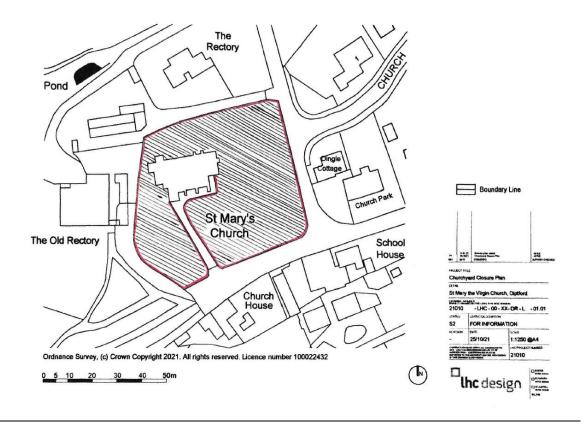
The exceptions are that, in the places numbered above:-

- (a) 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 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; and
- (c) in any grave space in which no interment has previously taken place, the burial may be allowed of any person for whom, or any member of the family for which that grave space has been reserved and appropriated, with the exclusive right of burial there, 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.

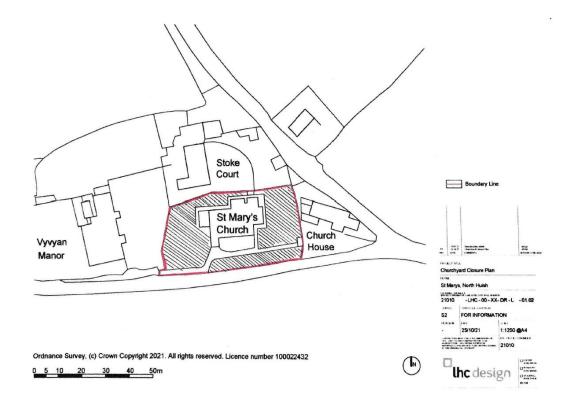
His Majesty in Council is pleased to give Notice of these representations and to order that they be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on 28th June 2023.

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 28th June 2023.

#### St Mary the Virgin, Diptford

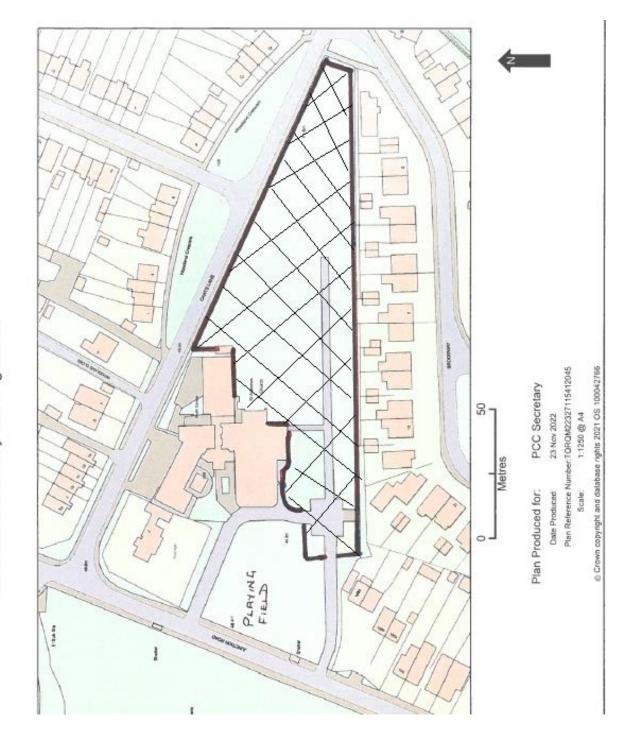


#### St Mary's, North Huish





### CC/FEB23/002 ST ANDREW BURGESS HILL



# St Andrew's Churchyard Burgess Hill



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Representations were duly made to His Majesty in Council by the Secretary of State for Justice that, subject to the exceptions below, burials should be discontinued forthwith in:-

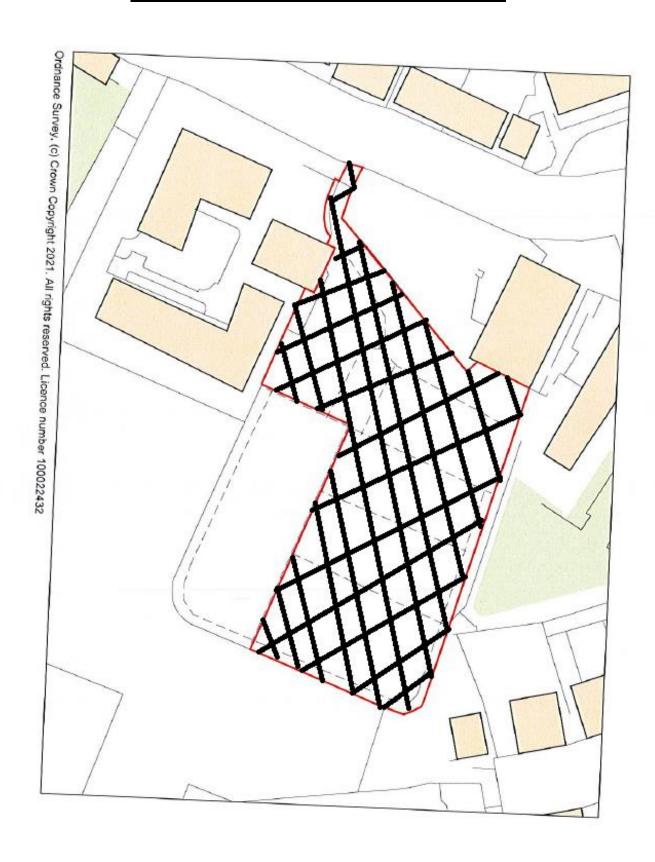
- 1) Holywell (North) Churchyard, Oxford, Oxfordshire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 2) Holywell (South) Churchyard, Oxford, Oxfordshire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 3) St Martin's Churchyard, Looe, Cornwall (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 4) St Mary the Virgin Church Churchyard, Alderbury, Salisbury, Wiltshire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 5) St Mary the Virgin Churchyard, Swineshead, Lincolnshire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 6) St Bartholomew's Churchyard Extension, Keelby, Lincolnshire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto);
- 7) St James Churchyard, Badsey, Worcestershire (as shown hatched on the plan annexed hereto).

In pursuance of the Orders in Council made on 15th February 2023 and 8th March 2023 these representations have been published and taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council.

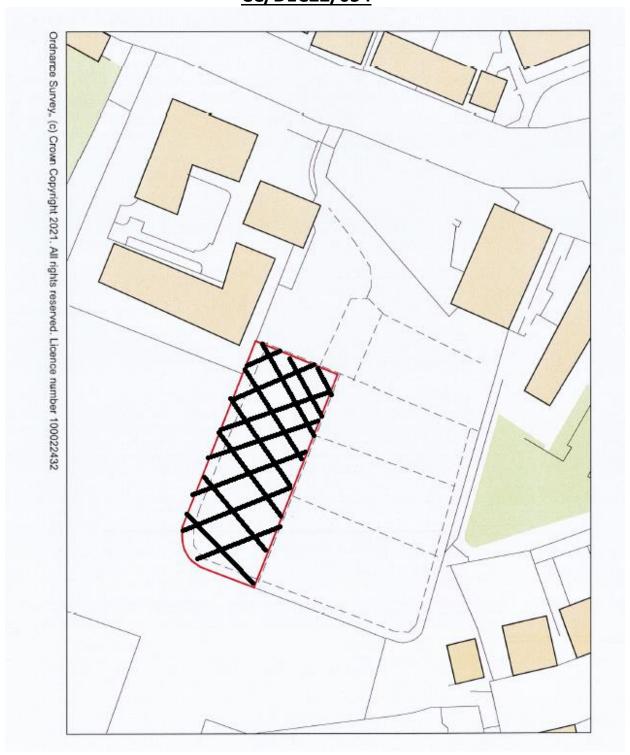
Accordingly, His Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Him by section 1 of the Burial Act 1853, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order that burials shall be discontinued forthwith in the places listed above, subject to the following exceptions:-

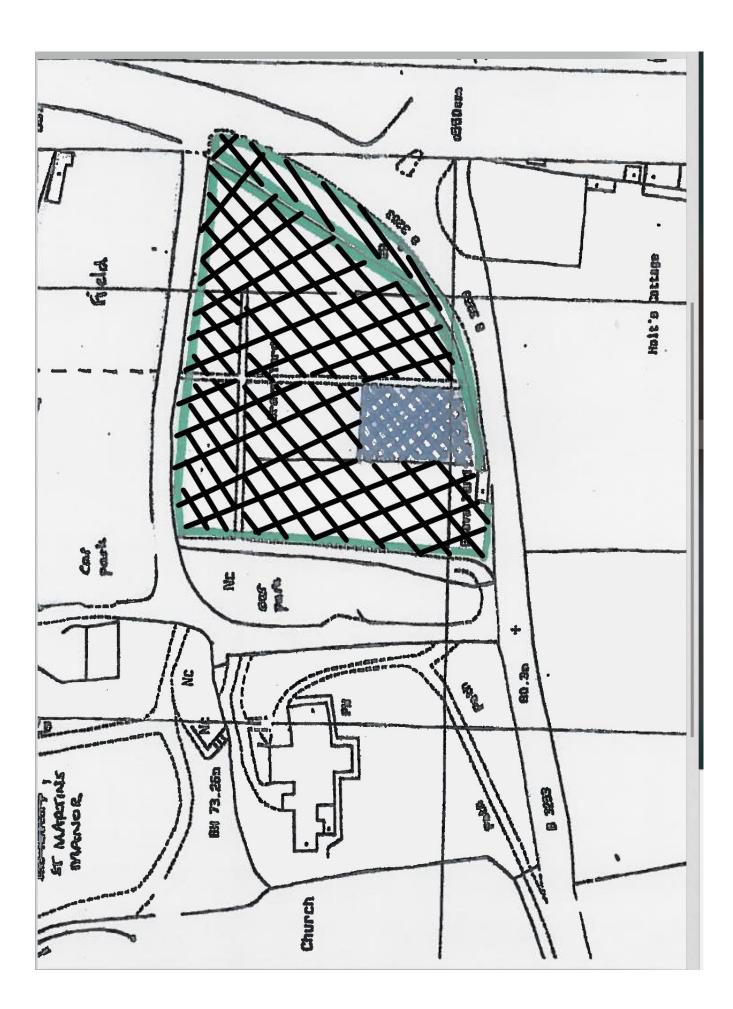
- (a) in the places numbered 1 to 4 and 7 above, in any vault or walled grave in the churchyard, burial may be allowed but every coffin in such vault or grave must be separately enclosed by stonework or brick work properly cemented;
- (b) in the places numbered 1 to 4, 6 and 7 above, in any existing 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; and
- (c) in places numbered 1 to 4 above, in any grave space in which no interment has previously taken place, the burial may be allowed of any person for whom, or any member of the family for which that grave space has been reserved and appropriated, with the exclusive right of burial there, 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.

## CC/DEC22/052 Holywell North Churchyard



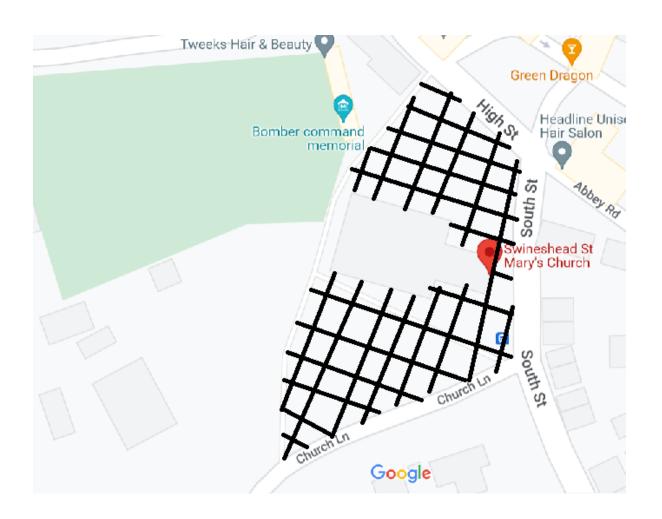
## Holywell (South) Churchyard Oxford, Oxfordshire CC/DEC22/054

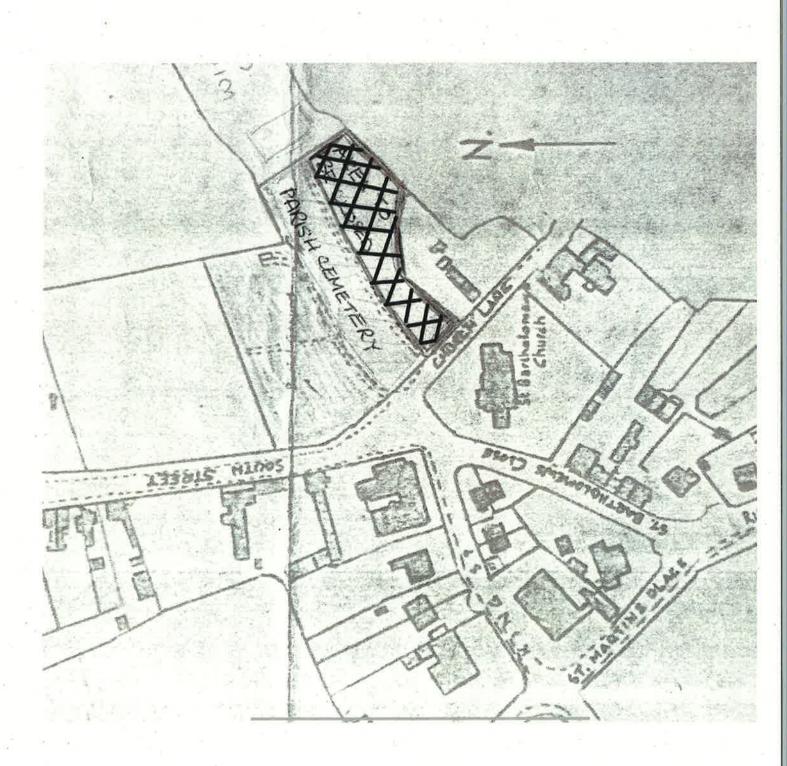


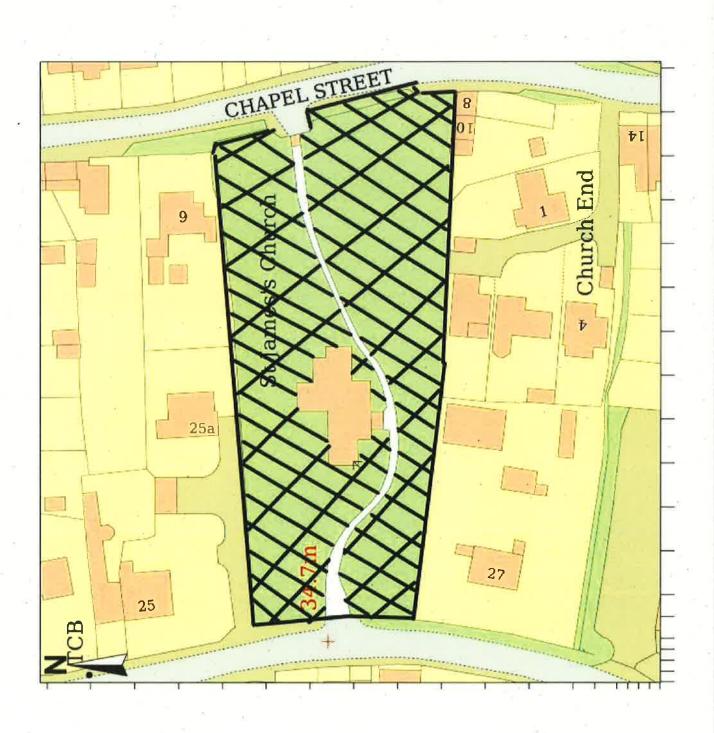


## St Mary the Virgin Church Churchyard, Alderbury, Salisbury











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A Petition of the College of Paramedics praying for the grant of a Charter of Incorporation 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.