

## **PRIVY COUNCIL**

ORDERS APPROVED AND BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT THE PRIVY COUNCIL, HELD BY THE KING AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE ON 13TH MARCH 2024

## PRESENT AT COUNCIL

## **His Majesty The King**

#### The Right Honourable Penny Mordaunt MP

Lord President of the Privy Council

### The Right Honourable Alex Chalk KC MP

Lord Chancellor and Secretary of State for Justice

#### The Right Honourable Oliver Dowden CBE MP

Deputy Prime Minister, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Secretary of State in the Cabinet Office

### The Right Honourable Greg Hands MP

Minister for Trade Policy and Minister for London

Mr Richard Tilbrook CVO

Clerk of the Privy Council

Mrs Ceri King LVO

Deputy Clerk of the Privy Council

# ORDERS APPROVED AND BUSINESS TRANSACTED

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LINK TO FOLLOW

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LINK TO FOLLOW

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**LINK ONLY** 

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#### THE KING

#### **A PROCLAMATION**

DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGNS FOR A NEW SERIES OF FIVE THOUSAND POUND, TWO THOUSAND POUND, ONE THOUSAND POUND, FIVE HUNDRED POUND AND TWO HUNDRED POUND GOLD COINS; A NEW SERIES OF ONE THOUSAND POUND, TEN POUND AND FIVE POUND STANDARD SILVER COINS; AND A NEW SERIES OF TEN POUND SILVER PIEDFORT 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 five thousand pounds, two thousand pounds, one thousand pounds, five hundred pounds and two hundred pounds in gold, a new series of coins of the denominations of one thousand pounds, ten pounds and five pounds in standard silver, and a new series of coins of the denomination of ten pounds in silver piedfort:

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

#### FIVE THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

- 1. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of five thousand pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 5015.01 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 15 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 5000.01 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 either:

- (a) a depiction of Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of victory and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

The coin shall have a plain edge.'

#### TWO THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

- 2. (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 125 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 1995.038 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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  2000 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying victory and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### ONE THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

- 3. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  1000 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying and chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### FIVE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

- 4. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of five hundred pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 156.3 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 155.124 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 either:

- (a) a depiction of Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### TWO HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

- 5. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  200 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### ONE THOUSAND POUND STANDARD SILVER COIN

- 6. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of one thousand pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 2010 grammes, a standard diameter of 150 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 11.97 grammes; and

- (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.6 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 · 1000 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis I of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes of peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

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.

#### TEN POUND STANDARD SILVER COIN

- 7. (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) 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 Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or

(b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

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 STANDARD SILVER COIN

- 8. (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 Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia, facing left surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

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.

#### TEN POUND SILVER PIEDFORT COIN

9. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of ten pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 312.59 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 1.8 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  $\cdot$  10 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse either:

- (a) a depiction of Prince Regent George of Britain (later King George IV), Emperor Francis II of Austria, Emperor Alexander I of Russia and King Frederick William III of Prussia surrounded by symbolic scenes representing peace; or
- (b) a depiction of the Duke of Wellington and Prussian Commander Gerhard Von Blucher, represented as two horsemen accompanied by a representation of Nike, the goddess of flying and the chariot of Zeus, surrounded by figures of men with serpent legs.

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.
- 10. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fourteenth day of March Two thousand and twenty-four.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this thirteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-four and in the second year of Our Reign.

### **GOD SAVE THE KING**



#### BY THE KING

#### **A PROCLAMATION**

DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGN FOR A NEW SERIES OF ONE THOUSAND POUND, FIVE HUNDRED POUND, ONE HUNDRED POUND, TWENTY-FIVE POUND AND FIFTY PENCE GOLD COINS; A NEW SERIES OF FIVE HUNDRED POUND, TEN 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 thousand pounds, five hundred pounds, one hundred pounds, twenty-five pounds and fifty pence in gold, a new series of coins of the denominations of five hundred pounds, ten 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 THOUSAND POUND GOLD COIN

- 1. (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 " $\cdot$  CHARLES III  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  G  $\cdot$  REX  $\cdot$  F  $\cdot$  D  $\cdot$  1000 POUNDS  $\cdot$ " and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of a snake upon a grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE  $\cdot$ ", the date of the year, and the Chinese character for a snake. The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### FIVE HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

- 2. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of five hundred pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 156.3 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 a snake upon a grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE ·", the date of the year, and the Chinese character for a snake. 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) 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 a snake upon grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE ·", the date of the year and the Chinese character for a snake. 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 "· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 25 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of a snake upon grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE ·", the date of the year and the Chinese character for a snake. The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### FIFTY PENCE GOLD COIN

- 5. (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 a snake upon grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE ·", the date of the year and the Chinese character for a snake. The coin shall have a grained edge.'

#### FIVE HUNDRED POUND SILVER COIN

- 6. (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 a snake upon grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE · ", the date of the year and the Chinese character for a snake. 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.

#### TEN POUND SILVER COIN

- 7. (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 a depiction of a

snake upon grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE · ", the date of the year and the Chinese character for a snake. 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

- 8. (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 a snake upon grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE · ", the date of the year and the Chinese character for a snake. 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

- 9. (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 a depiction of a snake upon grassy landscape with the inscription "YEAR OF THE SNAKE · ", the date of the year and the Chinese character for a snake. 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.
- 10. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fourteenth day of March Two thousand and twenty-four.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this thirteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-four and in the second year of Our Reign.

#### GOD SAVE THE KING



#### BY THE KING

#### **A PROCLAMATION**

## DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGN FOR A NEW SERIES OF FIFTY PENCE 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 denomination of fifty pence 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:

#### 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 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 " $\cdot$  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 a depiction of the National Gallery accompanied by the inscription "200 YEARS OF THE NATIONAL GALLERY". The coin shall have a grained edge.'

2. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fourteenth day of March Two thousand and twenty-four.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this thirteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-four and in the second year of Our Reign.

## GOD SAVE THE KING



#### BY THE KING

#### A PROCLAMATION

ALTERING THE PROCLAMATIONS OF THE ELEVENTH DAY OF OCTOBER AND THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2023 TO DETERMINE A NEW FINENESS, COMPOSITION AND REMEDY FOR FIFTY PENCE AND SIXPENCE GOLD COINS; FIVE POUND, TWO POUND, FIFTY PENCE, SIXPENCE AND ONE PENNY STANDARD SILVER COINS; AND FIVE POUND, TWO POUND AND FIFTY PENCE SILVER PIEDFORT COINS

#### CHARLES R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(c), (cc), and (h) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to determine the fineness of certain gold coins, the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins, and to determine the 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 alter any Proclamation previously made under the said section:

And Whereas by Our Proclamations dated the eleventh day of October and the fifteenth day of November 2023 We determined, among other matters, the fineness, composition and the remedy to be allowed in the making of certain gold, standard silver and silver piedfort coins:

And Whereas it appears to Us desirable to determine a new fineness, composition and remedy for the said fifty pence and sixpence gold coins; five pound, two pound, fifty pence, sixpence and one penny standard silver coins; and five pound, two pound and fifty pence silver piedfort coins:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(c), (cc) and (h), 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:

- 1. In paragraph 1(1) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of one pence silver coins, for "a standard composition of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 2. In paragraph 1(2) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of one pence silver coins, for "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 0.084 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 0.084 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. In paragraph 3(1) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of fifty pence standard silver coins; a new series of fifty pence silver piedfort coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "a millesimal fineness of not less than 916.7" there shall be substituted "a millesimal fineness of 916.7".
- 4. In paragraph 3(2) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of fifty pence standard silver coins; a new series of fifty pence silver piedfort coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "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 0.078 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 0.125 millimetres per coin; and (c) a variation from the said millesimal fineness of two per mille".

- 5. In paragraph 4(1) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of fifty pence standard silver coins; a new series of fifty pence silver piedfort coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "a standard composition of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 6. In paragraph 4(2) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of fifty pence standard silver coins; a new series of fifty pence silver piedfort coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "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 0.196 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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".
- 7. In paragraph 5(1) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of fifty pence standard silver coins; a new series of fifty pence silver piedfort coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "a standard composition of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 8. In paragraph 5(2) of Our said Proclamation of the eleventh day of October 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of fifty pence standard silver coins; a new series of fifty pence silver piedfort coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter 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" there shall be substituted "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; (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".
- 9. In paragraph 1(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of sixpence coins in gold and silver, for "a millesimal fineness of not less than 916.7" there shall be substituted "a millesimal fineness of 916.7".

- 10. In paragraph 1(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of sixpence coins in gold and silver, for "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 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 0.024 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".
- 11. In paragraph 2(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of sixpence coins in gold and silver, for "a millesimal fineness of not less than 925" there shall be substituted "a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 12. In paragraph 2(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of sixpence coins in gold and silver, for "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 0.084 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 0.084 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".
- 13. In paragraph 1(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of fifty pence gold coins; a new series of two pound and fifty pence silver coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "a millesimal fineness of not less than 916.7" there shall be substituted "a millesimal fineness of 916.7".
- 14. In paragraph 1(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of fifty pence gold coins; a new series of two pound and fifty pence silver coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "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 0.078 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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".
- 15. In paragraph 3(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of fifty pence gold coins; a new

series of two pound and fifty pence silver coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "a standard composition of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".

- 16. In paragraph 3(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of fifty pence gold coins; a new series of two pound and fifty pence silver coins; and a new series of fifty pence cupro-nickel coins, for "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 0.196 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 0.196 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".
- 17. In paragraph 2(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel, for "a standard composition of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 18. In paragraph 2(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel, for "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 0.504 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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".
- 19. In paragraph 3(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel, for "a standard composition of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 20. In paragraph 3(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and design for a new series of five pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel, for "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 0.612 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 0.612 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".

- 21. In paragraph 2(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel and nickel-brass, for "a standard composition (excluding the gold plate) of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition (excluding the gold plate) of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 22. In paragraph 2(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel and nickel-brass, for "a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter 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; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 (excluding the gold plate) of five parts per thousand fine silver".
- 23. In paragraph 3(1) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel and nickel-brass, for "a standard composition (excluding the gold plate) of not less than 925 parts per thousand fine silver" there shall be substituted "a standard composition (excluding the gold plate) of 925 parts per thousand fine silver".
- 24. In paragraph 3(2) of Our said Proclamation of the fifteenth day of November 2023 determining the specifications and designs for a new series of two pound coins in gold, standard silver, silver piedfort and cupro-nickel and nickel-brass, for "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 0.36 grammes; and (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin" there shall be substituted "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 0.36 grammes; (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin; and (c) a variation from the said standard composition (excluding the gold plate) of five parts per thousand fine silver".
- 25. This Proclamation shall come into force on the fourteenth day of March Two Thousand and twenty-four.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this thirteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-four and in the second year of Our Reign.

## GOD SAVE THE KING



#### THE 13th DAY OF MARCH 2024

#### PRESENT,

## THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

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

- 1. determining the specifications and designs for a new series of five thousand pound, two thousand pound, one thousand pound, five hundred pound and two hundred pound gold coins; a new series of one thousand pound, ten pound and five pound standard silver coins; and a new series of ten pound silver piedfort coins;
- 2. determining the specifications and design for a new series of one thousand pound, five hundred pound, one hundred pound, twenty-five pound and fifty pence gold coins; a new series of five hundred pound, ten pound and two pound silver coins; and a new series of five pound cupro-nickel coins;
- 3. determining the specifications and design for a new series of fifty pence coins in gold;
- 4. altering the Proclamations of the eleventh day of October and the fifteenth day of November 2023 to determine a new fineness, composition and remedy for fifty pence and sixpence gold coins; five pound, two pound, fifty pence, sixpence and one penny standard silver coins; and five pound, two pound and fifty pence silver piedfort coins.



#### THE 13th DAY OF MARCH 2024

#### PRESENT,

## THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

The following Report of a Committee of the Privy Council dated 16th February 2024 was today considered:—

"Your Majesty was pleased, by Your Order of 14th June 2023, to refer to this Committee a Petition of Goldsmiths' College 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 in 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 Lord High Chancellor 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 13th DAY OF MARCH 2024

#### PRESENT,

## THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

His Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint Niall Clarke-Petty to exercise all the powers and to perform all the functions of the Clerk of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council during his absence.



#### THE 13th DAY OF MARCH 2024

#### 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 Her Majesty, Her 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 Sir Robbie Paul Gibb, the Nation Member for England, will expire on 6th May 2024;

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

Sir Robbie Paul Gibb shall be, and is hereby, re-appointed as the Nation Member for England of the Board of the British Broadcasting Corporation for the period beginning on 7th May 2024 and ending on 6th May 2028.



#### THE 13th DAY OF MARCH 2024

#### PRESENT,

## THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

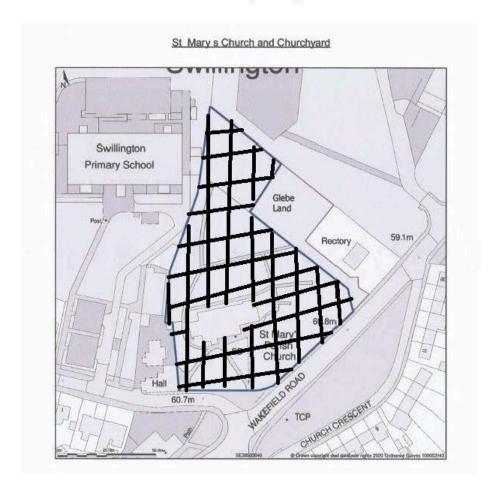
The Secretary of State for Justice, after giving ten days' notice of his intention to do so, has, under the Burial Act 1853 as amended, made representation to His Majesty in Council that, subject to the exception below, burials should be discontinued in St Mary's Churchyard, Swillington, Leeds, West Yorkshire.

The exception is that 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 this representation and to order that they be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on 24th April 2024.

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 door of the Church or Chapel of the above mentioned place, or displayed conspicuously inside them, for one month before 24th April 2024.

#### CC/JAN24/002 St Mary's Churchyard Closure





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