

BY THE KING

A PROCLAMATION

DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGN FOR A NEW SERIES OF FIVE THOUSAND POUND, FIVE HUNDRED POUND AND TWO HUNDRED POUND GOLD COINS; A NEW SERIES OF TEN POUND AND FIVE POUND STANDARD SILVER COINS; AND A NEW SERIES OF TEN POUND SILVER PIEDFORT COINS

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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, five hundred pounds and two hundred pounds in gold, a new series of coins of the

denominations of 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 5030 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 45 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 4985 grammes.
- (4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured by weighing each coin separately.
 - (5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 5000 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of the crowned shield of the Royal Arms of the House of Hanover, surrounded by the collar Order of the Garter and a crowned robed mantle accompanied by the inscription "INSIGNIA GULIELMI IV BRITANNIAE REGIS". The coin shall have a plain 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 · $D \cdot G \cdot REX \cdot F \cdot D \cdot 500$ POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of the crowned shield of the Royal Arms of the House of Hanover, surrounded by the collar Order of the Garter and a crowned robed mantle accompanied by the inscription "INSIGNIA GULIELMI IV BRITANNIAE REGIS". The coin shall have a grained edge.'

TWO HUNDRED POUND GOLD COIN

- 3. (1) A new coin of gold of the denomination of two hundred pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 62.42 grammes, a standard diameter of 40 millimetres, a millesimal fineness of not less than 999.9, and being circular in shape.
- (2) In the making of the said gold coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:
- (a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.24 grammes; and
 - (b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.
 - (3) The least current weight of the said gold coin shall be 62.12 grammes.
- (4) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.
 - (5) The design of the said gold coin shall be as follows:

'For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription "· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 200 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of the crowned shield of the Royal Arms of the House of Hanover, surrounded by the collar Order of the Garter and a crowned robed mantle accompanied by the inscription "INSIGNIA GULIELMI IV BRITANNIAE REGIS". The coin shall have a grained edge.'

TEN POUND STANDARD 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) 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 crowned shield of the Royal Arms of the House of Hanover, surrounded by the collar Order of the Garter and a crowned robed mantle accompanied by the inscription "INSIGNIA GULIELMI IV BRITANNIAE REGIS". 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

- 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 "· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 5 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of the crowned shield of the Royal Arms of the House of Hanover, surrounded by the collar Order of the Garter and a crowned robed mantle

accompanied by the inscription "INSIGNIA GULIELMI IV BRITANNIAE REGIS". 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

- 6. (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 "· CHARLES III · D · G · REX · F · D · 10 POUNDS ·" and the date of the year, and for the reverse a depiction of the crowned shield of the Royal Arms of the House of Hanover, surrounded by the collar Order of the Garter and a crowned robed mantle accompanied by the inscription "INSIGNIA GULIELMI IV BRITANNIAE REGIS". 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.
- 7. This Proclamation shall come into force on the tenth day of July Two thousand and twenty-five.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this ninth day of July in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and twenty-five and in the third year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING