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## SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION

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### CURRENCY

#### Commemorative Coins (2018 and 2019) Order 2018

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*Coming into force: on publication*

IN EXERCISE of my powers under section 5 of the Currency Ordinance 2000 and of all other powers enabling me, I make the following Order —

#### **1. Title**

This Order is the Commemorative Coins (2018 and 2019) Order 2018.

#### **2. Commencement**

This Order comes into force on publication in the *Gazette*.

#### **3. Interpretation**

In this Order, “new commemorative coins” means the coins described and specified in Part 1 of the Schedule.

#### **4. New commemorative coins**

(1) The minting and issue of the new commemorative coins are authorised.

(2) Paragraph (3) applies to new commemorative coins that were minted or issued before this Order comes into force.

(3) The minting and issue of the new commemorative coins to which this paragraph applies are to be treated as if they had been authorised at the time.

#### **5. Specifications**

Part 2 of the Schedule specifies —

(a) the denomination, fineness, weight, diameter, quality, shape, edge and number of the new commemorative coins;

(b) the tolerance or remedy which may be permitted in respect of variations from their standard weight, diameter and fineness; and

(c) the design of their obverse and reverse.

## **6. Deemed denominations of Crown coins and their value as legal tender**

(1) Part 2 of the Schedule also specifies the deemed denominations of the new commemorative coins.

(2) Those coins are legal tender in the Territory in the amount of their deemed denominations.

## **SCHEDULE**

articles 3, 5 and 6(1)

### **Part 1**

### **Description of the coins**

#### **Year of Minting 2018**

##### **a) Sapphire Jubilee of the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II**

Obverse design – The design features an image of the three Cherub Angels which appear on the roof of the State Coach. The wording ‘1953 – H.M. QUEEN ELIZABETH II – 2018’ appears in the surround. The value appears at the base of the design.

Reverse design - The reverse of this coin consists of the uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription ‘SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2018’.

##### **b) Leopard Seal**

Obverse design – The design shows a Leopard Seal hunting for prey amongst a raft of penguins. The value appears at the base of the design.

Reverse design - The reverse of this coin consists of the uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription ‘SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2018’.

#### **Year of Minting 2019**

##### **c) Bicentenary of the Birth of Queen Victoria**

Obverse design 1 – The design shows the reverse of the Great Seal of Queen Victoria with the Queen seated on a throne, with the symbolic figures of Justice and Religion seated on either side. The Royal Arms and Crown are shown below wreathed with oaks and roses filling the surround. The value is included in the design.

Obverse design 2 – The design shows the obverse of the Great Seal of Queen Victoria with the Queen riding on horseback, crowned and holding a sceptre. A page is shown alongside who is standing holding the horse’s reins. The wording in the surround reads ‘VICTORIA DEI GRATIA BRITANNIARUM REGINA FIDEI DEFENSOR’ which means ‘Victoria, by the grace of God, Queen of the Britains, Defender of the Faith’. The value is included in the design.

Reverse design – The reverse of this coin consists of the uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription ‘SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2019’.

**d) 145<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Birth of Sir Ernest Shackleton**

Obverse design – The design is based on the Royal Geographical Silver Medal awarded to Ernest Shackleton in 1904 and shows an Antarctic scene with members of the Discovery Expedition sledging party, the ship and a sledge above penguins and seals. The wording ‘1874 – SIR ERNEST SHACKLETON – 2019’ appears in the surround with the value at the base.

Reverse design – The reverse of this coin consists of the uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription ‘SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2019’.

**Part 2**

**Specification, authorised quantity and authorised mint of coins**

**Sapphire Jubilee of the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II, Leopard Seal, and Bicentenary of the Birth of Queen Victoria**

| Type          | Gold Proof | Gold Proof | Gold Proof | Titanium | Silver Proof | Silver Proof | Cupro Nickel |
|---------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Denomination  | £20        | £4         | £2         | £2       | £1           | £2           | £2           |
| Weight (gms)  | 6.22       | 1.24       | 0.50       | 10.00    | 12.00        | 28.28        | 28.28        |
| Diameter (mm) | 22.00      | 13.92      | 11.00      | 36.10    | 38.60        | 38.60        | 38.60        |
| Fineness      | 999.9      | 999.9      | 999.9      | 910.0    | 999.0        | 925.0        | 75%CU 25%Ni  |
| Quality       | Proof      | Proof      | Proof      | Proof    | Proof        | Proof        | Uncirculated |
| Shape         | Round      | Round      | Round      | Round    | Round        | Round        | Round        |
| Edge          | Milled     | Milled     | Milled     | Milled   | Milled       | Milled       | Milled       |
| Quantity      | 2,000      | 5,000      | 10,000     | 7,500    | 2,000        | 2,000        | 10,000       |

**145<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Birth of Sir Ernest Shackleton**

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|---------------|------------|------------|------------|----------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Denomination  | £20        | £4         | £2         | £2       | £4           | £2           | £2           |
| Weight (gms)  | 6.22       | 1.24       | 0.50       | 10.00    | 62.21        | 28.28        | 28.28        |
| Diameter (mm) | 22.00      | 13.92      | 11.00      | 36.10    | 40.00        | 38.60        | 38.60        |
| Fineness      | 999.9      | 999.9      | 999.9      | 910.0    | 999.0        | 925.0        | 75%CU 25%Ni  |
| Quality       | Proof      | Proof      | Proof      | Proof    | Proof        | Proof        | Uncirculated |
| Shape         | Round      | Round      | Round      | Round    | Round        | Round        | Round        |
| Edge          | Milled     | Milled     | Milled     | Milled   | Milled       | Milled       | Milled       |
| Quantity      | 2,000      | 5,000      | 10,000     | 7,500    | 650          | 2,000        | 10,000       |

Cupro nickel coins may be silver or gold plated.

Authorised mint: Pobjoy Mint Limited.

Remedy: Variations to be allowed to extent permitted by Pobjoy Mint Ltd.

Made 26 June 2018

R. A. J. Mitham,  
*Acting Commissioner*

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