

---

## SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION

---

### CURRENCY

#### Commemorative Coins (2019, 2020 and 2021) Order 2021

S. R. & O. No: 1 of 2021

*Made: ..... 24 March 2021*

*Published: ..... 7 April 2021*

*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 (2019, 2020 and 2021) Order 2021.

#### **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 the Schedule.

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

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

(2) New commemorative coins that were minted or issued before this Order comes into force are to be treated as if they had been authorised at the time of minting or issuing.

#### **5. Description and specification**

(1) Part 1 of the Schedule describes the design of the reverse and obverse of the new commemorative coins.

(2) Part 2 of the Schedule specifies —

(a) the year of minting, denomination, weight, diameter, fineness, quality, shape, edge and quantity;

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

(c) the authorised mint,

of the new commemorative coins.

## 6. Legal tender

The new commemorative coins are legal tender in the Territory in the amount of their denomination.

### SCHEDULE

articles 3 and 5

#### Part 1

#### Description of reverse and obverse design of new commemorative coins

##### Year of Minting 2019

##### a) Macaroni Penguins - £2

Reverse: the design features a group of Macaroni Penguins on an outcrop. The value appears at the base of the design.

Obverse: uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2019'.



## Year of Minting 2020

### b) Nursing Tribute - £2

Reverse: the design features a heart with a heartbeat in the centre enveloped by Angel wings. The six 'C's' – Courage, Commitment, Compassion, Competence, Communication and Care are shown in the surround with the Coat of Arms of South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands shown at the top. The value appears at the base of the design.

Obverse: coupéd portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint Ltd surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2020'.



c) HMS Resolution – 50p

Reverse: the design features the ship *HMS Resolution*. The wording ‘HMS RESOLUTION’ is shown at the base of the design with the value in the field.

Obverse: couped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription ‘SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2020’.



d) Penguins – 50p

Reverse: the designs are:

- i) Chinstrap Penguin – the design features a Chinstrap Penguin with the wording ‘CHINSTRAP PENGUIN’ at the top of the coin with the value at the base;
- ii) Gentoo Penguin – the design features a Gentoo Penguin with the wording ‘GENTOO PENGUIN’ at the top of the coin with the value at the base;
- iii) King Penguin – the design features a King Penguin with the wording ‘KING PENGUIN’ at the top of the coin with the value at the base; and
- iv) Macaroni Penguin – the design features a Macaroni Penguin with the wording ‘MACARONI PENGUIN’ at the top of the coin with the value at the base.

Obverse: couped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription ‘SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2020’.





e) Macaroni Penguin - £4

Reverse: the design features a Macaroni Penguin with the wording 'MACARONI PENGUIN' at the top of the coin with the value at the base.

Obverse: uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2020'.



f) SubPolar Zone - £2

Reverse: the design shows the landscape of South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands. In the foreground is the native flower the Burnet with two King penguins standing on rocks behind. A field hut can be seen behind with a Petrel bird flying overhead. The wording 'SUBPOLAR ZONE' appears at the top of the design with the value incorporated into the design.

Obverse: uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2020'.





## Year of Minting 2021

### g) Fin Whale - £2

Reverse: the design shows a Fin Whale swimming beneath the sea. The value appears at the base of the design.

Obverse: uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2021'.



h) Nursing Tribute - £2 and 50p

Reverse: the design features a heart with a heartbeat in the centre enveloped by Angel wings. The six 'C's' – Courage, Commitment, Compassion, Competence, Communication and Care are shown in the surround with the Coat of Arms of South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands shown at the top. The value appears at the base of the design.

Obverse – £2 coin: uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2021'.

Obverse – 50p coin: coupled portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2021'.



i) RRS Discovery - 50p

Reverse: the design features the ship *RRS Discovery*. The wording 'RRS DISCOVERY' is shown at the base of the design with the value in the field.

Obverse: couped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Pobjoy Mint surrounded by the inscription 'SOUTH GEORGIA & SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS 2021'.



**Part 2**  
**Specification of new commemorative coins**

**Macaroni Penguins**

<b>Type</b>	<b>Gold Proof</b>	<b>Gold Proof</b>	<b>Gold Proof</b>	<b>Titanium</b>	<b>Silver Proof</b>	<b>Silver Proof</b>	<b>Cupro Nickel</b>
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

**Nursing Tribute - £2 and 50p**

<b>Type</b>	<b>Cupro Nickel/ Nickel Brass surround</b>	<b>Fine Silver/ Gold Plate surround</b>	<b>Cupro Nickel</b>	<b>Silver</b>	<b>Gold</b>	<b>Silver Proof</b>	<b>Cupro Nickel</b>
Denomination	£2	£2	£2	£2	£2	50p	50p
Weight (gms)	12.00	12.00	28.28	28.28	0.5	8.00	8.00
Diameter (mm)	28.40	28.40	38.60	38.60	11.00	27.30	27.30
Fineness	76%Cu/4%Ni/ 20%Zn; 75%Cu/25%Ni	999.9	75%Cu/ 25%Ni	925	999.9	925	75%Cu/ 25%Ni
Quality	Proof-like	Proof	Uncirculated	Proof	Proof	Proof	Diamond Finish
Shape	Round	Round	Round	Round	Round	Heptagonal	Heptago nal
Edged	Milled	Milled	Milled	Milled	Milled	Plain	Plain
Quantity	2,750	475	2,021	750	199	199	2,750

**HMS Resolution - 50p**  
**RRS Discovery - 50p**

<b>Type</b>	<b>Silver Proof</b>	<b>Cupro Nickel</b>
Denomination	50p	50p
Weight (gms)	8.00	8.00
Diameter (mm)	27.30	27.30
Fineness	925	75%Cu/25%Ni
Quality	Proof	Diamond Finish
Shape	Heptagonal	Heptagonal
Edged	Plain	Plain
Quantity	175	2,750

### Penguins – 50p

Type	Silver Proof	Cupro Nickel Uncirculated	Cupro Nickel Diamond Finish
Denomination	50p	50p	50p
Weight (gms)	8.00	8.00	8.00
Diameter (mm)	27.30	27.30	27.30
Fineness	925	75% Cu/25% Ni	75% Cu/25% Ni
Quality	Proof	Uncirculated	Diamond Finish
Shape	Heptagonal	Heptagonal	Heptagonal
Edged	Plain	Plain	Plain
Quantity	199	Unlimited	2,500

### Macaroni Penguin - £4

Type	Gold Proof
Denomination	£4
Weight (gms)	1.244
Diameter (mm)	13.92
Fineness	999.9
Quality	Proof
Shape	Round
Edge	Milled
Quantity	199

### SubPolar Zone - £2

Type	Silver
Denomination	£2
Weight (gms)	31.103
Diameter (mm)	38.60
Fineness	999.
Quality	Proof
Shape	Round
Edge	Milled
Quantity	2,500

## Fin Whale - £2

Type	Titanium	Silver Proof	Cupro Nickel
Denomination	£2	£2	£2
Weight (gms)	10.00	28.28	28.28
Diameter (mm)	36.10	38.60	38.60
Fineness	910.0	925.0	75%Cu/25%Ni
Quality	Proof	Proof	Uncirculated
Shape	Round	Round	Round
Edge	Milled	Milled	Milled
Quantity	5,000	2,000	10,000

Cupro nickel coins may be silver or gold plated.

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

Made 24 March 2021

N. J. Phillips C.B.E.,  
*Commissioner.*