# SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION

## SOUTH GEORGIA AND THE SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS

# CURRENCY

## Commemorative Coins (2007 Issues) Order 2007

(S.R. & O No 2 of 2007)

Made:24 May 2007Published:13 June 2007Coming into force:on publication

IN EXERCISE of my powers under section 5(3) of the Currency Ordinance  $2000^1$  and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf I make the following Order —

## Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Commemorative Coins (2007 Issues) Order.

## Authorisation

2.—(1) This article has effect in relation to the coins —

(a) the design of the reverse of which is described in Part 1 of the Schedule, and

(b) the design of the obverse of which in each case consists of the uncouped portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by Ian Rank-Broadley surrounded by the inscription "SOUTH GEORGIA AND THE SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS" and the year "2007".

(2) Subject to paragraph (3), the minting in accordance with the specification and in the quantity mentioned in Part 2 of the Schedule of the Gold Proof, Silver Proof and Cupro Nickel coins referred to in paragraph (1) is hereby authorised.

(3) Every coin described in paragraph (1) must comply with such of the specifications contained in Part 2 of the Schedule as relate to it.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> No 3 of 2000

## THE SCHEDULE

## Part 1

## **Design of reverse of coins**

#### 1. Great Britons issue

#### (a) First design

Design depicts an image of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second framed by symbolic flowers. The wording "QUEEN ELIZABETH II-1926" appears in surround of coin and the denomination of the coin in the words "TWO POUNDS" appears at the foot of the design.

#### (b) Second design

Design depicts an image of Captain Cook framed by the names of the vessels he commanded: Endeavour, Resolution, Adventure, Discovery. The wording "1728 —JAMES COOK — 1779 " appears in the surround of the coin, with Emperor Penguins to the left and Endeavour to the right. A map of South Georgia appears below and the denomination of the coin in the words "TWO POUNDS" appears at the foot of the design.

#### (c) Third design

Design depicts an image of Sir Ernest Shackleton framed by snowflakes with Endurance to the left. The wording "1874 — ERNEST SHACKLETON —1922" appears in the surround of the coin with Antarctica below and the denomination of the coin in the words "TWO POUNDS" appears at the foot of the design.

# 2. 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Liberation issue

Design shows a Royal Marine raising the White Ensign at Grytviken. In the background is HMS Plymouth with a Wasp helicopter above her stern and a Wessex helicopter above her bows and the denomination of the coin in the words "TWO POUNDS" at the foot of the design.

## 3. International Polar Year issue

#### (a) First design

Design shows Sir Ernest Shackleton with huskies. The James Caird is in the background and the IPY logo is above. The wording "2007—INTERNATIONAL POLAR YEAR—" appears in the surround of the coin and the denomination of the coin in the words "TWO POUNDS" appears at the foot of the design.

## (b) Second design

Design depicts an image of Shackleton's crew in an ice flow in late 1915 with the Aurora Australis in the background. The IPY logo appears at the top of the design and the wording "TRANS—ANTARCTICA EXPEDITION AURORA AUSTRALIS" appears in the surround of the coin. The denomination of the coin in the words "TWO POUNDS" appears at the foot of the design

# 4. King Penguin

Design of the outer ring of the coin depicts King Penguins and their young with the wording 'PENGUINS OF THE ANTARCTIC'. The central image is engraved in Crystal with an outline design of a King Penguin Chick. The denomination appears at the foot of the coin.

## Part 2

#### Specification authorised quantity and authorised mint of coins

Туре	Gold proof	Gold proof	Silver proof with crystal	Silver proof	Cupro nickel
Denomination	£20	£4	£2	£2	£2
Weight (grams)	6.22	1.24	23.45	28.28	28.28
Diameter (millimetres)	22.0	13.92	38.60	38.60	38.60
Fineness	0.999	0.999	925	925	75% Cu 25% Ni
Quality	Proof	Proof	Proof	Proof	Uncirculated
Shape	Round	Round	Round	Round	Round
Edge	Milled	Milled	Milled	Milled	Milled
Quantity	2,000	5,000	5,000	10,000	Unlimited

Authorised mint Pobjoy Mint Limited

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

Made this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 2007

A. E. HUCKLE, Commissioner