

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 3,027 of 19th February, 1998

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 17 OF 1998

GIBRALTAR COINAGE ACT 1990

ISSUE OF VICTORIAN AGE CROWN COIN NOTICE 1998

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 2 of the Gibraltar Coinage Act 1990, and of all other enabling powers, the Governor has issued the following notice –

Title.

1. This notice may be cited as the Issue of Victorian Age Crown Coin Notice 1998.

Issue of new coins.

2.(1) New coins of platinum, gold, silver and cupro nickel in the denomination of a Crown and denominations thereof shall be made.

(2) In the making of the said coins, the millesimal fineness, or composition of metals, diameters, shapes and other specifications shall be as set out in Part II of the Schedule to the Gibraltar Coinage Act 1990.

(3) In the making of the said coins, a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight) shall be allowed as set out in the said Part of the Schedule.

Design of the coins.

3. The design of the coins authorised by this notice shall be as follows –

(a) the coins shall bear on the obverse impression the effigy of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II with the inscription “ELIZABETH II” to the left and the inscription “GIBRALTAR” and the date of the year to the right;

(b) the reverse impression shall bear –

- (i) a design depicting the young Victoria awoken to be told of her accession to the throne, with the Archbishop of Canterbury and, kneeling, Lord Conyngham together with the inscriptions “THE ACCESSION TO THE THRONE”, “JUNE 20th 1837” and “THE VICTORIAN AGE” and the value of the coin; or
- (ii) a design depicting the coronation of Queen Victoria by the Archbishop of Canterbury together with the inscription “THE CORONATION OF QUEEN VICTORIA”, “JUNE 28th 1838” and “THE VICTORIAN AGE” and the value of the coin;
- (iii) a design depicting Queen Victoria, Prince Albert and their children after the painting by Winterhalter together with the inscriptions “THE ROYAL FAMILY”, “1846” and “THE VICTORIAN AGE” and the value of the coin;
- (iv) a design depicting the Crystal Palace with a cameo portrait of Prince Albert inset together with the inscriptions “PRINCE ALBERT”, “THE GREAT EXHIBITION”, “1851” and “THE VICTORIAN AGE” and the value of the coin; or
- (v) a design depicting Queen Victoria seated side-saddle on a horse with her gillie at its head and Balmoral Castle in the background together with the inscriptions “QUEEN VICTORIA IN SCOTLAND”, “BALMORAL” and “THE VICTORIAN AGE” and the value of the coin; or
- (vi) a portrait of Queen Victoria wearing the Crown of India with, in the background, two Indian elephants together with the inscriptions “EMPRESS OF INDIA”, “1887” and “THE VICTORIAN AGE” and the value of the coin; or
- (vii) a design depicting the fleet gathered at Spithead on the occasion of Queen Victoria’s Diamond Jubilee showing the spectacular dash through the fleet by

- Charles Parson in his steam turbine yacht 'Turbina' with a cameo portrait of Queen Victoria inset together with the inscriptions "THE DIAMOND JUBILEE", "SPITHEAD REVIEW", "1897" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin; or
- (viii) a design depicting Osborne House, the flags flying at half mast, with a cameo portrait of Queen Victoria inset together with the inscriptions "DEATH OF QUEEN VICTORIA", "OSBORNE ISLE OF WIGHT JANUARY 22nd 1901" and "THE VICTORIA AGE" and the value of the coin;
- (ix) portraits of the three Brontë sisters with the inscriptions "THE BRONTË SISTERS", "ANNE", "EMILY", "CHARLOTTE" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin;
- (x) portraits of William Gladstone and Benjamin Disraeli together with the inscriptions "W. GLADSTONE 1809-1898", "B. DISRAELI 1804-1881" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin; or
- (xi) a portrait of Isambard Kingdom Brunei against a background design of engineering works, a steam train, bridge, shipping and road works, with the inscriptions "ISAMBARD KINGDOM BRUNEI", "1806-1859" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin; or
- (xii) a design depicting the meeting between H. M. Stanley and Dr. Livingstone at Ujiji together with the inscriptions "H. M. STANLEY DR. LIVINGSTONE", "1871" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin; or
- (xiii) a portrait of Charles Darwin against a background of HMS Beagle and an apeman together with the inscriptions "CHARLES DARWIN 1809-1887 - THE THEORY OF EVOLUTION" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin; or

- (xiv) a portrait of Alfred, Lord Tennyson against a background of charging Light Cavalry together with the inscriptions "LORD TENNYSON 1809-1892", "THE CHARGE OF THE LIGHT BRIGADE" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin; or
- (xv) a portrait of Charles Dickens against the background of a scene from the book 'Oliver Twist' together with the inscriptions "CHARLES DICKENS", "1812-1870", "OLIVER TWIST" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin; or
- (xvi) a portrait of Florence Nightingale holding her lamp in the foreground against a background of a scene from a ward in Scutari Hospital in the Crimea with her walking between the beds with her lamp together with the inscriptions "FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE", "1820-1910", "CRIMEA 1854" and "THE VICTORIAN AGE" and the value of the coin.

Legal Tender.

4. The said coins shall be current and legal tender in Gibraltar.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1998.

By Command,

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Acting Deputy Governor.