# SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 3423 of 19 August, 2004

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 80 OF 2004.

#### **GIBRALTAR COINAGE ACT, 1990**

# ISSUE OF THE ROUTE TO VICTORY COLLECTION (IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION) COIN NOTICE, 2004

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 the Route to Victory Collection (in partnership with The Royal British Legion) Coin Notice, 2004.

#### Issue of new coins.

- 2.(1) New coins of gold, silver and cupro-nickel in the denomination of £5, £1 and crown 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 and Part III 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 standards 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) each coin 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 of the D-Day landings, featuring soldiers emerging from landing crafts on the Normandy beaches in June 1944. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "D-DAY LANDINGS" and the value of the coin;
  - (ii) a design featuring a soldier defending Pegasus Bridge, on the Normandy beaches in June 1944. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "PEGASUS BRIDGE" and the value of the coin;
  - (iii) a design of the D-Day landings, featuring the Mulberry Harbours on the Normandy beaches in June 1944. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "MULBERRY HARBOURS" and the value of the coin;
  - (iv) a design of Winston Churchill, featuring him giving his famous V sign at Downing Street. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "WINSTON CHURCHILL" and the value of the coin;
  - (v) a design of the Battle of Britain, featuring an aerial image of a Spitfire engaged in battle with German fighter aircraft in 1940. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "BATTLE OF BRITAIN" and the value of the coin;
  - (vi) a design of Operation Gunnerside, featuring the Allied raid in Norway of the Heavy Water plant in 1943. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "OPERATION GUNNERSIDE" and the value of the coin;

- (vii) a design of the Tank Battle of Kursk between Russia and Germany in 1943; the largest tank battle in history. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "BATTLE OF KURSK" and the value of the coin;
- (viii) a design featuring General Eisenhower in 1942 in Gibraltar discussing the invasion of northwest Africa; a campaign code-named Operation Torch. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "OPERATION TORCH" and the value of the coin;
- (ix) a design featuring the Battle of El Alamein, depicting soldiers and tanks in the desert of North Africa, during the decisive campaign in 1942. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "BATTLE OF EL ALAMEIN" and the value of the coin;
- (x) a design of the Battle of Stalingrad, depicting soldiers defending the Russian city during 1942 to 1943. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "BATTLE OF STALINGRAD" and the value of the coin;
- (xi) a design of the Sinking of the Bismark, depicting the German battleship being finally defeated in the North Atlantic in 1941. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "SINKING OF THE BISMARK" and the value of the coin;
- (xii) a design of the Burma campaign during 1941 to 1945, depicting soldiers fighting in the jungle. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion the poppy, and the inscription "BURMA CAMPAIGN" and the value of the coin;
- (xiii) a design of the Dambuster Raid on the Ruhr dams, depicting British aircraft dropping the

'bouncing bombs' designed by Barnes Wallis in 1943. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion – the poppy, and the inscription "DAMBUSTER RAID" and the value of the coin;

(xiv) a design of the Liberation of Paris, featuring Allied troops driving a tank through the Arc de Triomphe in Paris in 1944. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion – the poppy, and the inscription "LIBERATION OF PARIS" and the value of the coin;

(xv) a design of the Fall of Berlin in 1945, featuring a Russian soldier standing atop the Reichstag, holding the Hammer and Sickle. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion – the poppy, and the inscription "FALL OF BERLIN" and the value of the coin:

(xvi) a design featuring Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin at the Yalta Conference in 1945. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion – the poppy, and the inscription "YALTA CONFERENCE" and the value of the coin;

(xvii) a design featuring VE (Victory in Europe) celebrations at Trafalgar Square in London in 1945. . Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion – the poppy, and the inscription "VE DAY" and the value of the coin;

(xviii) a design, featuring the capitulation of the Japanese, to commemorate VJ (Victory in Japan) Day in 1945. Included on the coin is the logo of the Royal British Legion – the poppy, and the inscription "VJ DAY" and the value of the coin.

## Legal Tender.

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

Dated the 19th day of August 2004.

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Acting Governor.