

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR  
GAZETTE**

**No. 2,968 of 20th March, 1997.**

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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 27 OF 1997.

**GIBRALTAR COINAGE ACT 1990**

**ISSUE OF BIRTHDAY OF HER MAJESTY QUEEN  
ELIZABETH II CROWN COIN NOTICE 1997**

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 Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Crown Coin Notice 1997.

**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 portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on horseback as for the Trooping of the Colour set against a background of the Rock of Gibraltar with the inscription “BIRTHDAY OF H. M. QUEEN ELIZABETH II” and the value of the coin; or
  - (ii) a portrait in cameo of the head of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II inset in a design of the Pipes and Drums of the Gibraltar Regiment marching past the front of The Convent with the outline of the Rock of Gibraltar in the background together with the inscription “BIRTHDAY OF H. M. QUEEN ELIZABETH II” and the value of the coin; or
  - (iii) a design of the Military Band of the Royal Gurkha Rifle Regiment with Street Dragons surrounding together with the inscription “BIRTHDAY OF H. M. QUEEN ELIZABETH II” and the value of the coin; or
  - (iv) a portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on horseback taking the salute at the Trooping of the Colour with the inscription “BIRTHDAY OF H. M. QUEEN ELIZABETH II” and the value of the coin.

**Legal tender.**

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

Dated this 20th day of March, 1997.

By Command,  
M. J. ROBINSON,  
Deputy Governor.