

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 4810 GIBRALTAR Thursday 14th January 2021

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 61 OF 2021.

GIBRALTAR COINAGE ACT, 1990

ISSUE OF THE VE DAY CHRONICLE COLLECTION – THE HEADLINES COIN NOTICE 2021

Title and commencement.

1. This notice may be cited as the Issue of the VE Day Chronicle Collection – The Headlines Coin Notice 2021 and shall come into operation on the day of publication.

Issue of new coins.

2.(1) New coins of cupro nickel, silver and gold in the denominations of ½ Crown, Crown and Two Crowns/Double 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 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 Gibraltar Coat of Arms with the inscription “ELIZABETH II D G REGINA GIBRALTAR 2020” bordering the edge and value below;
- (b) the reverse impression shall bear a design depicting an image of the border of a newspaper together with a photograph of the most famous newspaper cover that was circulated on VE Day. On either side the letters “V” and “E” are printed and the inscription feature on the ribbon at the bottom reads “VICTORY!”;
- (c) the reverse impression shall bear a design depicting an image of the border of a newspaper together with a photograph of one of the appearances the Royal Family made on the balcony of Buckingham Palace, waving to the cheering crowds on VE Day. On either side the letters “V” and “E” are printed and the inscription feature on the ribbon at the bottom reads “VICTORY!”;

- (d) the reverse impression shall bear a design depicting an image of the border of a newspaper together with a photograph of WRENS and Allied Soldiers celebrating by clambering on the lion in Trafalgar Square, waving their Union Jacks proudly. On either side the letters “V” and “E” are printed and the inscription feature on the ribbon at the bottom reads “VICTORY!”;
- (e) the reverse impression shall bear a design depicting an image of the border of a newspaper together with a photograph of a crowd packed Whitehall, cheering for Prime Minister Winston Churchill as he emerged from Downing Street. On either side the letters “V” and “E” are printed and the inscription feature on the ribbon at the bottom reads “VICTORY!”;
- (f) the reverse impression shall bear a design depicting an image of the border of a newspaper together with a photograph of the headlines on a newspaper reading “GERMANY: THE END”, bringing the news that Churchill would make a statement at 3pm On either side the letters “V” and “E” are printed and the inscription feature on the ribbon at the bottom reads “VICTORY!”; and
- (g) the reverse impression shall bear a design depicting a grieving woman, head in hands as the news of a lost loved one reaches her. Central to the design there is a letter “V” and inside a telegram is depicted. On the right hand side there is an image of a soldier above a field of crosses. The inscription at the bottom edge reads “LET US REMEMBER”.

Legal Tender.

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

Dated: 14th January 2021.

F R PICARDO,
Minister responsible for finance.