

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 4979 GIBRALTAR Thursday 21st July 2022

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 200 OF 2022

GIBRALTAR COINAGE ACT, 1990

ISSUE OF VIKING TREASURES COINS NOTICE 2022

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 2 of the Gibraltar Coinage Act, 1990, and of all other enabling powers, the Minister responsible for finance has issued the following Notice—

Title and commencement.

1. This Notice may be cited as the Issue of Viking Treasures Coins Notice 2022 and comes into operation on the day of publication.

Issue of new coins.

2.(1) New coins of gold in the denomination of one pound 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 IX 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 encircled with the inscription “ELIZABETH II D G REGINA GIBRALTAR” together with the date of year and value. The inscription ‘2.5g FINE GOLD’ is also included on the right;
- (b) the coins shall bear on the reverse impression a design depicting an image of Birka, a well preserved archaeological site from the Viking Age, alongside Viking long boats. The inscription reads ‘BIRKA’;
- (c) the coins shall bear on the reverse impression a design depicting an image of Hovgården, another well preserved archaeological site from the Viking Age.

Celtic knots are depicted on each corner of the coin and the inscription reads 'HOVGÅRDEN'.

Legal Tender.

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

Dated: 21st July 2022.

F R PICARDO,
Minister responsible for Finance.