

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 5228 GIBRALTAR Thursday 8th May 2025

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 101 OF 2025

GIBRALTAR COINAGE ACT, 1990

ISSUE OF VICTORIA AND ALBERT 185: A LEGACY OF LOVE COLLECTION PART THREE COIN NOTICE 2025

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 the Victoria and Albert 185: A Legacy of Love Collection Part Three Coin Notice 2025 and shall come into operation on the day of publication.

Issue of new coins.

2.(1) New coins of Gold and Silver in the denominations of Quarter Sovereign, Half Sovereign, One Sovereign, Double Sovereigns and Quintuple Sovereigns 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 VII 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 design depicts the newly sculpted Raphael Maklouf effigy of King Charles III and the year in which the coin is struck, with the Latin inscription reading; “• CHARLES III • DEI • GRA • REX • F • D • GIBRALTAR •”, which reads as; • CHARLES III • BY THE GRACE OF GOD • DEFENDER OF THE FAITH • KING OF GIBRALTAR •” the Sovereign obverse does not include a denominational value as it is determined by its size, weight, and diameter;
- (b) the reserve design features a rendition of Victoria and Albert’s monogram with orange blossoms ornately decorating the border of the coin, symbolising purity, innocence and fertility. Victoria wore a wreath of orange blossoms on her wedding day. Inscription reads “VICTORIA AND ALBERT - LEGACY OF LOVE”;

- (c) the reverse design features a rendition of Victoria and Albert's monogram with orange blossoms ornately decorating the border of the coin, symbolising purity, innocence and fertility. Victoria wore a wreath of orange blossoms on her wedding day. Inscription reads "VICTORIA AND ALBERT - LEGACY OF LOVE";
- (d) the reverse design features a rendition of an original marriage medal struck in 1840, featuring Victoria and Albert leaving their wedding procession, a symbol of the influential journey the couple would embark on. Orange blossoms ornately decorate the border of the coin symbolising purity, innocence and fertility. Victoria wore a wreath of orange blossoms on her wedding day. It also depicts a rendition of Victoria and Albert's monogram. Inscription reads "VICTORIA AND ALBERT - LEGACY OF LOVE";
- (e) the reverse design features the dual effigies of Victoria and Albert overlooking Victorian Britain with tributes to the Penny Black Stamp, the telephone, a train and railway track, with factories in the background. Features a rendition of Victoria and Albert's monogram with orange blossoms ornately decorating the border of the coin, symbolising purity, innocence and fertility. Victoria wore a wreath of orange blossoms on her wedding day. It also depicts a rendition of Victoria and Albert's monogram. Inscription reads "VICTORIA & ALBERT - LEGACY OF LOVE";
- (f) the reverse design features a rendition of Benedetto Pistrucci's portrait of young Queen Victoria, and a rendition of William Wyon's portrait of Prince Albert, both of which have never featured on coinage before. Positioned face to face within an infinity symbol with a heraldic torch and orange blossoms decorating the border of the coin, all of which symbolise their unending love. It also depicts a rendition of Victoria and Albert's monogram. Inscription reads "VICTORIA AND ALBERT - LEGACY OF LOVE";
- (g) the reverse design features Victoria and Albert alongside their nine children. Victoria encouraged her children to pursue stable marriages among European royals, earning her the title "The Grandmother of Europe." The background includes a map of the British Empire, emphasising their family's global impact. A tribute to the Veiled Head effigy on the sovereign is depicted of Queen Victoria, facing left, symbolises her grief after Albert's death and her enduring legacy. Orange blossoms feature as a symbol of their marriage. It also depicts a rendition of Victoria and Albert's monogram. Inscription reads "VICTORIA AND ALBERT – LEGACY OF LOVE".

Legal Tender.

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

Dated: 8th May 2025.

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Minister responsible for Finance