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Legal Notice No. 8 of 2021

ASCENSION ISLAND





CURRENCY (ASCENSION) ORDINANCE, 2009

PROCLAMATION

In the Name of Her Majesty Elizabeth II, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

> By His Excellency Philip Rushbrook Governor of Ascension

WHEREAS it is fitting that coins to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the birth of Diana, Princess of Wales (DPOW) should be issued under the provisions of section 4(1) of the Currency (Ascension) Ordinance, 2009, which said coins shall be legal tender in Ascension.

AND WHEREAS it is within the province of the Governor to specify the denomination, weight, form and design and composition of coins to be made and issued, by Proclamation and with the approval of the Secretary of State.

NOW THEREFORE, I, the Governor of Ascension, acting in accordance with the provisions of section 4(2) of the Ordinance, and with the approval of the Secretary of State, do hereby order and specify for Ascension the following coins:

Design	Face Value	Alloy	Quality	Diameter	Gross
					Weight
DPOW	£5	Au	Proof	38.6mm	40g
DPOW	£5	Au	Matte Proof	38.6mm	40g
DPOW	£25	Au	Proof	65mm	5oz
DPOW	£25	Au	Matte Proof	65mm	5oz
DPOW	£100	Au	Proof	100mm	1000g
DPOW	£100	Au	Matte Proof	100mm	1000g
DPOW	£5	Ag	Proof	50mm	2oz
DPOW	£5	Ag	Matte Proof	50mm	2oz
DPOW	£25	Ag	Proof	65mm	5oz
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Design: Obverse impression: Commonwealth Mint Effigy of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II with the inscriptions "ELIZABETH II" and "ASCENSION ISLAND"
Reverse impression: A new portrait of Diana, Princess of Wales drawn by renowned numismatic artist Emerson Abraham. This new portrait has been commissioned as part of the national acknowledgment to the 60th anniversary of Diana's birth.

Given under my hand and the public seal of St Helena, at the Castle, Jamestown, this 22nd day of March 2021.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!