

Legal Notice No. 9 of 2022

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## ASCENSION ISLAND



CURRENCY (ASCENSION) ORDINANCE, 2009

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### 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 Queens Platinum Jubilee, the Portraits in Time designs 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:

**AB 20** *No. 9 Queens Platinum Jubilee, the Portraits in Time*

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<b>Issue Code</b>	<b>Face Value</b>	<b>Alloy</b>	<b>Quality</b>	<b>Diameter</b>	<b>Gross Weight</b>	<b>Royalty</b>	<b>Maximum Mintage</b>
<b>PJPIT</b>	(Design 1) £5	Base Metal	Proof	38.6mm	25 grams	£1.50	59,990
<b>PJPIT</b>	One Crown (Designs 2 – 8)	Base Metal	Proof	38.6mm	25 grams	£0.35	19,995*
<b>PJPIT</b>	One Pound (Design 9)	Gold	Proof	22mm	2.75 grams	£1.00	4,995
<b>PJPIT</b>	¼ Sovereign (Design 9)	Gold	Proof	14mm	2 grams	£0.50	999
<b>PJPIT</b>	½ Sovereign (Design 9)	Gold	Proof	19.3mm	4 grams	£0.50	999
<b>PJPIT</b>	One Sovereign (Design 9)	Gold	Proof	22mm	8 grams	£2.50	999
<b>PJPIT</b>	£100 (Design 9)	Gold	Proof	38.6mm	31.1 grams	£20.00	250
<b>PJPIT</b>	£100 (Design 9)	Platinum	Proof	28mm	31.1 grams	£20.00	150
<b>PJPIT</b>	Seventy Pence (Design 1)	Base Metal	Proof	28.5mm 7 Sided	14 grams	£0.35	59,990
<b>PJPIT</b>	Ten Pounds (Design 10 – additional wording)	Base Metal	Proof	65mm	110 grams	£1.50	999
<b>PJPIT</b>	Ten Pounds (Design 10 – additional wording)	Silver	Proof	65mm	155.5 grams	£2.50	140
<b>PJPIT</b>	Ten Pounds (Design 10 – additional wording)	Silver	Matt Proof	65mm	155.5 grams	£2.50	70
<b>PJPIT</b>	Ten Pounds (Design 10 – additional wording)	Base Metal	Proof	89mm	220 grams approx.	£3.50	1952

**Design 1** – The Platinum Jubilee design. Portrait of a young Queen Elizabeth II wearing the Queen Mary’s Girls of Great Britain and Ireland tiara. This design is also being produced as a seven-sided 70 Pence denomination in honour of the Queen’s historic 70 year reign.

The UK has precedence of releasing 25p coins to mark significant royal occasions in 1972 (silver wedding), 1977 (silver jubilee), 1980 (Queen Mothers 80th), 1981 (Charles & Diana Wedding). In 1977 about a number of commonwealth countries issued 25p coins to mark the Silver Jubilee – those countries included Alderney, Jersey, Guernsey, TDC, St Helena, Gibraltar

**Design 2** – The 1950s. Portrait of Queen Elizabeth II wearing the Diamond Diadem with a view behind from the rafters of Westminster Abbey during the Queen’s Coronation.

**Design 3** – The 1960s. Portrait of Queen Elizabeth II wearing one of her favourite tiaras, the Vladimir tiara with a view behind of the Trooping the Colour ceremony

**Design 4** – The 1970s. Portrait of Queen Elizabeth II wearing the Diamond Diadem with a view behind of a street party celebrating the Silver Jubilee

**Design 5** – The 1980s. Portrait of Queen Elizabeth II wearing the Queen Mary’s Girls of Great Britain and Ireland tiara with a view behind of the Queen on a carriage drive through Windsor.

**Design 6** – The 1990s. Portrait of Queen Elizabeth II wearing the Vladimir tiara with a view behind of a Red Arrows fly past over Buckingham Palace.

**Design 7** – The 2000s. Portrait of Queen Elizabeth II wearing the Queen Mary’s Girls of Great Britain and Ireland tiara with a view behind of the ‘Party at the Palace’ celebrating the Golden Jubilee.

**Design 8** – The 2010s. Portrait of Queen Elizabeth II wearing the Diamond Diadem with a view behind of the Thames flotilla celebrating the Diamond Jubilee.

**Design 9** – Double portrait of Queen Elizabeth II with the wording 70 Years of Loyal Service.

**Design 10** - Double portrait of Queen Elizabeth II with the wording “I shall strive to be worthy of your trust”. 70 Years of Loyal Service.

**The Obverse design** – Portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by renowned numismatic artist, Joel Iskowitz.

Given under my hand the public seal of St Helena, at the Castle, Jamestown, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April 2022.

**GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!**