

Legal Notice No.6 of 2023

ASCENSION ISLAND



CURRENCY (ASCENSION) ORDINANCE, 2009

PROCLAMATION

In the Name of His Majesty Charles III, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and His other Realms and Territories King, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

By His Excellency the Acting Governor
Gregory Gibson

WHEREAS it is fitting that coins to commemorate the King Charles III Cypher 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 Acting 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 Acting Governor, 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 13 No. 6 *Commemorative Coins King Charles III Cypher*

	Face Value	Alloy	Quality	Diameter	Gross Weight	Royalty
KCIII	£5	Base metal	Uncirculated	38.6mm	25 grams approx.	£1.50
KCIII	£1	Silver	Proof	22mm	10g	£0.40
KCIII	£2	Silver	Proof	32mm	14.5g	£1.00
KCIII	£5	Silver	Proof	38.6mm	28.28g	£1.50
KCIII	£5	Silver	Proof	38.6mm	50g	£4.00
KCIII	£5	Silver	Proof	38.6mm	75g	£5.00
KCIII	£25	Silver	Proof	65mm	5oz	£5.00
KCIII	25 Pence	Gold	Proof	16mm	1 gram	£0.50
KCIII	Quarter Sovereign	Gold	Proof	14mm	2 grams	£1.25
KCIII	Half Sovereign	Gold	Proof	19.3mm	4 grams	£2.50
KCIII	£1 / Sovereign	Gold	Proof	22mm	8 grams	£5.00
KCIII	£2 / Double Sovereign	Gold	Proof	32mm	16 grams	£10.00
KCIII	£5 / Five Sovereigns	Gold	Proof	38.6mm	40g	£25.00
KCIII	£25	Gold	Proof	65mm	5oz	£100.00
KCIII	£25	Gold	Proof	65mm	10oz	£100.00

Design 1 – Image showing the Cypher of King Charles III, the Sovereign’s monogram, with the Tudor crown above and initials ‘CR’ denoting ‘Charles Rex’. A number of designs were prepared by The College of Arms, founded in 1484, and this was selected personally by His Majesty.

The Obverse design – Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III designed by renowned numismatic artist, Jody Clark.

Given under my hand and the public seal of St Helena, at the Castle, Jamestown, this 5th day of May 2023.

GOD SAVE THE KING!