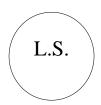
## **Legal Notice No. 8 of 2023**

## **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 Nigel Phillips CBE Governor

**WHEREAS** it is fitting that coins to commemorate the King Charles III Coronation 2023 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, 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:

Issue Code	Face Value	Alloy	Quality	Diameter	Gross	Royalty
Code					Weight	
KCIIIC	50 Pence (Design 7)	Base Metal	BU	28.5mm (7 sided)	14g	£0.25
KCIIIC	£5 (Design 1)	Base Metal	BU	38.6mm	25g	£1.50
KCIIIC	One Crown (Designs 2 – 6)	Base Metal	BU	38.6mm	25g	£0.35
KCIIIC	£1 (Design 8)	Gold	Proof	22mm	2.75g	£1.00
KCIIIC	1/4 Sovereign (Design 9)	Gold	Proof	14mm	2g	£1.00
KCIIIC	£10 (Design 9)	Base Metal	BU	65mm	110g	£1.50
KCIIIC	£10 (Design 9)	Silver	Proof	65mm	155.5g	£5.00
KCIIIC	£100 (Design 9)	Silver	Proof	100mm	1kg	£20.00
KCIIIC	1/2 Sovereign (Design 10)	Gold	Proof	19.3mm	<b>4</b> g	£1.50
KCIIIC	1 Sovereign (Design 11)	Gold	Proof	22mm	8g	£2.50
KCIIIC	Double Sovereign (Design 12)	Gold	Proof	32mm	16g	£5.00
KCIIIC	5 Sovereigns (Design 13)	Gold	Proof	38.6mm	40g	£10.00

The Coronation of Charles III and his wife Camilla, as King and Queen Consort of the United Kingdom and other Commonwealth realms is due to take place at Westminster Abbey on 6th May 2023. The ceremony will be conducted by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

Design 1 – St Edward's Crown.

Design 2 – The Orb.

- Design 3 The Sword of Offering.
- Design 4 The Ampulla and Spoon.
- Design 5 The Throne.
- Design 6 The Sceptre.
- Design 7 The Imperial State Crown St Edward's Crown (50 pence).
- Design 8 Cypher of King Charles III with Crown above.
- Design 9 The Orb for Quarter Sovereign version.
- Design 10 The Sceptre for Half Sovereign version.
- Design 11 St Edward's Crown for Sovereign version.
- Design 12 The Ampulla and Spoon for Double Sovereign version
- Design 13 The Throne for Five Pounds gold version.

The Obverse designs - Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III designed by renowned numismatic artist, Jody Clark, and approved by His Majesty on 29 November 2022.

Given under my hand and the public seal of St Helena, at the Castle, Jamestown, this day 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 2023.

## GOD SAVE THE KING!