

CURRENCY ACT 1992

**CURRENCY (85th BIRTHDAY OF HER
MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II) (COINS)
ORDER 2011**

Laid before Tynwald *17th May 2011*
Coming into operation in accordance with article 2

The Treasury makes this Order under section 5(1)(a), (b) and (d) of the Currency Act 1992¹.

1 Title

This Order is the Currency (85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II) (Coins) Order 2011.

2 Commencement

This Order comes into operation on the day after it is made.

3 Interpretation

In this Order "85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II" "coin" means any coin that bears on the reverse—

(a) either-

(1) the word "Crown" or (in the case of a coin which is denominated as more than 1 Crown) "Crowns" or

(2) an indication that its face value is £5 (however expressed); and

(b) is issued to commemorate the 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II .

¹ 1992 c.14

4 Denomination of 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II coins

The permissible denominations of the 85th Birthday of Her Majesty The Queen Elizabeth II coins are

- a £5 Coin; and
- Crowns in the following denominations-
- 1/64 Crown
- 1/32 Crown,
- 1/25 Crown
- 1/20 Crown,
- 1/10 Crown,
- 1/5 Crown,
- 1/4 Crown,
- 1/2 Crown,
- 1 Crown,
- 2 Crowns,
- 5 Crowns,
- 10 Crowns,
- 13 Crowns,
- 15 Crowns,
- 20 Crowns,
- 25 Crowns,
- 32 Crowns,
- 35 Crowns
- 40 Crowns,
- 50 Crowns,
- 64 Crowns,
- 100 Crowns,
- 130 Crowns, and
- 160 Crowns.

5 Face value of 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Coins

- (1) The face value of an 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Crown is 25 pence
- (2) The face value of other 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Crown coins shall be 25 pence multiplied by the denomination shown on the reverse of the coin and rounded to the nearest penny.
- (3) The face value of an 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Coin is five pounds.


6 Design of 85TH Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II coins

- (1) The obverse of the 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II coins shall bear —
- (a) an effigy of Her Majesty the Queen by Ian Rank-Broadley in the centre;
 - (b) the legend "ELIZABETH II ISLE OF MAN" around the effigy; and
 - (c) the year of issue below the effigy.
- (2) Each Crown is to be circular with a milled edge.
- (3) Each £5 Coin is to be circular with an edge with intermittent milling.
- (4) The reverse of the 85TH Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II coins shall bear one of the following devices:
- (a) a design featuring a portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II with the words 'LIFE OF QUEEN ELIZABETH II in the surround with the value arranged on either side of Her Majesty's portrait: or
 - (b) a design featuring a portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II in the style of Sir Cecil Beaton's official Coronation photograph with a rose to the left and Triskeles below with the words 'LIFE OF QUEEN ELIZABETH II' in the surround with the value at the base:

7 Weight, composition, dimension and amount of tolerance and variation of 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II coins

- (1) Schedule 1 specifies the weight, composition and dimensions of 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II coins and the amount of tolerance allowed, but subject to paragraph (2).
- (2) Despite any other provision of this Order, an 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II coin (of any permitted denomination) that otherwise conforms to the provisions specified in Schedule 1 may be minted —
- (a) in 22 carat gold; or
 - (b) at double the weight shown in column 5 of Schedule 1 as a *piefort*.

MADE 5th APRIL 2011


Signed by authority of the Minister for the Treasury
Member of the Treasury

SCHEDULE 1

Article 7

WEIGHT, COMPOSITION AND DIMENSIONS OF COINS AND THE AMOUNT OF TOLERANCE ALLOWED

<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Standard diameter (mm)</u>	<u>Metal</u>	<u>Millesimal Composition or Fineness</u>	<u>Standard Weight (gms)</u>	<u>Weight remedy (gms)</u>
1/64 Crown	11.00	Gold	999.9	0.50	0.0022
1/32 Crown	13.92	Gold	999.9	1.00	0.0022
1/25 Crown	13.92	Gold	999.9	1.2447	0.0022
	13.92	Platinum	995.0	1.2447	0.0022
	13.92	Palladium	999.0	1.2447	0.0022
1/20 Crown	15.00	Platinum	995.0	1.556	0.0027
	15.00	Gold	999.9	1.556	0.0027
1/10	16.50	Platinum	995.0	3.112	0.0055
	17.95	Platinum	995.0	3.112	0.0055
	17.95	Gold	999.9	3.112	0.0055
	17.95	Palladium	999.0	3.112	0.0055
	17.95	Silver	925.0	3.112	0.0055
1/5 Crown	22.00	Gold	999.9	3.112	0.0055
	22.00	Platinum	995.0	6.223	0.011
	22.00	Gold	999.9	6.223	0.011
	22.00	Palladium	999.0	6.223	0.011
	30.00	Gold	999.9	6.223	0.011
1/4 Crown	22.00	Platinum	995.0	7.780	0.013
	22.00	Gold	999.9	7.780	0.013
	22.00	Silver	925.0	7.780	0.013
1/2 Crown	27.00	Platinum	995.0	15.559	0.027
	30.00	Gold	999.9	15.559	0.027
	32.25	Platinum	995.0	15.559	0.027
	32.25	Gold	999.9	15.559	0.027
	32.25	Silver	999.0	15.567	0.027
	32.25	Palladium	999.0	15.559	0.027
1 Crown	36.10	Titanium	999.0	10.00	0.027
	32.70	Platinum	995.0	31.103	0.055
	32.70	Gold	999.9	31.103	0.055
	32.70	Palladium	999.0	31.103	0.055
	38.60	Platinum	995.0	31.103	0.055
	38.60	Palladium	999.9	31.103	0.055
	38.60	Gold	999.9	31.103	0.055
	38.60	Gold	916.0	33.933	0.055
	38.60	Gold	750. ²	35.00	0.027
	38.60	Silver	999.0	31.103	0.055
2 Crowns	38.60	Silver	925.0	28.28	38.60
	38.60	Silver G/Plated	925.0	28.28	0.055
	38.60	Cupro Nickel	Copper and nickel alloy in the ratio 75:25	28.28	0.080
	38.60	Cupro Nickel (Gold Plated)	Copper and nickel alloy in the ratio 75:25	28.28	0.080
	38.60	Cupro Nickel (Silver Plated)	Copper and nickel alloy in the ratio 75:25	28.28	0.080
	40.00	Gold	999.9	62.207	0.110

² A mixture of red, white and yellow gold.

	40.00	Silver	999.0	62.207	0.110
	40.00	Palladium	999.0	62.207	0.110
5 Crowns	50.00	Platinum	995.0	155.845	0.250
	50.00	Gold	999.9	155.845	0.250
	50.00	Gold	916.0	169.917	0.250
	65.00	Silver	999.0	155.923	0.250
10 Crowns	65.00	Platinum	995.0	311.590	0.400
	65.00	Gold	916.0	339.735	0.400
	75.00	Gold	999.9	311.590	0.400
	75.00	Silver	999.0	311.747	0.400
13 Crowns	75.00	Silver	999.0	404.339	0.700
15 Crowns	75.00	Gold	999.9	466.552	0.825
20 Crowns	75.00	Gold	999.9	622.07	1.100
	80.00	Silver	999.0	622.07	1.100
25 Crowns	80.00	Gold	999.9	777.59	1.375
	80.00	Silver	999.0	777.59	1.375
32 Crowns	85.00	Gold	999.9	1,000.00	1.700
	100.00	Silver	999.0	1,000.00	1.700
	85.00	Platinum	995.0	1,000.00	1.700
35 Crowns	85.00	Gold	999.9	1,088.62	1.700
	85.00	Silver	999.0	1,088.62	1.700
	85.00	Platinum	995.0	1,088.62	1.700
40 Crowns	100.00	Silver	999.0	1,244.14	1.800
50 Crowns	85.00	Gold	999.9	1,538.00	2.000
	85.00	Silver	999.0	1,538.00	2.000
	85.00	Platinum	995.0	1,538.00	2.000
64 Crowns	85.00	Gold	999.9	2,000.00	2.700
	140.00	Silver	999.0	2,000.00	2.700
	85.00	Platinum	995.0	2,000.00	2.700
100 Crowns	140.00	Silver	999.0	3,000.00	3.00
130 Crowns	140.00	Silver	999.0	4,000.00	4.00
160 Crowns	150.00	Silver	999.0	5,000.00	5.00
5 Pounds	36.00	Platinum	950.0	45.50	0.22
		Gold	916.0	39.90	0.22
		Silver	925	23.50	0.22
		Mixed metal 810CU/100/90NI		0.50	

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order prescribes the form of coins issued to commemorate The 85th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II in terms of their face value, permissible denomination, design, weight, composition metal (including millesimal fineness), dimension and amount of permissible tolerance and variation. It also prescribes the device to be borne by such coins.