

BY THE QUEEN A PROCLAMATION DETERMINING THE SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGN FOR A NEW TWENTY POUND SILVER COIN ELIZABETH R.

Whereas under section 3(1)(a), (b), (cc), (cd), (d) and (dd) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to determine the denomination, the design and dimensions of coins to be made at Our Mint, to determine the weight and composition of coins other than gold coins or coins of silver of Our Maundy money, and the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins, to provide for the manner of measurement of the variation from the standard weight of coins, and to determine the percentage of impurities which such coins may contain:

And Whereas under section 3(1)(ff) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to direct that any coin shall be legal tender for the payment of any amount:

And Whereas it appears to Us desirable to order that there should be made at Our Mint a new coin of the denomination of twenty pounds in silver:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3(1)(a), (b), (cc), (cd), (d), (dd) and (ff), and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:

TWENTY POUND COIN

1. (1) A new coin of silver of the denomination of twenty pounds shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 15.710 grammes, a standard diameter of 27 millimetres, a standard composition of not less than 999 parts per thousand fine silver, and being circular in shape.

(2) In the making of the said silver coin a remedy (that is, a variation from the standard weight or diameter specified above) shall be allowed of an amount not exceeding the following, that is to say:

(a) a variation from the said standard weight of an amount per coin of 0.160 grammes; and

(b) a variation from the said standard diameter of 0.125 millimetres per coin.

(3) The variation from the standard weight will be measured as the average of a sample of not more than one kilogram of the coin.

(4) The design of the said silver coin shall be as follows:

‘For the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription “ELIZABETH II · D · G · REG · F · D · 20 POUNDS”, and for the reverse a depiction of Mary and the baby Jesus receiving gifts from the Magi, with the inscription “THE NATIVITY : CHRISTMAS 2016”. The coin shall have a grained edge.’

(5) The said silver coin shall be legal tender for payment of any amount in any part of Our United Kingdom.

2. This Proclamation shall come into force on the thirteenth day of October Two thousand and sixteen.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this twelfth day of October in the year of Our Lord Two thousand and sixteen and in the sixty-fifth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

(2628491)

Departments of State

CROWN OFFICE

THE QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm dated 10 October 2016, to nominate the Venerable Mark David Ashcroft, M.A., Archdeacon of Manchester, in the Diocese of Manchester, to be Bishop Suffragan of Bolton.

THE QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm dated 10 October 2016, to nominate the Reverend Canon Mark Simon Austin Tanner, M.A., B.A., M.Th., Vice Principal of St John’s College, Durham and Warden Cramer Hall, in the Diocese of Durham, to be Bishop Suffragan of Berwick.

C. King

(2628500)

THE QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm dated 10 October 2016 to grant the Venerable Christine Louise Wilson, Archdeacon of Chesterfield, in the Diocese of Derby, the Deanery of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln, void by the resignation of the Very Reverend Philip John Warr Buckler, M.A., lately Dean thereof.

Elaine Chilver

(2628502)

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE

UNIVERSITIES OF OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE ACT 1923

A Statute made by the Governing Body of St John’s College, in the University of Oxford on the 9th March 2016 revising the existing Statutes of the College has been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council, and notice of this having been submitted are published in accordance with the provisions of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act 1923. Under the provisions of the Act any petition must be received by the Privy Council Office, Room G/04, 1 Horse Guards Road, London SW1A 2HQ or email enquiries@pco.gov.uk within eight weeks (exclusive of any University vacation).

The purpose of the proposed revision is to enable the College to create new categories of Fellowships with limited rights without changing the Statute; to remove references concerning retirement ages to Fellows; and to establish that the College has the power to borrow money in order to satisfy charities legislation. (2628501)

UNIVERSITIES OF OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE ACT 1923

A Statute made by the Governing Body of Corpus Christi College, in the University of Cambridge on the 19th July 2016 amending the existing Statutes of the College has been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council, and notice of this having been submitted is published in accordance with the provisions of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act 1923. Under the provisions of the Act any petition must be received by the Privy Council Office, Room G/04, 1 Horse Guards Road, London SW1A 2HQ or email enquiries@pco.gov.uk within eight weeks (exclusive of any University vacation).

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to amend the term of office of the Master and revise the conditions for the Mastership election. (2628492)

Honours & awards

State Awards

THE ROYAL VICTORIAN ORDER

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James’s Palace, London S.W.1.

14 October 2016

THE QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in the Royal Victorian Order:

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To be a Lieutenant:

Peter Charles TAYLOR, MVO; on the relinquishment of his appointment as Fire Safety Manager, Windsor Castle.

(To be dated 7 October 2016.)

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