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Currency (Commemorative Coins) (No 3) Regulations 2025

(made: 22 April 2025)
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I make these regulations by order under section 22 of the Currency Ordinance 1987 in accordance with section 66(2)(e) of the Falkland Islands Constitution Order 2008 because in my judgement the matter is too unimportant.

1. Title

These regulations are the Currency (Commemorative Coins) (No 3) Regulations 2025.

2. Commencement

These regulations come into force on publication in the *Gazette*.

3. Commemorative coins that may be minted

For the purposes of section 6(5)(a) of the Currency Ordinance 1987, the Commissioners may arrange the minting of the commemorative coins described in the Schedule.

4. Deemed denomination of Sovereign coins and their value as legal tender

(1) For the purposes of the Ordinance the deemed denomination of the Sovereign coins authorised by this order in relation to —

(a) the 1/8 Sovereign coins, is 13 pence;

(b) the 1/4 Sovereign coins, is 25 pence;

(c) the 1/2 Sovereign coins, is 50 pence;

(d) the 1 Sovereign coins, is £1;

(e) the 2 Sovereign coins, is £2; and

(f) the 5 Sovereign coins, is £5.

(2) The coins specified under paragraph (1) are legal tender in the Falkland Islands in the amount of their deemed denomination.

SCHEDULE – DETAILS OF COMMEMORATIVE COINS

regulation 3

Part 1 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 – 50p coins

Denomination	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p
***Weight** (grams)*	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	-
***Weight** (oz)*						5
***Form** (shape)*	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon
Diameter (millimetres)	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	54.60
Edge	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain
Metal	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Silver	Silver	Silver
Fineness	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	.925	.925	.925
Quality	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	None	Full Plate	Partial Plate	None	Partial Plate	Partial Plate
Design	As described and depicted below:-					
Obverse - design	Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III					
Obverse - wording	CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025					
Reverse – design	Allied Victory in Europe Day - a couple embracing, surrounded by people celebrating at a street party, Union flag bunting in the background					
Reverse – wording	THIS IS YOUR VICTORY ALLIED VICTORY IN EUROPE DAY 50p					
Reverse - depiction						

Part 2 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 – 50p coins

Denomination		50p	50p
Weight *(grams)*		15.55	-
Weight *(oz)*			1
Form *(shape)*		Heptagon	Heptagon
	Diameter (millimetres)	27.30	54.60
	Edge	Plain	Plain
Metal		Gold	Gold
	Fineness	.916	.999
	Quality	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
	Additional Finish	None	None
Design		As described and depicted below:-	
	Obverse - design	Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III	
	Obverse - wording	CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025	
	Reverse – design	Allied Victory in Europe Day - a couple embracing, surrounded by people celebrating at a street party, Union flag bunting in the background	
	Reverse – wording	THIS IS YOUR VICTORY ALLIED VICTORY IN EUROPE DAY 50p	
	Reverse - depiction		

Part 3 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 – 50p coins

Denomination	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p
Weight *(grams)*	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	15.55
Form *(shape)*	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon
Diameter (millimetres)	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30
Edge	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain
Metal	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Silver	Silver	Gold
Fineness	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	.925	.925	.916
Quality	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	None	Full Plate	Partial Plate	None	Partial Plate	None
Design	As described and depicted below:-					
Obverse - design	Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III					
Obverse - wording	CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025					
Reverse – design	Women's Land Army – two women standing in a field, one holding a lamb, the other a pitchfork, farm buildings and clouds in the background					
Reverse – wording	THIS IS YOUR VICTORY WOMEN'S LAND ARMY 50p					
Reverse - depiction						

Part 4 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 – 50p coins

Denomination	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p
Weight *(grams)*	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	15.55
Form *(shape)*	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon
Diameter (millimetres)	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30
Edge	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain
Metal	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Silver	Silver	Gold
Fineness	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	.925	.925	.916
Quality	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	None	Full Plate	Partial Plate	None	Partial Plate	None

Design As described and depicted below:-

Obverse - design Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III

Obverse - wording CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025

Reverse – design Underground Blitz Spirit – an underground station filled with people taking shelter during the Blitz, underground sign “Holborn” in the background

Reverse – wording THIS IS YOUR VICTORY UNDERGROUND BLITZ SPIRIT 50p

Reverse - depiction

Part 5 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 – 50p coins

Denomination	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p
Weight *(grams)*	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	15.55
Form *(shape)*	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon
Diameter (millimetres)	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30
Edge	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain
Metal	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Silver	Silver	Gold
Fineness	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	.925	.925	.916
Quality	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	None	Full Plate	Partial Plate	None	Partial Plate	None
Design	As described and depicted below:-					
Obverse - design	Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III					
Obverse - wording	CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025					
Reverse – design	White Cliffs Observer – a uniformed plane spotter holding binoculars standing on the white cliffs of Dover, the sea, two Spitfires and clouds in the background					
Reverse – wording	THIS IS YOUR VICTORY WHITE CLIFFS OBSERVER 50p					
Reverse - depiction						

Part 6 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 – 50p coins

Denomination	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p	50p
Weight *(grams)*	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	15.55
Form *(shape)*	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon	Heptagon
Diameter (millimetres)	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.30
Edge	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain	Plain
Metal	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Cupro Nickel	Silver	Silver	Gold
Fineness	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	75% Copper 25% Nickel	.925	.925	.916
Quality	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Brilliant Uncirculated (BU)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	None	Full Plate	Partial Plate	None	Partial Plate	None

Design As described and depicted below:-

Obverse - design Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III

Obverse - wording CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025

Reverse – design Nighttime Blackout – a blackout warden setting the blackout time on a clock, sandbags and foliage in the background

Reverse – wording THIS IS YOUR VICTORY NIGHTTIME BLACKOUT 50p

Reverse - depiction

Part 7 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 – £5 coins

Denomination	£5	£5	£5
Weight *(grams)*	28.28	28.28	-
Weight *(oz)*	-	-	1
Form *(shape)*	Round	Round	Round
Diameter (millimetres)	38.60	38.60	38.60
Edge	Milled	Milled	Milled
Metal	Silver	Silver	Gold
Fineness	.925	.925	.916
Quality	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	Antique	Partial Plate	None
Design	As described and depicted below:-		
Obverse - design	Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III		
Obverse - wording	CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025		
Reverse – design	Flypast – a group of people on the South bank of the Thames River waving at aircraft in the sky, a Lancaster bomber and four Spitfires flying over St Paul's Cathedral and London skyline in the background		
Reverse – wording	8 MAY • THIS IS YOUR VICTORY • 1945 FIVE POUNDS		
Reverse - depiction			

Part 8 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 - Silver Sovereign coins

Denomination	1 Sovereign	2 Sovereign	5 Sovereign
Weight *(grams)*	7.98	15.97	39.94
Form *(shape)*	Round	Round	Round
Diameter (millimetres)	22.05	28.40	36.02
Edge	Milled	Milled	Milled
Metal	Silver	Silver	Silver
Fineness	.999	.999	.999
Quality	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	None	None	None
Design	As described and depicted below:		
Obverse - design	Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III		
Obverse - wording	CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025		
Reverse - design	On a shield in the centre the stylised initials “VE” entwined with a wreath, a flaming torch and spotlights in a V shape, a wreath of foliage in the surround		
Reverse – wording	VICTORY 2025 SILVER .999		
Reverse - depiction			

Part 9 - Falkland Islands VE Day 80th Anniversary collection 2025 - Gold Sovereign coins

Denomination	1/8 Sovereign	1/4 Sovereign	1/2 Sovereign	1 Sovereign	2 Sovereign	5 Sovereign
***Weight** (grams)*	1.00	1.99	3.99	7.98	15.97	39.94
***Form** (shape)*	Round	Round	Round	Round	Round	Round
Diameter (millimetres)	11.00	13.50	19.30	22.05	28.40	36.02
Edge	Milled	Milled	Milled	Milled	Milled	Milled
Metal	Gold	Gold	Gold	Gold	Gold	Gold
Fineness	.916	.916	.916	.916	.916	.916
Quality	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)	Proof (PF)
Additional Finish	None	None	None	None	None	None
Design	As described and depicted below:					
Obverse - design	Effigy of His Majesty King Charles III					
Obverse - wording	CHARLES III • D • G • REX • FALKLAND ISLANDS • 2025					
Reverse - design	On a shield in the centre the stylised initials "VE" entwined with a wreath, a flaming torch and spotlights in a V shape, a wreath of foliage in the surround					
Reverse – wording	VICTORY 2025 GOLD .916					
Reverse - depiction						

Made 22 April 2025

A. M. BLAKE C.M.G.,
Governor.

EXPLANATORY NOTE
(not part of the regulations)

Section 6(5)(a) of the Currency Ordinance 1987 gives the Commissioners of Currency the right to arrange for the minting of coins of such denominations, weight, form and design and made of such metal or metals as are prescribed by regulations.

These regulations prescribe the details for coins as set out in the Schedule. Regulation 4 provides for the deemed denomination of Sovereign coins and their value as legal tender which is necessary as there is no face value given for the coins.

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