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BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

Appointing Monday, 28th December 1981 as a Bank Holiday in England, Wales and Northern Ireland in the place of Saturday, 26th December 1981 and appointing Friday, 1st January and Monday, 3rd May 1982 as Bank Holidays in England, Wales and Northern Ireland and appointing Monday, 28th December 1981 as a Bank Holiday in Scotland and appointing Monday, 4th January 1982 as a Bank Holiday in Scotland in the place of Saturday, 2nd January 1982 and appointing Monday, 31st May 1982 as a Bank Holiday in Scotland.

ELIZABETH R

Whereas it appears to Us that it is inexpedient that Saturday, the twenty-sixth day of December in the year 1981 should be a bank holiday in England, Wales and Northern Ireland and We consider it desirable that Monday, the twenty-eighth day of December in the year 1981 should be appointed a bank holiday in England, Wales and Northern Ireland in place of it:

And whereas We consider it desirable that Friday, the first day of January and Monday, the third day of May in the year 1982 should be bank holidays in England, Wales and Northern Ireland:

And whereas We consider it desirable that Monday, the twenty-eighth day of December in the year 1981 should be a bank holiday in Scotland:

And whereas it appears to Us that it is expedient that Saturday, the second day of January in the year 1982 should be a bank holiday in Scotland and We consider it desirable that Monday, the fourth day in January in the year 1982 should be appointed a bank holiday in Scotland in place of it:

And whereas We consider it desirable that Monday, the thirty-first day of May in the year 1982 should be a bank holiday in Scotland.

We therefore, in pursuance of section 1(2) and (3) of the Banking and Financial Dealings Act 1971, declare that Saturday, the twenty-sixth day of December in the year 1981 shall not be a bank holiday in England, Wales, and Northern Ireland and do hereby appoint in place of it Monday, the twenty-eighth day of December in the year 1981 and do hereby appoint Friday, the first day of January and Monday, the third day of May in the year 1982 to be

bank holidays in England, Wales and Northern Ireland and Monday, the twenty-eighth day of December in the year 1981 to be a bank holiday in Scotland and declare that Saturday, the second day of January in the year 1982 shall not be a bank holiday in Scotland and do hereby appoint in place of it Monday, the fourth day of January in the year 1982 and do hereby appoint Monday, the thirty-first day of May in the year 1982 to be a bank holiday in Scotland.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this tenth day of June in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and eighty-one and in the thirtieth year of Our Reign.

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BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

Determining the Specifications and Design for the Twenty-Five New Pence Coins Commemorating the Marriage of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales and Lady Diana Spencer.

ELIZABETH R

Whereas under section 3 (a), (b), (c) and (d) of the Coinage Act 1971 We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to determine the denomination, design, dimensions, weight and composition of coins to be made at Our Mint and to determine the remedy to be allowed in the making of such coins:

And Whereas it appears to Us desirable to order that a Crown piece of twenty-five new pence should be made both in cupro-nickel and in silver to be issued to commemorate the Marriage of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales and Lady Diana Spencer:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 3 (a), (b), (c) and (d) 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:—

1.—(1) A new coin of cupro-nickel of the denomination of twenty-five new pence shall be made, being a coin of a standard weight of 28.27590 grams, a standard diameter of 38.608 millimetres, and a standard composition of seventy-five per cent. copper and twenty-five per cent. nickel.