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**CURRENCY “Real Heroes – Fighter Pilot” COIN NOTICE 2020**

Pursuant to Section 3 of the Currency Amendment Act 2005, the Minister of Finance hereby gives the following notice.

**1. TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT**

- (1) This Notice may be cited as the Currency “Real Heroes – Fighter Pilot” Coin Notice 2020.
- (2) This Notice shall be deemed to have come into effect from the date of approval.

**2. DENOMINATION**

The standard denomination of the coin issued in the Cook Islands shall include two coin denominations of two hundred and fifty dollars and a coin denomination of five hundred dollars.

**3. DESIGN**

- (1) The design of the coin authorized by this notice shall be:
  - (a) On the reverse impression, the coins will show the design of “Real Heroes – Fighter Pilot” together with the Denomination of the coin; and
  - (b) For the obverse impression, the Ian Rank-Broadley (IRB) effigy of Her Majesty the Queen in profile with the inscription “Elizabeth II Cook Islands” encircling the top and below, the date of the year.

**4. NUMBER OF COINS LIMITED**

The number of coins to be made and issued of the design described in this Notice shall be limited to.

<b><u>Face Value</u></b>	<b><u>Maximum Mintage</u></b>
\$ 250.00	199 pieces of two designs
\$ 500.00	19 pieces

**5. SHAPE AND EDGE TREATMENT**

The coins described in this Notice shall be round shaped with reeded edges.

**6. DIAMETER, STANDARD WEIGHT AND COMPOSITION**

The diameter, standard weight and composition of the coins authorized by this notice shall be as specified in the schedule hereto.

**SCHEDULE**

<b><u>Denomination</u></b>	<b><u>Diameter</u></b>	<b><u>Weight</u></b>	<b><u>Composition</u></b>
\$250.00	33 mm	1 ounce	Platinum
\$250.00	33 mm	1 ounce	Gold
\$500.00	50 mm	5 ounce	Gold

Provided that in the making of the said coin, a tolerance of 1.5 percent in the diameter and the standard weight shall be allowed.

**DATED** at Avarua, Rarotonga this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2020



**Honourable Mark Brown  
Deputy Prime Minister  
and  
Minister of Finance**