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### CURRENCY ACT (CHAPTER 69)

#### CURRENCY (DENOMINATIONS AND CHARACTERISTICS OF COINS) NOTIFICATION 2019

Pursuant to section 17(5) of the Currency Act, it is notified for general information that the denominations and characteristics of the coins to be issued on 1 January 2020 by the Monetary Authority of Singapore are as shown in the Schedule.

#### THE SCHEDULE

##### DESCRIPTION OF THE 2020 CHINESE ALMANAC COINS (YEAR OF THE RAT) TO BE ISSUED ON 1 JANUARY 2020

##### PART 1

Denomination	\$2	
Metal	999 Fine Silver	Nickel-plated 99% Zinc
Standard Weight	7.776 g + 0.15 g	20.000 g + 1.70 g
Standard Diameter	27.00 mm ± 0.30 mm	40.70 mm ± 0.40 mm
Standard Thickness	1.90 mm ± 0.40 mm	2.90 mm ± 0.40 mm
Shape	Round	
Edge	Milled	
Design of Obverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin and the \$2 nickel-plated zinc proof-like coin is shiny silver.</li> <li>2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date “2020” below it.</li> <li>3. The word “SINGAPORE” appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.</li> </ol>	

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Denomination	\$2
Design of Reverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="512 300 1131 405">1. The background of the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin and the \$2 nickel-plated zinc proof-like coin is shiny silver.</li> <li data-bbox="512 420 1131 1268">2. The \$2 silver proof-like colour coin and the \$2 nickel-plated zinc proof-like coin share a common design which features — <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="565 544 1131 748">(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;</li> <li data-bbox="565 769 1131 906">(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;</li> <li data-bbox="565 927 1131 1026">(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;</li> <li data-bbox="565 1047 1131 1146">(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat; and</li> <li data-bbox="565 1167 1131 1268">(e) the denomination "\$2" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter.</li> </ol> </li> <li data-bbox="512 1289 1131 1388">3. The weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin are engraved above the denomination of the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin.</li> <li data-bbox="512 1408 1131 1479">4. The rat featured in the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin is in colour.</li> </ol>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*\$2 Silver Proof-like Colour Coin

Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$2 Nickel-plated Zinc Proof-like Coin

Reverse Design



Obverse Design

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

## PART 2

Denomination	\$5		
Metal	999 Fine Silver		999.9 Fine Gold
Standard Weight	31.104 g + 0.40 g		1.000 g + 0.05 g
Standard Diameter/ Length and Width	45.00 mm ± 0.40 mm		1. Length: 15.00 mm ± 0.30 mm 2. Width: 8.70 mm ± 0.30 mm
Standard Thickness	3.80 mm ± 0.70 mm	3.30 mm ± 0.70 mm	0.80 mm ± 0.30 mm
Shape	Octagon	Floral	Rectangle
Edge	Plain		
Design of Obverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin is shiny silver.</li> <li>2. The background of the \$5 gold brilliant uncirculated coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>3. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date “2020” below it.</li> <li>4. The word “SINGAPORE” appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.</li> <li>5. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o’clock for the \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin.</li> </ol>		
Design of Reverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin is shiny silver.</li> <li>2. The background of the \$5 gold brilliant uncirculated coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>3. The \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin share a common design which features — <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are</li> </ol> </li> </ol>		

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Denomination	\$5
	<p>engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;</p> <p>(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;</p> <p>(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;</p> <p>(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;</p> <p>(e) the denomination "\$5" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and</p> <p>(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.</p> <p>4. The rat featured in the \$5 silver proof colour coin is in colour.</p> <p>5. The \$5 gold brilliant uncirculated coin features —</p> <p>(a) a rat engraved in the centre;</p> <p>(b) the denomination "\$5" engraved and placed at 6 o'clock, below the rat; and</p> <p>(c) the weight in grams and fineness of the coin, engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the rat.</p>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

\$5 Silver Proof Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$5 Silver Proof Colour Coin

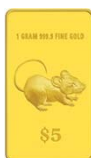


Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$5 Gold Brilliant Uncirculated Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

## PART 3

Denomination	\$20	
Metal	999 Fine Silver	999.9 Fine Gold
Standard Weight	155.518 g + 1.00 g	7.776 g + 0.05 g
Standard Diameter	65.00 mm ± 0.80 mm	21.96 mm ± 0.30 mm
Standard Thickness	9.50 mm ± 1.50 mm	1.60 mm ± 0.40 mm
Shape	Round	
Edge	Plain	Milled
Design of Obverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$20 silver proof coin is shiny silver.</li> <li>2. The background of the \$20 gold proof coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>3. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date “2020” below it.</li> <li>4. The word “SINGAPORE” appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.</li> <li>5. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o’clock.</li> </ol>	
Design of Reverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$20 silver proof coin is shiny silver.</li> <li>2. The background of the \$20 gold proof coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>3. The \$20 silver proof coin and the \$20 gold proof coin share a common design which features — <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;</li> <li>(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Denomination	\$20
	<p>boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;</p> <p>(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;</p> <p>(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;</p> <p>(e) the denomination "\$20" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and</p> <p>(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.</p>



THE SCHEDULE — *continued*\$20 Silver Proof Coin

Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$20 Gold Proof Coin

Reverse Design



Obverse Design

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

## PART 4

Denomination	\$80
Metal	999 Fine Silver
Standard Weight	1000.000 g + 5.00 g
Length and Width	1. Length: 114.50 mm ± 2.00 mm 2. Width: 60.50 mm ± 2.00 mm
Standard Thickness	19.00 mm ± 4.00 mm
Shape	Rectangle
Edge	Plain
Design of Obverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$80 silver proof-like coin is matt silver.</li> <li>2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date “2020” below it.</li> <li>3. The word “SINGAPORE” appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.</li> </ol>
Design of Reverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$80 silver proof-like coin is shiny silver.</li> <li>2. The \$80 silver proof-like coin features — <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod, bushes, trees and the boardwalk that are engraved in the left of the middle ground;</li> <li>(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat’s ears, head, tail and body;</li> <li>(c) bushes and trees in the middle ground on the left of the shelter and trees in the background on the right of the shelter;</li> </ol> </li> </ol>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Denomination	\$80
	<p>(d) water features in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat and in the left of the foreground next to the wooden log;</p> <p>(e) the denomination “\$80” engraved and placed at 3 o’clock, to the right of the rat overlapping the water feature and the stilts of the boardwalk in the right of the middle ground; and</p> <p>(f) the weight in kilograms and fineness of the coin, engraved and placed at 12 o’clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter.</p>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

\$80 Silver Proof-like Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

## PART 5

Denomination	\$100
Metal	999.9 Fine Gold
Standard Weight	31.104 g + 0.10 g
Standard Diameter	40.00 mm ± 0.40 mm
Standard Thickness	2.50 mm ± 0.50 mm
Shape	Octagon
Edge	Plain
Design of Obverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$100 gold proof coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date “2020” below it.</li> <li>3. The word “SINGAPORE” appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.</li> <li>4. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o’clock.</li> </ol>
Design of Reverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$100 gold proof coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>2. The \$100 gold proof coin features — <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;</li> <li>(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat’s ears and head;</li> <li>(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;</li> </ol> </li> </ol>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Denomination	\$100
	<p>(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;</p> <p>(e) the denomination “\$100” engraved and placed at 12 o’clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and</p> <p>(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.</p>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*\$100 Gold Proof Coin

Reverse Design



Obverse Design

## PART 6

Denomination	\$200
Metal	999.9 Fine Gold
Standard Weight	155.518 g + 0.20 g
Standard Diameter	60.00 mm ± 0.80 mm
Standard Thickness	5.50 mm ± 1.50 mm
Shape	Round
Edge	Plain
Design of Obverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$200 gold proof coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date “2020” below it.</li> <li>3. The word “SINGAPORE” appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.</li> <li>4. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o’clock.</li> </ol>
Design of Reverse	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The background of the \$200 gold proof coin is shiny gold.</li> <li>2. The \$200 gold proof coin features —</li> </ol>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Denomination	\$200
	<p>(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;</p> <p>(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;</p> <p>(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;</p> <p>(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;</p> <p>(e) the denomination "\$200" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and</p> <p>(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.</p>



THE SCHEDULE — *continued*\$200 Gold Proof Coin

Reverse Design



Obverse Design

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