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SOUTH AFRICAN RESERVE BANK ACT, 1989

THE DIMENSION OF, DESIGN FOR, AND COMPILATION OF THE YEAR 2009 PROTEA COIN SERIES

By virtue of the powers vested in me by section 19 (1) (a) of the South African Reserve Bank Act (Act No. 90 of 1989), hereby declare -

- a) that the 1 oz pure gold Protea coin, the one 1/10th oz pure gold Protea coins and the one R1 sterling silver Protea coins, as set out in Section (a) of the Second Schedule to the said Act, which is being manufactured, and will be issued by virtue of section 16(1) of the said Act, will be legal tender as from 1 January 2009; and
- b) that the designs of the said coins will be the designs as shown and which is attached to this notice; and
- c) that the specifications of the said coins are as follows:

DENOMINATION	DIAMETER	TOLERANCE ON DIAMETER (POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE)
1 oz 24 ct gold	32.69 mm	0,8 mm
1/10 oz 24 ct gold	16.50 mm	0,5 mm
R1 sterling silver	32.69 mm	0,8 mm

T. A. MANUEL

MINISTER OF FINANCE