

GREFFE
ROYAL COURT
29 OCT 2001

**The Currency Offences (Designation of Euro)
Order, 2001**

Made

October, 2001

Coming into operation

See article 3

Laid before the States

THE STATES ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 23 of the Currency Offences (Guernsey) Law, 1950, as amended^a, hereby makes the following Order:-

Designation of euro banknotes and coins.

1. The Committee hereby designates for the purposes of section 23(1) of the Currency Offences (Guernsey) Law, 1950, as amended -

- (a) any euro coin produced in accordance with Council Regulation (EC) No. 975/98^b by or at the instance of a participating member State; and
- (b) any euro banknote produced in accordance with article 10 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 974/98^c;

^a Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIV, p. 417 and Vol. XXIII, p. 190; section 23 was inserted by the Currency Offences (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2001.

^b OJ No. L139, 11.5.98, p. 6.

^c OJ No. L139, 11.5.98, p. 1.

as coin or (as the case may be) paper money in respect of which the provisions of the said Law of 1950 shall apply in the same manner as if the designated coin or designated paper money were currency.

Interpretation.

2. (1) In this Order "participating member State" means a member State which has adopted the single currency in accordance with the Treaty establishing the European Community; and other expressions have the same meaning as in the Currency Offences (Guernsey) Law, 1950, as amended.

(2) The Interpretation (Guernsey) Law, 1948^d shall apply to the interpretation of this Order.

Citation and commencement.

3. This Order may be cited as the Currency Offences (Designation of Euro) Order, 2001 and shall come into force on the day of registration on the Records of the Island of Guernsey of the Currency Offences (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2001.

Dated this 24th day of October, 2001.



L. C. MORGAN

President of the States Advisory and Finance Committee

For and on behalf of the Committee

^d Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 355.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order designates euro coins and euro banknotes as currency to which the Currency Offences (Guernsey) Law, 1950, as amended, shall apply, thus attracting the penalties under that Law for (for example) counterfeiting and forgery.