

## **Certificate of Authenticity**

2018 \$1 Fine Silver Coin – 65th Anniversary of the Coronation of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

### **Product Specifications**

- Coin Metal: 99.9% pure silver
- Coin Finish: Proof
- Coin Weight: 31.1 g
- Coin Diameter: 40 mm x 40 mm
- Coin Denomination: \$1
- Year of Issue: 2018
- Coin Mintage: 900
- Country of Issue: Tokelau

### **Coin Story**

At the age of 25, Elizabeth ascended the throne upon the death of her father, King George VI. Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was crowned on 2 June 1953 in Westminster Abbey. The ceremony took place more than a year after the King's passing as it was thought to be inappropriate to host the celebration during his mourning period. Her Majesty was the 39th Sovereign to be crowned at Westminster Abbey. The ceremony was the first ever to be televised. It was watched by 27 million people in the UK and millions more around the world.

### **Design:**

The centre piece of your coin features the young Queen holding an Orb and Sceptre at the Coronation Ceremony. Above Her Majesty is the Crown and the crowned English lion and a Scottish unicorn. Three shields depict three guardant lions of England, the rampant lion of Scotland and a harp for Ireland. Each coin is enhanced with a coloured picture of the interior of Westminster Abbey. And your special obverse features the symbols of the United Kingdom: the rose (England), thistle (Scotland), leek (Wales), and Shamrock (Ireland).