

**2010 PROTEA SERIES**

**“South African Literary Nobel Laureates”  
Nadine Gordimer**



Reverse - R25 (1 oz) Gold Protea Coin



Reverse - R5 (1/10 oz) Gold Protea Coin



Reverse - R1 Silver Protea Coin

**MINISTRY OF FINANCE**

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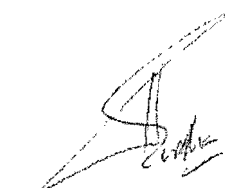
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**SOUTH AFRICAN RESERVE BANK ACT, 1989****THE DIMENSION OF, DESIGN FOR, AND COMPILATION OF  
THE YEAR 2010 PROTEA COIN SERIES**

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), I hereby declare -

- a) that the 1 oz pure gold Protea coin, the one 1/10<sup>th</sup> 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 2010; 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:

<u>DENOMINATION</u>	<u>DIAMETER</u>	<u>TOLERANCE ON DIAMETER (POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE)</u>
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



**Minister P Gordhan**  
**MINISTER OF FINANCE**