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*On issue of the commemorative gold  
coin “Baiturrahman” from  
“Famous Mosques of the World” series of coins*

The National Bank of the Republic of Kazakhstan announces the issue, effective from 7 June 2012, of the commemorative gold coin “Baiturrahman” of “proof” quality from “Famous Mosques of the World” series of coins; face value of the coin is KZT 500.

In the central part of the face (obverse) of the gold coin “**Baiturrahman**” there is a composition consisting of an image of stylized arch, which symbolizes an entrance into Islamic shrines; heraldic spiral and legend “500 TENGE” denoting the face value of the coin. To the right of the face value figures there is an inscription “Au 999”, which denotes the fineness of metal a coin is made of. On full-circle there is inscription “ҚАЗАҚСТАН ҰЛТТЫҚ БАНКИ” (KAZAKSTAN ULTTYK BANKI”) (NATIONAL BANK OF KAZAKHSTAN”) in the state language; logo of the National Bank of the Republic of Kazakhstan and number “2013” denoting the year of coinage and trademark of Kazakhstan mint.



In the center of the back side (reverse) of the coin there is an image of BAITURRAHMAN mosque. In the upper sector there is an inscription “BAITURRAHMAN” in the English language. There is a full-circle protruding edge.

The images and legend on the obverse and reverse of the coin are relief.

The lateral surface (gurt) is grooved.

Commemorative gold coins of KZT 500 face value are mandatory for acceptance at their face value throughout the Republic of Kazakhstan for all types of payments as well as for credit to the accounts, placement on deposits, for letters of credit and for money transfers; they are changed and exchanged without limitation in all banks of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

**Comments of the National Bank of Kazakhstan**

Baiturrahman Mosque is located in the center of the city Banda Aceh, Aceh Province, Indonesia (the north of Sumatra Island). The Mosque is of great symbolic significance for the people of the Province as a symbol of religion and culture; moreover, the mosque has survived the destructive tsunami of 2004 and remained undamaged.

Commemorative coins are made at the Republican State Enterprise on the Right of Economic Management “Kazakhstan Mint of the National Bank of the Republic of Kazakhstan”.

The coins are designed in accordance with the Concept of Design of Banknotes and Coins of the National Currency – Kazakhstani Tenge approved by the Edict No. 1193 of 25 September 2003 of the President of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

The commemorative coins of “proof” quality are intended for sale at the collection value. They are produced in a souvenir package and are attached with a numbered certificate of quality of the National Bank of the Republic of Kazakhstan in the state, Russian and English languages.

Coins may be purchased in all branches of the National Bank of the Republic of Kazakhstan. In Almaty coins can be purchased at 98 Panfilov Street. Telephone for reference: (727) 273-83-98.

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