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Form: Circular

By: Pagliari / Cape Mint

**Date: 1986** 

Ref: Laidlaw: 0492;

Variations: Size Metal Mass Value

38.3 mm Gilded Silver 32.1 gm \$22

**Edge:** Plain. Stamped with the sterling silver mark of the Cape Mint.

Obverse: Dove with outstretched wings perched on pole, left. Signed: "PAGLIARI" below. Legend above: "KANSELIER UNIVERS STELLENBOSCH" and below between stops: "MAJUBA 1986".

Reverse: Laurel wreath tied at the bottom around blank space for engraving. Signed: "PAGLIARI" above knot.

**Notes:** Majuba is a men's residence at the University of Stellenbosch, taking its name from the Battle of Amajuba Hill in 1881 v Boers inflicted a stinging defeat on Britain. The dove is the emblem of the residence adopted because Amajuba means 'mountain of the dove' in Zulu.

This medal in gold was presented to the Chancellor of the University, Prime Minister P.W. Botha, at the annual House I 22 August 1986.

Comes inside a blue plastic case lined in the inside with white silk inscribed: "(coat of arms) / PAGLIARI / PTY LTD / CATOWN" and blue velvet.