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Form: Circular

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Variations:

Size	Metal	Mass	Value
32.3 mm	Silver	18.6 gm	\$15

Edge: Plain. Stamped: "SIL".

Obverse: Bust of President de Klerk in jacket and tie, front and slightly to the left. Signed: "ALS" below truncation on left. Legend: "NEW SOUTH AFRICA", and below between stars: "NUWE SUID-AFRIKA".

Reverse: Within a circle F.W. de Klerk's signature and below: "1990". Legend above: "HOOFLEIER VAN DIE NP" and below between stars: "LEADER OF THE NP"

Notes: Frederik Willem de Klerk (1936 -) was the leader of the Governing National Party in the final years of white rule in South Africa. He was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, jointly with Nelson Mandela, for bringing about the transition to democratic government in 1994.