MOUNT

Unique ID: LANCUM-1BF0B2

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Probably an early Medieval sleeve clasp of Hines Form B20. Cast copper alloy with staining from gilding on its face, on underside of the clasp is the remains of the hook which appears to be a broken tab possibly bent rather than an eye fixing or hoop. There does not appear to be any circular attachment projections but there does appear to be two broken attachment holes. Along the length of the clasp runs a vertical groove and at either side of the tab are incised vertical lines. The length is 30mm, the width is 12mm and the weight 3.94g.

Ref:

• Hines, J., 1993 <u>Clasps Hektespenner Agraffen: Anglo-Scandinavian Clasps of Classes A-C of the 3rd to 6th Centuries A D: Typology, diffusion and function</u> Stockholm: Kungl Vitterhets Historie och Antikvitets Akademien,

Class: Hines Form B20

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: EARLY MEDIEVAL Period from: EARLY MEDIEVAL Period to: EARLY MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 470 Date to: Circa AD 570

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Length: 30 mm Width: 12 mm Weight: 3.94 g

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Friday 10th March 2017 - Friday 10th March 2017

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

Region: East Midlands (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: <u>Lincolnshire</u> (County)

District: North Kesteven (District)

Parish or ward: Leasingham (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: TF0748

Four figure Latitude: 53.01861265 Four figure longitude: -0.40636575

1:25K map: TF0748 1:10K map: TF04NE

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land Specific landuse: Minimal cultivation