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Unique ID: BH-0F64D9

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A hammered silver penny of King Coenwulf of Mercia dating to the Early Medieval period (c. AD 796-821) struck by Æthelmod at Canterbury. The obverse depicts a legend reading COENVVLF REX arranged circumferentially around a central circle and an M (for Mercia) within it. The reverse depicts a voided Tribrach moline consisting of two lines that divides the name of the moneyer Æthelmod (EþELMOD), with a triangular-shaped pellet in the 'MOD' sector. A similar coin with identical obverse and reverse legends but with a circular pellet under 'MOD' is recorded on the Portable Antiquities Scheme database (CPAT-4AAF81).

Find of note status

This has been noted as an interesting find by the recorder.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Early

Period from: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Period to: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 796

Date to: Circa AD 821

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Weight: 1.28 g

Diameter: 19 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Wednesday 6th June 2018 - Wednesday 6th June 2018

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: [Eastern](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [Hertfordshire](#) (County)

District: [St. Albans](#) (District)

Parish or ward: [Wheathampstead](#) (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: TL1614

Four figure Latitude: 51.81260548

Four figure longitude: -0.31869642

1:25K map: TL1614

1:10K map: TL11SE

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.