COIN

Unique ID: SUSS-E941A0

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A lightly clipped Post-medieval, silver, shilling of Elizabeth I (AD 1558-1603) dating AD 1560-61. Initial mark: cross crosslet. As North Volume 2: 1985.

Obverse: Crowned bust facing left. The face has been worn away and there is an eight pointed star (saltire overlying a cross); scratched into the surface of the coin in front of the bust.

Reverse: Square shield on long cross fourchee dividing legend. There are two saltires scratched into the surface above the shield; either side of the vertical arm of the cross fourchee.

Measurements: Diameter: 32.25mm; thickness: 0.82mm; weight: 5.53g.

Discussion: this coins has been deliberately defaced and modified, this has been noted on other coins of Elizabeth recorded on the PAS including LVPL-A5B60E; LIN-DCDB5A; DUR-F1470E; PUBLIC-3AA6EC.

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: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1560 Date to: Circa AD 1561

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 0.82 mm Weight: 5.53 g

Diameter: 32.25 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Friday 23rd August 2019

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: South East (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: West Sussex (County)

District: <u>Chichester</u> (District)
To be known as: near chichester

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land

North, J.J., 1991 English Hammered Coinage: Volume 2. Edward I to Charles II, 1272-1662 London:

Spink and Son Ltd, 1985