STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 1216

COINAGE

The Trial of the Pyx (Amendment) Order 2016

Made - - - -	*14th December 2016*
Coming into force - -	*15th December 2016*

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 14th day of December 2016

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by section 8(2) and (3) of the Coinage Act 1971(**1**), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order as follows:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Trial of the Pyx (Amendment) Order 2016 and comes into force on 15th December 2016.

Amendment of the Trial of the Pyx Order 1998

2.—(1) The Trial of the Pyx Order 1998(**2**) is amended as follows.

(2) In article 3(1) (coins to be set apart by the Mint for trial)—

(a) in paragraph (a), for "2,000" substitute "10,000";

(b) in paragraph (c), for "3,000" substitute "15,000";

(c) in paragraph (e), for "5,000" substitute "20,000";

(d) in paragraph (f), for "5,000" substitute "30,000"; and

(e) in paragraph (g), for "5,000" substitute "10,000".

(**1**) 1971 c.24. Section 8(2)(d) was amended by S.I. 2009/2748.

(**2**) S.I. 1998/1764; relevant amending instruments are S.I. 2005/254 and S.I. 2012/2746.