§ 5101. Decimal system

United States money is expressed in dollars, dimes or tenths, cents or hundredths, and mills or thousandths. A dime is a tenth of a dollar, a cent is a hundredth of a dollar, and a mill is a thousandth of a dollar.

Footnotes

1 So in original. Probably should be “hundredths,”.

Short Title of 2008 Amendment

Short Title of 2007 Amendment

Short Title of 2005 Amendment
Pub. L. 110–82, § 1, Sept. 20, 2007, 121 Stat. 777, provided that: "This Act [amending section 5112 of this title and enacting provisions set out as a note under section 5112 of this title] may be cited as the ‘Native American $1 Coin Act’.”

Short Title of 2003 Amendment

Short Title of 2002 Amendment

Short Title of 2000 Amendment
Pub. L. 106–445, § 1, Nov. 6, 2000, 114 Stat. 1931, provided that: "This Act [amending sections 5112, 5131 and 5134 of this title] may be cited as the ‘United States Mint Numismatic Coin Clarification Act of 2000’.”

Short Title of 1997 Amendment
Pub. L. 105–124, § 1, Dec. 1, 1997, 111 Stat. 2534, provided that: "This Act [amending section 5112 of this title and enacting provisions set out as notes under this section and section 5112 of this title] may be cited as the ‘50 States Commemorative Coin Program Act’.”


Short Title of 1996 Amendment
Pub. L. 104–329, § 1(a), Oct. 20, 1996, 110 Stat. 4005, provided that: “This Act [amending sections 5131 and 5135 of this title and enacting provisions set out as notes under this section, sections 5112 and 5135 of this title, and section 431 of Title 16, Conservation] may be cited as the ‘United States Commemorative Coin Act of 1996’.”

Pub. L. 104–329, title III, § 301, Oct. 20, 1996, 110 Stat. 4012, provided that: “This title [amending sections 5131 and 5135 of this title and enacting provisions set out as notes under sections 5112 and 5135 of this title] may be cited as the ‘50 States Commemorative Coin Program Act’.”

Short Title of 1992 Amendment
Pub. L. 102–390, § 1, Oct. 6, 1992, 106 Stat. 1624, provided that: “This title [enacting sections 5134 and 5135 of this title, amending sections 304, 5111, 5112, 5119, 5131, and 5132 of this title and section 709 of Title 18, Crimes and Criminal Procedure, enacting provisions set out as notes under sections 5132 and 5134 of this title, amending provisions set out as notes under section 5112 of this title, and repealing provisions set out as a note under section 5112 of this title] may be cited as the ‘United States Mint Reauthorization and Reform Act of 1992’.”
Short Title of 1990 Amendment