EconEdLink: Agent Penn E. Pincher's Notebook

Case Number: Case Subject:

1st Assistant to Agent Penn E. Pincher (your name)

Your Tasks/Agent Assignments:

- 1. Participate in class activities and learn about money.
- 2. Virtual Field Research and Visits
- 3. Gather research and record it in your notebook.
- 4. Investigate the missing Susan B. Anthony dollars
- 5. Make a report to the Big Bosses.

Assignment 1: Class notes

Characteristics of money:

| 1. | |
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| 2. | |
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| 4. | |

Functions of money:

| 1. | |
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| 2. | |
| 3. | |

Assignment 2: Your Research Notes

List five facts that most interest you about money.

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| Who was Susan B. Anthony? | | |
| When and where was she born? | | |

| Why was she famous? |
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| Why did the government decide to make a dollar coin? |
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| What years where the coins minted? |
| When will they make more? |
| Who and when signed the coin into law? |
| Nicknames? |
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| Description of the coin |
| Why was it called the mini dollar? |
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| Assignment 3: Investigate the reported release of a new dollar coin. |
| Identify the coin: |
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| Describe the coin: |
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| Using the materials that you have researched and explored in class, give your opinion as to whether the coin will be successful or not in the marketplace. Be sure and use the data gathered in your notebook. |
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Assignment 4: Final Report & Recommendations to the Big Bosses

1. What is the Susan B. Anthony coin?

2. How did it do in circulation?

3. Explain why it is not generally in circulation?

4. So why don't we have a pocketful of SBA dollars?