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I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Aegean Islands
ii. Region	Rhodes
iii. Site	Rhodos

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	Ἀταβυ[ρι]ασταί
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>Ataby[ri]astai</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	iii BC
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Theophoric:	Ἀταβυριασταί, <i>Atabyriastai</i> - Most likely from the epithet of Zeus (Morrelli, I culti in Rodi [Pisa, 1959], 45-52, 136-47).
Note	The character of the association is greatly reminiscent of other associations described as κοινὸν, <i>koinon</i> , although the descriptive term has been omitted in this case.	

V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	ASAA 22 (1939/40) 165,19.
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Online Resources	ASAA 22 (1939/40) 165,19 AGRW no. 15060
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Dedicatory-honourific inscription in Greek.
i.c. Physical format(s)	Rectangular block of marble.

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Certain
Note	The use of a theophoric element and the dedicatory-honourific context of the attested inscriptions make the private character of the association certain, although a descriptive term is omitted.