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CAPInv. 1100: to koinon tes synodou

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Western Greece with the Ionian Islands
ii. Region	Corcyra
iii. Site	Corcyra

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	τὸ κοινὸν τῆς συνόδου (IG IX.1 ² .4 856, ll. 3-4)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>to koinon tes synodou</i>

III. DATE

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

iii. Descriptive terms	κοινόν, <i>koinon</i> σύνοδος, <i>synodos</i>
Note	<i>koinon</i> : IG IX.1 ² .4 856, l. 3 <i>synodos</i> : IG IX.1 ² .4 856, l. 4

V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	IG IX.1 ² .4 856 (i BC ?)
Note	Ed.pr.: IG IX.1 712 (with different dating)
Online Resources	IG IX.1 712
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Great statue base with private Greek dedication (inscription on 4 lines) by <i>Leukios Sainios Prepon</i> , son of <i>Philippos</i> , a priest out of office - otherwise unknown -, possibly to the <i>koinon tes synodou</i> .

i.c. Physical format(s)	The upper surface of the base presents two holes with the remains of bronze stilts (for a statue?). No other details (lost).
ii. Source(s) provenance	Corcyra

IX. MEMBERSHIP

ii. Gender	Men
Note	The only known member is a male, the former priest.

X. ACTIVITIES

iii. Worship	The dedicator is a priest out of office. It is unknown if he was priest of the <i>koinon</i> or not.
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XII. NOTES

i. Comments	The fourth line of the inscription with the singular genitive of <i>synodos</i> poses a problem of understanding: Poland has shown that a <i>koinon</i> can encompass many <i>sodalitates</i> ; he proposed, however, to interpret the association in question as a college of Dionysian <i>technitai</i> (Poland 1934: 2483).
ii. Poland concordance	Poland B *55
iii. Bibliography	Poland, F. (1934), 'Technitai', <i>RE</i> ² 5.2: 2473-578.

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Possible
Note	If Poland is right, the association in question should be a <i>koinon</i> of Dionysian <i>technitai</i> . Although the term <i>synodos</i> could refer to an association, it is also possible that it refers to a meeting.