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CAPInv. 1408: U-EGY-072

## I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Egypt
ii. Nome	Arsinoites (00)
iii. Site	Tebtynis

## II. NAME

i. Association with unknown name	U-EGY-072
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## III. DATE

i. Date(s)	14 - 37 AD
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## IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

iii. Descriptive terms	κοινόν, <i>koinon</i>
Note	<i>koinon</i> : P.Mich.V 243, l. 3

## V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	P.Mich.V 243 (AD 14-37)
Note	Other editions: AGRW 300
Online Resources	<a href="#">P.Mich.V 243</a> <a href="#">TM 12084</a> <a href="#">AGRW ID 2988</a>
i.a. Source type(s)	Papyrological source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Regulations/charter of the association; ancient Greek
i.c. Physical format(s)	papyrus, 37cm x 23cm

## VII. ORGANIZATION

ii. Leadership	Heron the son of Orses, προστάτης <i>prostates</i> , l. 1
iii. Members	συνοδῖται <i>synoditai</i> , l. 10
vi. Laws and rules	Failing to help someone in need results in a fine of 8 drachmas, l.6; shoving and taking wrong place at a banquet (εὐοχία <i>euochia</i> ) results in a fine of 3 obols, l.6-7; prosecution or slander of another results in fine of 8 drachmas, l.7; intrigue of another or corruption/destruction of the home results in a fine of 60 drachmas, l.8; surety up to 100 drachmas for 30 days, l.9; rules regarding funerals in the event of a member's death: outward display of grief/shaving of hair and hold a feast for one day, for which each member contributes one drachma and 2 loaves, l.9-10; association seems to intend to hold a feast for one day in the event of a death of others (non-members) affiliated with the group somehow, l.10.
viii. Obligations	monthly dues of 12 drachmas from each member, l.2

## VIII. PROPERTY AND POSSESSIONS

i. Treasury/Funds	common funds
iii. Income	monthly dues of 12 drachmas from each member, l.2; contribution to mark a member's marriage, 2 drachmas, l.5; contribution on birth of children (2 drachmas for son, 1 drachma for daughter), l.5; contribution on purchase of property, 4 drachmas, l.5; for purchase of livestock (flock of sheep 4 drachmas, herd of cattle, 1 drachma), l.5

## IX. MEMBERSHIP

i. Number	17
ii. Gender	Men
Note	Recorded names are male names.
iii. Age	Adults
Note	only 4 ages recorded, ranging from 42-55

## X. ACTIVITIES

ii. Meetings and events	monthly banquets on the 12th, l.1; meetings held in city and village (fines assessed for failing to attend), l.4
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## XII. NOTES

i. Comments	Possibly association of cattle or sheep herders ( <i>probatoktenotrophoi</i> ) based on language in the charter.
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### iii. Bibliography

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## XIII. EVALUATION

### i. Private association

Certain

#### Note

Given the similarities between this and other regulations by private associations, the vocabulary within the document, and the connections to the Kronion archive, we can be certain that this a private association.