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CAPInv. 1603: **synergasia pyrenadon**

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Western Asia Minor
ii. Region	Ionia
iii. Site	Ephesos

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	συνεργασία πυρηνάδων (I.Eph(esos) 2079, ll. 7-8)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>synergasia pyrenadon</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	222 - 235 AD
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Professional:	<i>pyrenadeis</i> . The meaning of the designation is controversial; for the suggestions made, see Dittmann-Schöne 2010, II.1.38; no decision is made by Ruffing 2008: 729-30.
iii. Descriptive terms	συνεργασία, <i>synergasia</i>	
Note	<i>synergasia</i> : I.Eph(esos) 2079, ll. 7-8	

V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	I.Eph(esos) 2079 (222 - 235 AD)
Note	See also: Dittmann-Schöne II.1.38
Online Resources	I.Eph(esos) 2079

i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Greek.
i.c. Physical format(s)	Marble pillar
ii. Source(s) provenance	Found north of the harbor swamp, but originating from the "Hallenstraße" between the theatre and the stadium.

VI. BUILT AND VISUAL SPACE

ii. References to buildings/objects	The end of the inscription is lost, but the many parallels make it certain that this association received <i>diastyla</i> from M. Publicianus Nikephoros.
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XII. NOTES

iii. Bibliography	Dittmann-Schöne, I. (2010), <i>Die Berufsvereine in den Städten des kaiserzeitlichen Kleinasiens</i> . 2nd. ed. Regensburg. Ruffing, K. (2008), <i>Die berufliche Spezialisierung in Handel und Handwerk</i> . 2 vols. Rahden, Westf.
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XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Probable
Note	Professional associations in the 2nd/3rd century were often very close to the official civic institutions, but they probably remained essentially private associations.
ii. Historical authenticity	Certain