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CAPInv. 1855: U-EGY-064

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Egypt
ii. Nome	Alexandria (I.00)
iii. Site	Alexandria; Canopus

II. NAME

i. Association with unknown name	U-EGY-064
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III. DATE

i. Date(s)	20 / 21 AD
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V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	I.Alex.Imp. 46 (AD 20)
Note	Other publications: IGR I 1051; SB V 8775; I.Breccia 51.
Online Resources	I.Alex.Imp. 46 TM 102646
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Dedication; Greek
i.c. Physical format(s)	Statue Base

VII. ORGANIZATION

ii. Leadership	1.1-3: [Di]onysius son of Dorion, προ[σ]τατήσας <i>prostatesas</i> .
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X. ACTIVITIES

iii. Worship	Dedication of a statue of Serapis.
Deities worshipped	Serapis/Sarapis

XII. NOTES

i. Comments	Preserves a dedication of a statue of Sarapis by Dionysius who likely was an association official. There is no indication of whether he was acting on behalf of the group which he served as the <i>prostates</i> or if it was out of his own funds and on his own initiative. There is also no indication of the identity of the group, whether it was specifically associated with Sarapis or not. Inclusion here depends on the use of the typical association title and his engagement in honorific/cultic practices.
iii. Bibliography	Harland, P. A. (2003) <i>Associations, synagogues, and congregations: claiming a place in ancient Mediterranean society</i> . Philadelphia: 304 n. 4.

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Probable
Note	There is no indication of activity by the group, only the dedication by a <i>prostatesas</i> (perhaps of an association) of a statue of Sarapis.