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CAPInv. 2093: Mousa[i]stai Hagetoreioi

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I. LOCATION

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

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	Μουσα[ι]σταί Ἀγητορείοι
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>Mousa[i]stai Hagetoreioi</i>

III. DATE

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

ii. Name elements	Personal:	Ἀγητορείοι, <i>Hagetor</i> - From the Greek personal name Ἀγήτωρ, <i>Hagetor</i> (LGPn s.v. no. 8). The compound name likely suggests a founder or a benefactor of the association, (cf. Thomsen (forthcoming), Gabrielsen 1997 p. 126-7, Maiuri 1916 p. 141, Poland 1909 p. 73-6, see also CAPInv. 2063 and CAPInv. 2065).
	Theophoric:	Μουσαῖσταί, <i>Mousaistai</i> - From the muses (Morrelli, <i>I culti in Rodi</i> [Pisa, 1959] 61, 162-63).
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, 165,19
Online Resources	ASAA 22, 165,19 AGRW no. 15060
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	A catalogue of of honours bestowed to an individual.
i.c. Physical format(s)	Block of marble

XIII. EVALUATION

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