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CAPInv. 864: **koinon thiasiton**

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Aegean Islands
ii. Region	Tenos
iii. Site	Tenos

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	κοινὸν θιασιτῶν (IG XII.5 872, l. 60)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>koinon thiasiton</i>

III. DATE

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

ii. Name elements	Cultic:	<i>thiasitai</i>
iii. Descriptive terms	κοινόν, <i>koinon</i>	
Note	<i>koinon</i> : IG XII.5 872, ll. 24, 60, 115, 116	

V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	IG XII.5 872 (= section XXIII) (l. iv BC: Étienne 1985; 1990: 43-7)
Note	Older editions: CIG II 2338 GIBM II 377 Dareste et al. 1898-1904, vol. 1: 63-106, no. 7 (incl. French translation)
Online Resources	IG XII.5 872
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)

i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Register of contracts of sale (and of dowries). Greek.
i.c. Physical format(s)	Large slab of white marble

VII. ORGANIZATION

iii. Members	θιασίται, <i>thiasitai</i>
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VIII. PROPERTY AND POSSESSIONS

i. Treasury/Funds	The <i>koinon thiasiton</i> together with an unknown individual from the <i>phyle</i> of Klymeneis appear in a list of <i>prateres</i> (guarantors) for a sum of 150 drachmai. It concerns the sale of property for a total sum of 4,700 drachmai cf. IG XII.5 872 l. 16.
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XI. INTERACTION

i. Local interaction	The <i>koinon thiasiton</i> appear in a list of guarantors (<i>prateres</i>) together with an unknown individual from the <i>phyle</i> of Klymeneis. The other guarantors are individuals from various <i>phylai</i> on Tenos (the <i>phylai</i> of Eleithyaieis, Donakeis, Klymeneis, Thryesioi, and Thestieis). The transaction concerns the sale of property. The buyer is from the city <i>phyle</i> and the sellers are from the <i>phyle</i> of Eschatiotai.
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XII. NOTES

i. Comments	The property sale in which the <i>koinon thiasiton</i> are involved as guarantors took place in the month Anthesterion or Artemision (IG XII.5 872, l. 48). There are similar attestations of associations elsewhere in the text: IG XII.5 872, ll. 24-25 (CAPInv. 867), l. 76 (CAPInv. 865), ll. 114, 115, 116-117, 118 (CAPInv. 866).
ii. Poland concordance	Poland B 209
iii. Bibliography	Dareste, R. et al. (1898-1904), <i>Recueil des inscriptions juridiques grecques: texte, traduction, commentaire</i>. Paris. Étienne, R. (1985), 'Le capital immobilier dans les Cyclades à l'époque hellénistique', in P. Leveau (ed.), <i>L'origine des richesses dépensées dans la ville antique</i>, Aix-en-Provence: 55-67. Étienne, R. (1990), <i>Ténos. II: Ténos et les Cyclades du milieu du IV^e siècle av. J.-C. au milieu du III^e siècle ap. J.-C.</i> Athens.

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Probable
Note	The use of the term <i>koinon</i> combined with the term <i>thiasitai</i> and the attestation of the group in a list of guarantors for the sale of property certainly indicate an association; whether it was 'private' is difficult to establish. Cf. Étienne 1990: 42, n. 21.