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CAPInv. 1175: phortegion tou emporiou

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Western Asia Minor
ii. Region	Troas
iii. Site	Alexandria Troas

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	φορτήγιον τοῦ ἐμπορίου (I.Alexandreia Troas 151 ll. 2-3; I.Alexandreia Troas 152 l. 2)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>phortegion tou emporiou</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	ii - iii AD
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Professional:	<i>phortegion tou emporiou</i> : the term <i>phortegion</i> is closely connected to the word <i>phortegos</i> , porters for loading and uploading the cargo from ships. According to Bean (1973: 398) 'it should denote both primarily the hall in which they society met, then the society itself'.
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V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	I.Alexandreia Troas 151 (iii AD) I.Alexandreia Troas 152 (ii/iii AD)
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Note	For I.Alexandria Troas 151 see also: Edd. pr. CIG 3592 Bean 1973: 397 no. 10 Dittmann-Schöne 2010: no. I.4.1.2 For I.Alexandria Troas 152 see also: Dittmann-Schöne 2010: no. I.4.1.3
Online Resources	IMT SuedlTroas 462 AGRW 5827 IMT SuedlTroas 447 AGRW 5831
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	I.Alexandria Troas 151" Funerary inscription in Greek containing stipulations against the violation of the funerary monument. The phortegion to epi tou limenos was the recipient of fines for the desecration of the tomb.
i.c. Physical format(s)	I.Alexandria Troas 151: Granite sarcophagus. Inscription in the lower half of the tabula ansata. I.Alexandria Troas 152: two fragments of marble sarcophagus-side.
ii. Source(s) provenance	I.Alexandria Troas 151 was seen in Marmat by Bean (1973: 397). I.Alexandria Troas 152: found in Uluköy (formerly Kestanbol) cemetery.

VIII. PROPERTY AND POSSESSIONS

iii. Income	Fines: a fine of 2500 denarii was to be paid in case of violation of the tomb to the association (I.Alexandria Troas 151 l. 4; I.Alexandria Troas 152 l. 3).
iv. Endowments	The deceased in I.Alexandria Troas 152 established a fund (κατέλειψα λεγῶτα, <i>kateleipsa legata</i> l. 3) for decking the tomb with roses during an annual banquet (δεῖπνον, <i>deipnon</i> l. 4). It seems that the celebration of the Rosalia is implied by the verb <i>rodizosin</i> .

XII. NOTES

iii. Bibliography	Bean, G.E. (1973), 'New Inscriptions', in J.M. Cook, <i>The Troad. An archaeological and topographical study</i>. Oxford: 395-418. Dittmann-Schöne, I. (2010), <i>Die Berufsvereine in den Städten des kaiserzeitlichen Kleinasien</i>. Regensburg.
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XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Certain
Note	The terminology used (<i>phortegion</i>) makes it certain that we have here a private professional association. The durability of the group is inferred by the fact that they are the recipients of fines in case of the violation of tombs.