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I. LOCATION

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

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	Ἀφροδισιασ[ταί ----] Νουμη[ν]είων
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>Aphrodisias[tai ----] Noume[n]eion</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	10 AD
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Personal:	Νουμηνείων, <i>Noumeneion</i> - From the Greek personal name Νουμήνιος, <i>Noumenios</i> (LGPN s.v. no. 53).
	Theophoric:	Ἀφροδισιασταί, <i>Aphrodisiastai</i> , l. 3 - From the goddess Aphrodite (Morrelli, <i>I culti in Rodi</i> [Pisa, 1959], 34-35, 117-18).
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)	Lindos II 391 Lindos II 392b
Online Resources	Lindos II 391 Lindos II 392b AGRW no. 15070 AGRW no. 15073
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)

XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Certain
Note	The use of theophoric and 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.