

CAPInv. 298: [era]nistai

## I. LOCATION

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| i. Geographical area | Attica with Salamis |
| ii. Region           | Attica              |
| iii. Site            | Athens              |

## II. NAME

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| i. Full name (original language) | [ἐρ]ανισταὶ (Agora XVI 202, ll. 4-5) |
| ii. Full name (transliterated)   | [era]nistai                          |

## III. DATE

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| i. Date(s) | 286 - 239 (?) BC |
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## V. SOURCES

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| i. Source(s)                                | Agora XVI 202 (286 - 239 (?) BC)                                                       |
| Note                                        | Ed. pr. <i>Hesperia</i> 6 (1937) 453 no. 4.<br>The text is written <i>stoichedon</i> . |
| Online Resources                            | <a href="#">Agora XVI 202</a>                                                          |
| i.a. Source type(s)                         | Epigraphic source(s)                                                                   |
| i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script | Fragmentary decree in Greek.                                                           |
| i.c. Physical format(s)                     | Marble stele preserving only its left side, measuring 0,115x0,123m.                    |
| ii. Source(s) provenance                    | Found in a modern context in the Athenian Agora, I 3241.                               |

## VII. ORGANIZATION

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| iv. Officials        | Secretary (ἐγραμμάτευν, <i>egrammateuen</i> , l. 2).<br>Steward ([ἐπιμ]εληταί[ι], <i>epimeletai</i> , l. 1).                                                                                                                                                       |
| vii. Judicial system | The remains in ll. 4-6: ὡν εἴπει ἡ γρά[ψει — — — ἐρα?] ΝΙΣΤΑΣ ὀφειλ[ — — — τει Ἀφ] ροδίτει, <i>on eipei e gra[psai --- era]nistas opheil[--- tei Aph]roditei</i> ) strongly suggest some sort of fine for violation of duties perhaps by an official of the group. |

## VIII. PROPERTY AND POSSESSIONS

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| iii. Income | A source of income was probably the imposed fine in ll. 4-6. |
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## X. ACTIVITIES

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| iii. Worship       | Fragmentary mention of Aphrodite in dative (in connection with the levy of fines?) could suggest some form of worship by the group (ll. 5-6). |
| Deities worshipped | Ἀφροδίτη, <i>Aphrodite</i> (?)                                                                                                                |

## XII. NOTES

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| iii. Bibliography | Tracy, S. (2003), <i>Athens and Macedon. Attic letters-cutters of 300 to 229 B.C.</i> . Berkeley: 86 |
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## XIII. EVALUATION

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| i. Private association | Certain                                                                                                                               |
| Note                   | Despite a degree of uncertainty about the restoration <i>[era]nistas</i> , the group displays salient features of a structured group. |