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ABBREVIATIONS

We use the abbreviations for epigraphical works listed at https://www.atticinscriptions.com/browse/bysource/ and in the first part of AIO Papers 11, and in addition:

Lambert 2020: S. D. Lambert, AIUK 4.2 (British Museum, Decrees of the Council and Assembly) (https://www.atticinscriptions.com/papers/aiuk-42/).

Lambert and Schneider 2019: S. D. Lambert and J. G. Schneider, "The Last Athenian Decrees Honouring Ephebes", *AIO Papers* 11 (https://www.atticinscriptions.com/papers/aio-papers-11/).

Mitsos 1964a: Μ. Τ. Mitsos, "Έκ τοῦ Ἐπιγραφικοῦ Μουσείου V", *Arch. Eph.* 1964 [1967], 36-51 with Πιν. 9-12α.

Mitsos 1964b: Μ. Τ. Mitsos, "Έθνικὸν ἀρχαιολογικὸν Μουσεῖον: Β. Ἐπιγραφικὴ Συλλογή", *Arch. Delt.* B 19 (1964) [1966], 16 with Πιν. 5 α-γ.

Reinmuth 1965: O. W. Reinmuth, "An Ephebic Text of ca. 43/2 BC. IG II² 1040 and 1025", Hesperia 34, 255-72, with pl. 59-60.

Reinmuth 1972: O. W. Reinmuth, "IG II² 1006 and 1301", Hesperia 41, 185-91, with pl. 30-31.

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In July 2019 we published as <u>AIO Papers 11</u> a paper on the texts of the five substantially preserved post-Sullan inscriptions which carry decrees of the Athenian Council and/or People honouring ephebes;¹ and, since a fragment of one of the inscriptions, <u>AIUK 4.2 no. 16</u> (*IG* II² 1042), is in the British Museum, Lambert published earlier this year a fresh edition of that inscription in the context of the project to edit all Attic inscriptions in UK collections, AIUK.² Very few images of these inscriptions have hitherto been available and our purpose in this second part of *AIO Papers* 11 is to rectify that by publishing a complete set of photographs of the extant fragments, i.e. those known to be in the Epigraphical Museum, Athens (EM),³ or in the case of *IG* II² 1042 fr. b, in the British Museum, London (BM).⁴ We also take the opportunity to note three further minor textual corrigenda (see notes 6 and 7).

In our recent editions on AIO we printed outside square brackets all letters plausibly recorded as legible at any stage of the inscription's textual history. This includes fragments which have in the meantime been lost and letters which have become illegible. Moreover, while most fragments currently ascribable to <u>AIO 1798</u> (IG II² 1039 +) and <u>1838</u> (IG II² 1043 +) have been moulded into plaster casts in the EM, some fragments remain attached to other inscriptions. In the case of <u>AIUK 4.2 no. 16</u> (IG II² 1042) one of the fragments, as noted above, is not in Athens at all. The images we publish here have been digitally reconstructed to represent the extant fragments approximately in their proper relative positions, regardless of their actual present physical location.

1. Decrees for the ephebes of the archonship of Apollodoros (80/79 BC)

EM 10341 + 4193 + 4208 + 5259 + 7638 + 7368 + 7639 + 7640 + 7641 + 7643 + 8032. Over 130 fragments inserted into a cast in the EM. Key textual bibliography: $IG II^2 1039$; Mitsos 1964a, 36-49 with Π_{1V} . 9-12 α (SEG 22.110); Follet 1988, 24-25 (SEG 38.117); $\frac{AIO Papers 11}{1}$, 3-4, with 7-12; $\frac{AIO 1798}{1}$. Figs. 1-4.

³ We express warm thanks to the staff of the Epigraphical Museum, Athens, and especially Athanasios A. Themos, Elena Zavvou and Eirini Choremi, for their assistance in facilitating the preparation of this photographic documentation. The rights on the depicted monuments belong to the Hellenic Ministry of Culture and Sports (Law 3028/2002). The inscribed stelai belong to the responsibility of the Epigraphic Museum. Hellenic Ministry of Culture and Sports/Archaeological Resources Fund.

¹ Lambert and Schneider 2019.

² Lambert 2020, no. 16.

⁴ We are similarly grateful to the staff of the British Museum, especially Peter Higgs, Alexandra Villing and Alex Truscott, for supporting our work.

⁵ Follet transfers *IG* II² 1006, col. 4, Il. 121-125 to *IG* II² 1039 +, col. 3, Il. 178-182. The relevant fragment is shown by Reinmuth 1972, pl. 30, in its current actual location in the plaster cast of *IG*

2. Decrees for the ephebes of the archonship of Polycharmos (44/3 or 43/2 BC)

EM 7668 (fr. a + b) + 7669 (fr. c). Key textual bibliography: $IG II^2 1041$; <u>AIO 1836</u>. Fig. 5.

3. Decrees for the ephebes of the archonship of Nikandros (41/0 or 40/39 BC)

EM 7606 (fr. a) + BM 1864,0220.21 (fr. b) + Lost (fr. c) + Lost (fr. d). Key textual bibliography: $IG II^2 1042$; Lambert 2020, no. 16 with fig. 16 (ph. fr. b); $\underline{AIUK 4.2 \text{ no. } 16}$. Fig. 6.

4. Decrees for the ephebes of the archonship of Menandros (38/7 or 37/6 BC)

EM 10342 + 4197. 37 fragments moulded in a cast in the EM and arranged in 13 fragment complexes. Key textual bibliography: $IG II^2 1043 + Add$. p. 671; Mitsos 1964a, 49 n. 2 (SEG 22.112); Mitsos 1964b, 16 with $\Pi_{1}v$. 5 α - γ ; Follet 1988, 25-26 (partially summarised, SEG 38.119); AIO Papers 11, 4-6, with 13-18; AIO 1838. Figs. 7-10.

5. Decrees for the ephebes of the archonship of Apolexis (ca. 20 BC)

EM 7608 ($IG { II}^2 { 1040 { fr. }}a$) + 7609 ($IG { II}^2 { 1040 { fr. }}b$) + 7610 ($IG { II}^2 { 1040 { fr. }}c$) + 5246 ($IG { II}^2 { 1025}$). Key textual bibliography: $IG { II}^2 { 1040}$; $IG { II}^2 { 1025}$; Reinmuth 1965 with pl. 59-60 combined $IG { II}^2 { 1040 { with 1025 { (SEG 22.111)}}};$ $AIO { 1837. Fig. 11.}$

 II^2 1006 at the EM. In fig. 1 and fig. 4 we have digitally transposed it to its correct position in IG II^2 1039 +.

⁶ We take the opportunity to note two minor corrigenda to our text of this inscription as published in *AIO Papers* 11: (1) The line break at the end of l. 33 should be iσως |κα[i]| δικα[iως], not iσως κα[i] |δικα[iως]. (2) In col. 2 of the roster of ephebes, there was uninscribed space beneath the entry for the Cappadocian princes (ll. 140-142), perhaps intended to highlight these distinguished ephebes. The uninscribed area appears to have extended into col. 3 (above l. 178). Col. 4 is not preserved at this point. *IG* II² 1039 fr. *m*, which preserves the left edge of the stele, is now inserted in the cast and in our text at this level at the left edge of col. 1 (cf. *AIO Papers* 11, p. 3, on ll. 109-113). However its location in the vertical plane is uncertain. These corrections have been introduced into the online text of *AIO* 1798.

⁷ Following the suggestion of Dittenberger (*IG* III 1005) and Follet, in our images of this inscription we have moved the fragment *IG* II² 1043 c, currently attached to the stele at the bottom right, to col. 1, ll. 91-97. Correct the reading in l. 91 from [--]TI[--]ouc Κηφισεύς to [--]ΣTI[--]ouc σr [--]ETI[--]ouc Κηφισεύς.

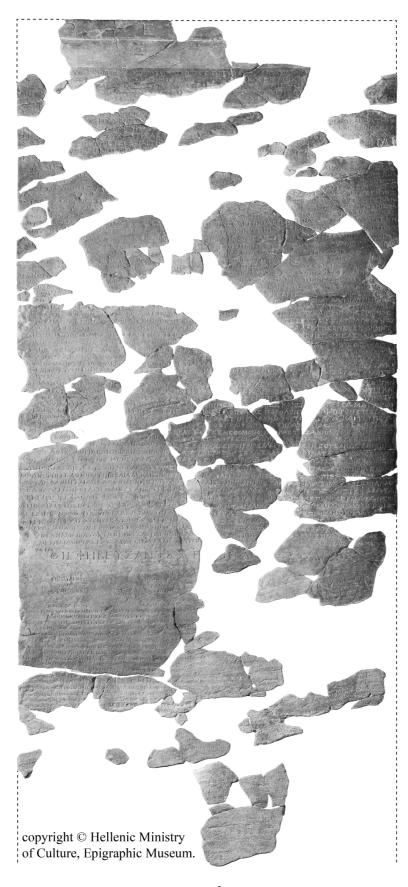


Fig. 1. AIO 1798 (IG II^2 1039 +), Il. 1-192.

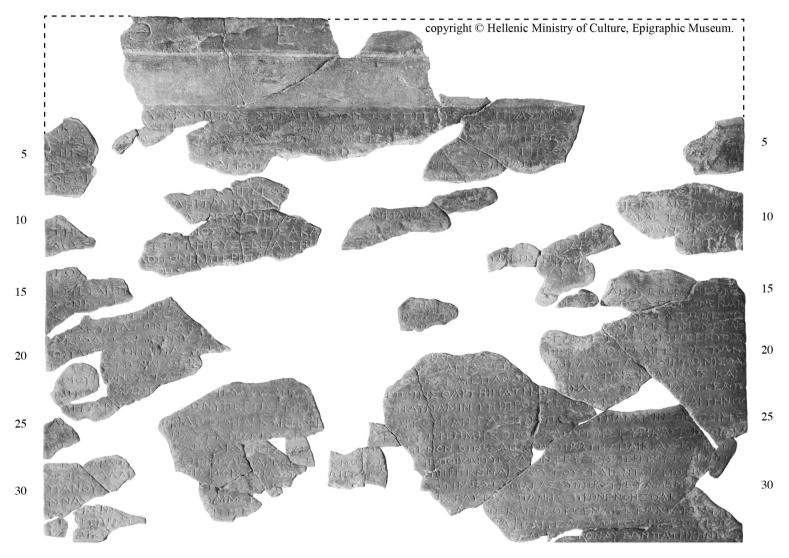


Fig. 2. AIO 1798 (IG II² 1039 +), ll. 1-34.

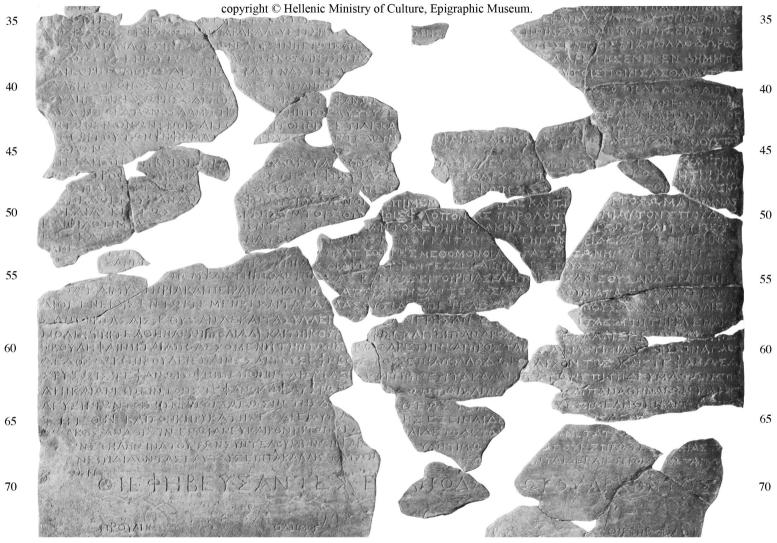


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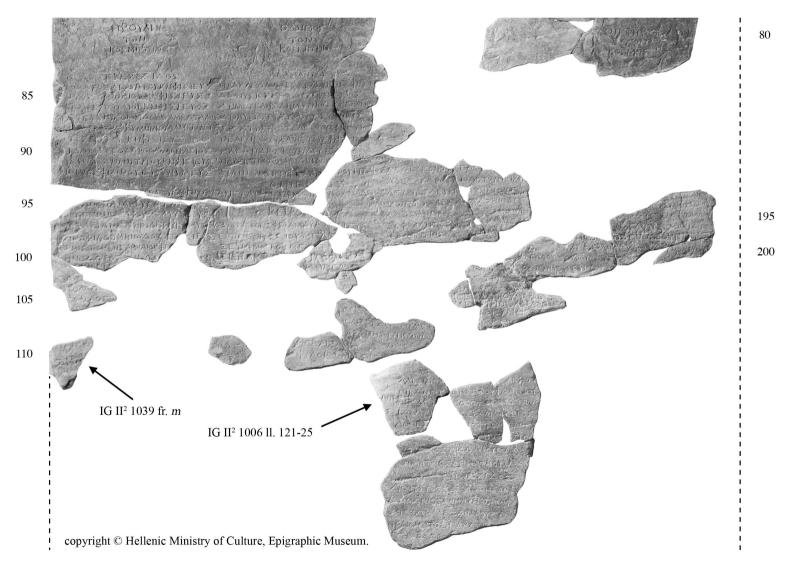


Fig. 4. AIO 1798 (IG II² 1039 +), ll. 71-192.

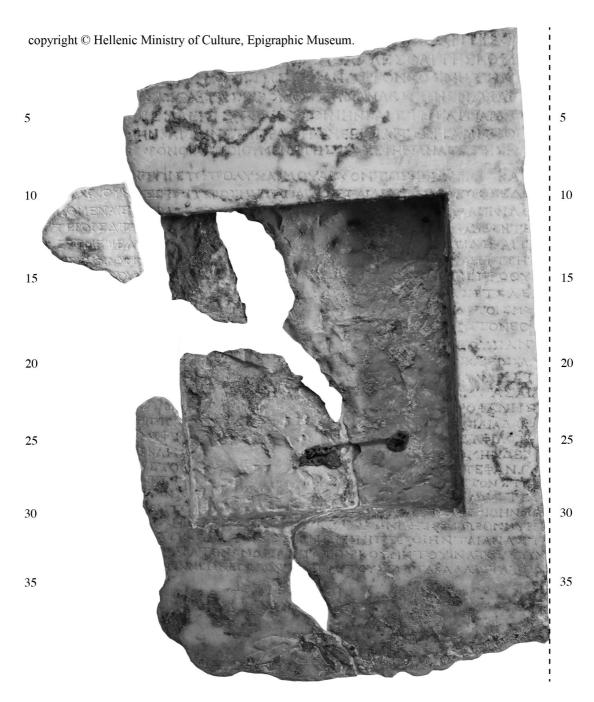


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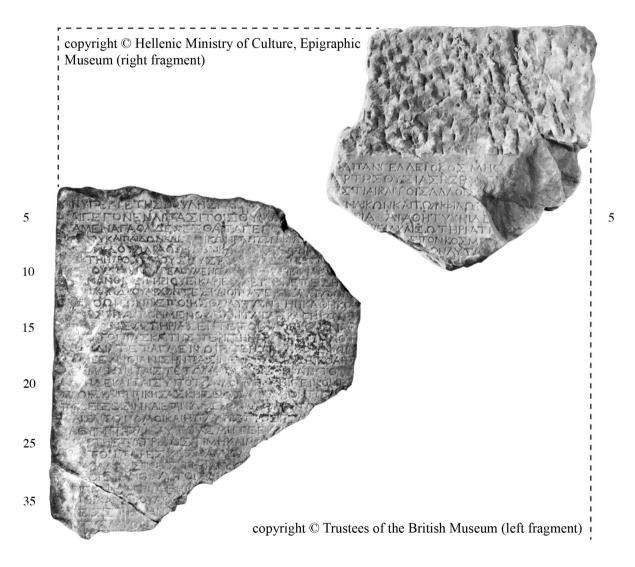


Fig. 6. AIUK 4.2 no. 16 (IG II² 1042), fr. a (EM 7606; right) + fr. b (BM 1864,0220.21; left).

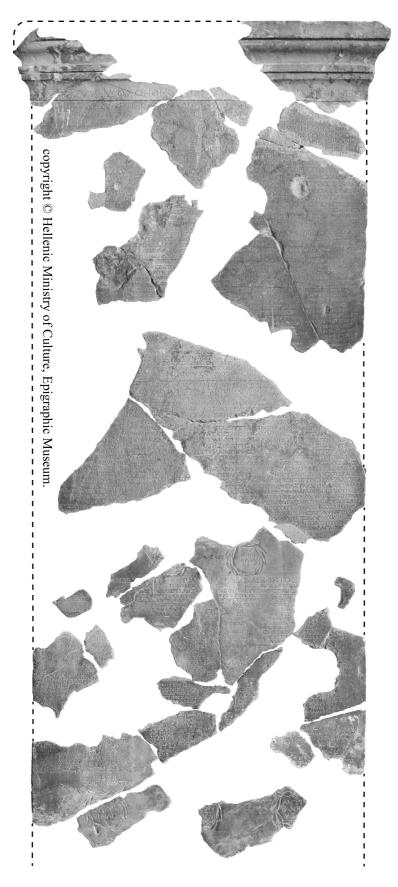


Fig. 7. AIO 1838 (IG II^2 1043 +), II. 1-238.

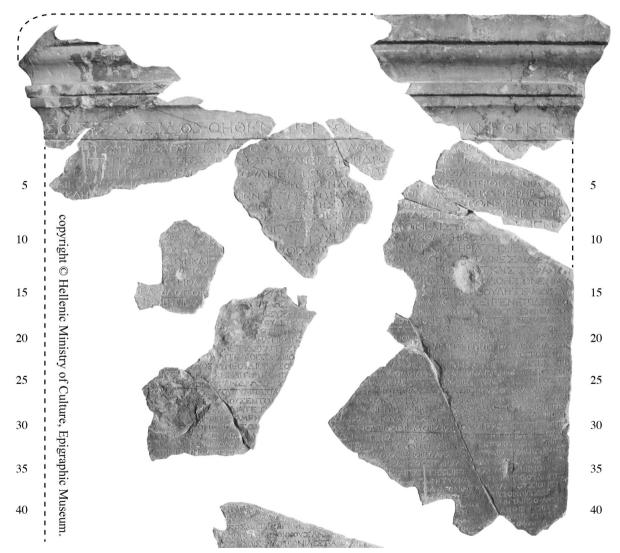


Fig. 8. AIO 1838 (IG II^2 1043 +), ll. 1-44.

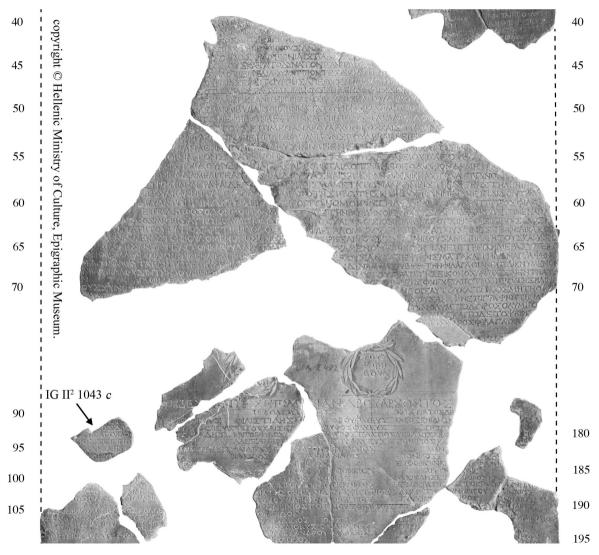


Fig. 9. AIO 1838 (IG II² 1043 +), ll. 40-109.

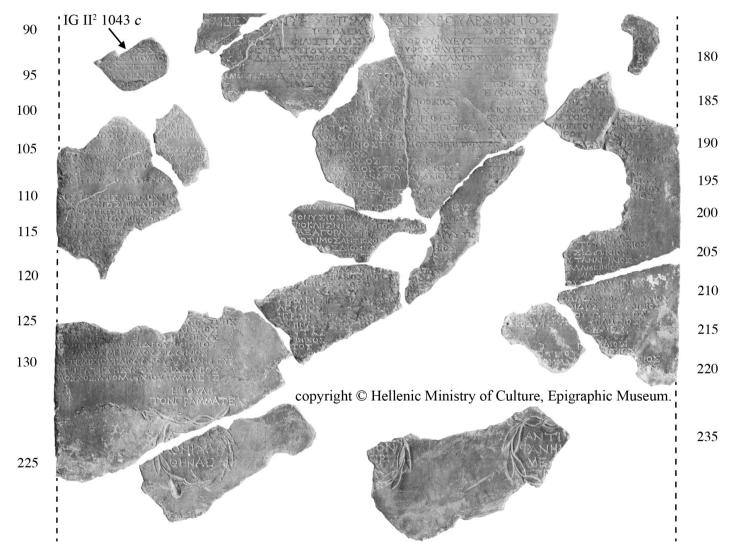


Fig. 10. AIO 1838 (IG II² 1043 +), ll. 90-238.

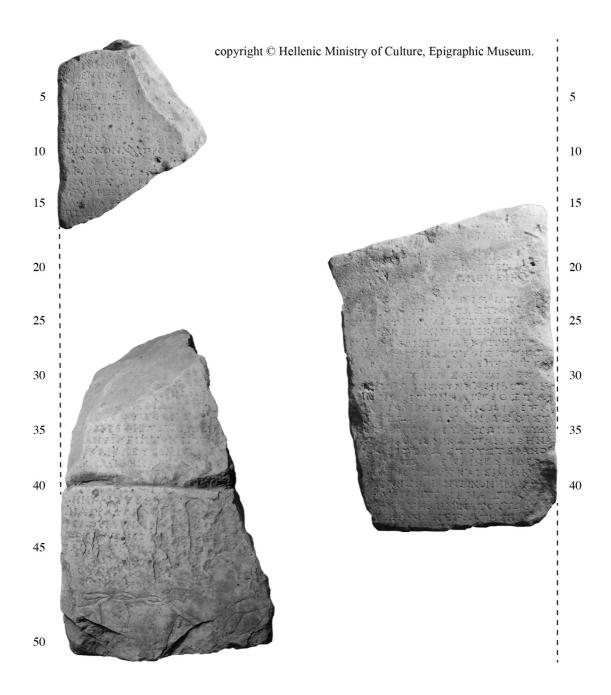


Fig. 11. AIO 1837 (IG II² 1040 + 1025).