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In SB VI 9181,9 = P.Cairo Isid. 29,9 the proper name Πακιῶς can be found.<sup>1</sup> In SB I 5124,215 there is a question of Πασιγένης Πακία and in F. Preisigke, NB 258 we find the proper name Πακίας listed.<sup>2</sup> We are, however, dealing with the short genitive Πακιᾶ (cf. ZPE 64, 1986, 119f.) of the same proper name Πακιῶς.<sup>3</sup>

In the papyrological onomastica only one example of the proper name Πάκιος is listed (P.Oxy. VII 1048,2).<sup>4</sup> The name occurs in the genitive (Πακίου) in the Oxyrhynchos text. Theoretically Πακίου could as well be the genitive of the proper name Πακίας.<sup>5</sup> However, since the proper names Πάκις and Πάκκιος<sup>6</sup> are more than once attested, it is reasonable to postulate, besides the male proper name Πακιῶς the proper name Πάκιος (and not Πακίας).<sup>7</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> D. Foraboschi, *Onomasticon Alterum Papyrologicum 225b* lists from the SB text the genitive Πακιῶτος instead of the nominative. Since the genitive is Πακιῶτος, the accent has to be perispomenon (cf. F. Th. Gignac, *A Grammar II*, Milano 1981, 16ff.; 58).

<sup>2</sup> Cf., however, W. Pape - G. Benseler, *Wörterbuch der griechischen Eigennamen*, Braunschweig 1911, 1106b where Πακιῶς has been correctly printed. *Ibidem* the female proper name Πακίας is listed.

<sup>3</sup> Cf. F.Th. Gignac, *op.cit.*, 16.

<sup>4</sup> This name is, however, also epigraphically attested. Cf. W.Pape - G. Benseler, *op. cit.*, 1107a.

<sup>5</sup> Cf. F.Th. Gignac, *op.cit.*, 12.

<sup>6</sup> Although Πάκκιος = Paccius is mostly a nomen gentile it is also attested as a praenomen (cf. W. Schulze, *Zur Geschichte lateinischer Eigennamen*, Berlin 1904, 204).

<sup>7</sup> The proper name Πακοῦ (NB 258) is another instance of a short genitive of the proper name Πακοῦς.