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The person is attested in a well-dated bouleutic list<sup>6</sup>. Regarding the one-letter *vacat*, that solves the problem of the number of signs in that line, we can compare the inscription from about 250 B.C. published in 1964 in which there is a *vacat* in the same place in formula; it separates the herald of the Boule and Demos from the secretary of the Demos<sup>7</sup>.

So, we are in possession of the second testimony of the activity of the herald Philokles, son of Philokles of Trinemeia. The date *ante quem* of our inscription must be the year 256/5 B.C. in which this function had already been performed by Eukles, son of Philokles of Trinemeia, undoubtedly son of our Philokles<sup>8</sup>. The only definite *post quem* is 303/2 B.C. when another Eukles son of Philokles is attested as herald in the list of councillors<sup>9</sup>.

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<sup>6</sup> The fragments were collected by J. S. Traill, The Bouleutic List of 281/0 BC, *Hesperia* 38 (1969). The name of the herald appears in l. 287. Then the fragments were rearranged; in Agora XV (No. 72) we can find it in l. 69.

<sup>7</sup> *Hesperia* 33 (1964) No. 27 l. 4 (= Agora XV No. 99)

<sup>8</sup> Agora XV Nos. 85 and 86. Since only two names appear in this family it is sometimes difficult to understand the relationship between its different members. For the most recent article presenting a genealogical tree, see n. 3.

<sup>9</sup> If we accept a date before 262 B.C. we should alter the supplement in ll. 8–9: . . . [μερίσαι τοὺς ἐπὶ τεῖ διοικήσει] | [τὸ . . . κτλ.

For the orthodox view on magistrates who were engaged in paying for stelai see S. Dow, *Prytaneis*, Supplement I, 1937, 11–13; Ch. Habicht, *Studium zur Geschichte Athens in hellenistischer Zeit*, Göttingen 1982 = *Hypomnemata* Heft 73, 15; idem, *Untersuchungen zur hellenistischen Geschichte des 3. Jahrhunderts v. Chr.*, München 1979, 70. It was called in question by an inscription published by G. S. Dantas in *Hesperia* 52 (1983) 48–63 (= SEG 33.115); see now A. S. Henry, *The One and the Many. Athenian Financial Officials in the Hellenistic Period*, *ZPE* 72 (1988) 129–136; idem, *Provisions for the Payment of Athenian Decrees. A Study in Formulaic Language*, *ZPE* 78 (1989) 247–295 (particularly 270 ff.) and the sound commentary on the first of Henry's articles in *Bull. ép.* 1989, 238.