Tiruvoṟṟiyūr, Valmīkanātha, time of Aparājitavarman, year 5

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Summary

See ARIE 1937–38 (p. 24): “Damaged. Registers a gift of gold by a certain Kuṭṭiyāḷi Brahmādhirājaṉ for burning a lamp in the temple.”

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Commentary

See ARIE 1937–38 (p. 87): “The last Pallava king Aparājita is represented by a single inscription (No. 165) from Tiruvoṟṟiyūr. It is dated in his 5th year and registers a gift of 30 *kaḻañcu*s of gold by Kuṭṭiyāḷi Brahmādhirājaṉ of Tirukkaṭavūr-nāṭu in Muṭṭukkūr-nāṭu, for a perpetual lamp to the god Mahādeva at Tiruvoṟṟiyūr. It is stated that the

endowed amount was deposited with the *sabhā* of Maṇali, bearing interest at the rate of 3 *mañcāṭi*s per *kaḻañcu* per month, which works out at 15 per cent per annum."

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