Kīraicāttu, time of Nandīśvaravarman, year 37

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Summary

Hero-stone inscription commemorating the death of Vakkaṭi.

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〈1〉 kō-vicaiya-nanti¡c!〈cc〉ura-parumaṟk〈2〉ku yāṇṭu muppattēḻā〈3〉vatu

vaḷḷipēṭu-nāṭuṭaiya vik〈4〉kiramāttiya nāṭu mārikappā〈5〉kiḻār makaṉ vakkaṭi paṭṭāṉ

Translation

〈1–3〉 Tirthy-seventh year of the victorious king Nanti〈cc〉uraparumaṉ.[1]

〈3–5〉 Vakkaṭi, son 〈of〉 Mārikappākiḻar[2] 〈in/of〉 the *nāṭu* of Vikramāditya, lord of Vaḷḷipēṭunātu, fell.

[1] Sanskrit Nandīśvaravarman.

[2] Mārikappāvakiḻār in Avanam introduction to the inscription.

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