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- 1 This article reviews and adds to the Babylonian evidence dating to the reign of Arses (338-336 BCE). Besides confirming the identification of Artaxerxes (I.) as this ruler's throne name, they manage to assign a handful of documents to this ruler's reign on prosopographical grounds. As far as the presently available evidence allows us to see, it was precisely in these years that the office of *šatammu* (chief temple administrator) reappears in the cuneiform record after having been abolished in the aftermath of the abortive revolts against Achaemenid authority in the second regnal year of Xerxes some 150 years earlier.

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