La Cantzelerïă del Regipäts Talossan
The Chancery of the Kingdom of Talossa

The October 1992 Clark

Third Clark of the 15th Ziu

1. Results of the September 1992 Clark

The following bills received Royal Assent and have been passed into law:

15RC09 – The Glitzy State Opening of the Cosâ Act
Introduced by Ben Madison (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC11 – The No Spying on Talossans Act
Introduced by Ben Madison (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC16 – The Amendment for FREE Speech
Introduced by Nick Kovac (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC18 – The Military Organisation Act
Introduced by Nick Kovac (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC19 – The Let's Clean Up Talossa Act
Introduced by Nick Kovac (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC20 – The Just Say Mow Act
Introduced by Nick Kovac (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC21 – The Worm Act
Introduced by Nick Kovac (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC17 – The RUHS Shrine of Knowledge Act
Introduced by Nick Kovac (PC-Vuode)
Agreed to by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

The Cosă and Senäts both rejected the following bills:

15RC10 – The Responsible Government Amendment
Introduced by None
Rejected by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC12 – The Talossan Civil Rights (Entrenchment) Amendment
Introduced by None
Rejected by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC13 – The 5th Covenant Amended
Introduced by None
Rejected by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC14 – How One Becomes a Talossan--An Amendment
Introduced by None
Rejected by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC15 – The Chess Kign Amendment
Introduced by None
Rejected by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

15RC22 – The Official National Pastime Act
Introduced by None
Rejected by the Cosă 0-0, by the Senäts 0-0

The Cosă passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 0-0 .

Members of the Cosă voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RC 9	RC 11	RC 16	RC 18	RC 19	RC 20	RC 21	RC 10	RC 12	RC 13	RC 14	RC 15	RC 17	RC 22	VoC
Nick Kovac	MP	12							*Did not vote*								
Ben Madison	PC	28							*Did not vote*								
Ián von Metáiriâ	PC	27							*Did not vote*								
Wes Erni	PC	27							*Did not vote*								
Jack Schneider	SEIRP	12							*Did not vote*								
Danihel Lauriéir	UNP	30							*Did not vote*								
Antonio Riley	UNP	17							*Did not vote*								
Sandee Prachel	UNP	17							*Did not vote*								
Tom Buffone	UNP	45							*Did not vote*								
			0-0	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ9	RZ11	RZ16	RZ18	RZ19	RZ20	RZ21	RZ10	RZ12	RZ13	RZ14	RZ15	RZ17	RZ22
		0-0	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**

2. This Month's Business

The Third Clark of the 15th Ziu runs from October 1st to 21st 1992/XIII.
Voting on the Clark is open until the 21st of October at 7:30 PM Talossan time.

The following bills have been presented for consideration:

15RC23 – The Scrap the Useless Regency Amendment
Introduced by None

15RC24 – The More Foreign Policy: Algeria (again) Act
Introduced by None

15RC25 – The PM Nomination Amendment
Introduced by Ben Madison (PC-Vuode)

15RC26 – Government Formation and Dissolution Amendment
Introduced by None

15RC27 – Campaign Debate Encouragement Amendment
Introduced by None

15RC28 – Guaranteed Ballot Distribution Amendment
Introduced by Danihel Lauriéir (UP-Bradford)

15RC29 – Anti-Sexist Amendment
Introduced by None

15RC30 – Official National Pastime Act II
Introduced by Ián von Metáiriâ (PC-Maritiimi-Maxhestic)

15RC31 – MCs Are Responsible for Heir Own Votes Act
Introduced by None

15RC32 – Regal Powers Modification Amendment
Introduced by None

The full text of these bills is available in the appendix.

The following motion is to be voted on by the Cosă only:

Vote of Confidence
Do you wish the current Government to continue in its term of office?

3. Judicial Decisions

Pursuant to Lex.G.12.1, the Chancery announces that no decisions were rendered by any national court since the publication of the last Clark.

4. Prime Dictates

Pursuant to Lex.H.2.7.1, the Chancery announces that no Prime Dictates were issued since the publication of the last Clark.

Ordered printed today, October 1st 1992/XLVI
The Secretary of State / El Secretar d'Estat
Ián von Metáiriâ

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

15RC23 - The Scrap the Useless Regency Amendment

15RC24 - The More Foreign Policy: Algeria (again) Act

15RC25 - The PM Nomination Amendment

Précis: This Amendment simply puts into law what the tradition has been ever since we started having elections. It also strips the King of his power to name a Prime Minister opposed by a majority party in the Cosâ. The following articles are rewritten as follows:

> *Art. 45. The head of the government is called, in the national language, el Seneschál. In the English language, he is called the Prime Minister, or "PM." Any Member of the Cosâ is eligible to be Prime Minister; however, the King of Talossa may never be Prime Minister.*
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> *Art. 46. The King shall appoint the Prime Minister from among the Members of the Cosâ. If a single party occupies a majority of the seats in the Cosâ, the King shall choose as PM whichever Member of the Cosâ shall be designated by that party's leader. If no single party hasa majority, the King shall appoint a Prime Minister afte consulting with party leaders with the objective of finding a PM who can be sustained (in subsequent Votes of Confidence) by a majority of seats in the Cosâ. The King must appoint a Prime Minister within one week of the end of elections.*
>
> *Art. 47. Once sworn in, it is the PM's responsibility to "form a government." This is an informal procedure designed to assure himself and the public that he has the support of a majority in the Cosâ (see Art. 56a). Once he has "formed a government," the Prime Minister receives control of his appointive seats.*

Proposed by: Robert Madison (PC-Vuode)

Uréu q'estadra så,
Ben Madison (PC-Vuode)

15RC26 - Government Formation and Dissolution Amendment

15RC27 - Campaign Debate Encouragement Amendment

15RC28 - Guaranteed Ballot Distribution Amendment

Article 34 is amended to read as follows:

> *"The Secretary of State shall produce election ballots and dsitribute them to all citizens for whom the Secretary has a current address. Copies shall also be kept at the Secretary's office. Citizens may, by post or personal visit, obtain a copy (at or below cost) of the ballot for their own use. Furthermore, citizens may freely photocopy ballots and distribute them to other citizens as Taveliéirs (couriers), the point being that any party leader or citizen may send a ballot to any likely supporter. Individual voters and party leaders may obtain and distribute ballots at their own expense. Citizens may under no circumstances alter, amend or abridge ballots.*

Proposed by: Dan Lorentz (UP-Bradford}, Ben Madison (PC-Vuode)

Noi urent q'estadra så,
Danihel Lauriéir (UP-Bradford)
Ben Madison (PC-Vuode)

15RC29 - Anti-Sexist Amendment

15RC30 - Official National Pastime Act II

The wargaming/military simulation hobby has been and continues to be a major activity of several leading RT Citizens, including the King, PM Buffone, Wes Erni, Jack Schneider, Nick Kovac and myself. It not only includes gaming of a military nature, but political and purely fanciful ones as well. it's a great outlet, and allows guys to make use of pent-up testosterone in a harmless, non-agressive way (take note, peaceniks!). It has served not only as a form of national glue, but is laregly responsible for many of the above-named Citizens joining the RT in the first place. For these reasons, the Cosâ confers upon "Wargaming" the title "Official National Pastime." Please?

Proposed by: John A. Jahn (PC-Maritiimi)

Uréu q'estadra så,
Ián von Metáiriâ (PC-Maritiimi-Maxhestic)

15RC31 - MCs Are Responsible for Heir Own Votes Act

15RC32 - Regal Powers Modification Amendment