



The March 2006 Clark

Fourth Clark of the 35th Ziu

1. Results of the January 2006 Clark

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

35RZ23 – The People to Provinces Improvement Act
Introduced by Ián, Duke of Lupul (Senator-FL, MC-CLP)
Agreed to by the Cosă 134-0 (6 abstained), by the Senäts 5-0

35RZ24 – The Royal Household Cleaning Act
Introduced by Ma la Mha, Contă Thord (Senator-VD)
Agreed to by the Cosă 140-0, by the Senäts 5-0

35RZ26 – An Act (Amendment) Establishing "The Hopper"
Introduced by Danihel Lauriéir (MC-KBP)
Agreed to by the Cosă 140-0, by the Senäts 5-0

35RZ27 – An Act Against Religious Bias
Introduced by Ián, Duke of Lupul (Senator-FL)
Agreed to by the Cosă 104-11 (25 abstained), by the Senäts 4-0 (1 abstained)

35RZ28 – The Opposition Leader Abolition Act
Introduced by Ma la Mha, Contă Thord (Senator-VD)
Agreed to by the Cosă 125-0 (15 abstained), by the Senäts 5-0

The Cosă and Senäts disagreed on the following bill:

35RZ25 – The New Numismatic Naming Act
Introduced by Sir Trotxă Betiñéir (MC-RUMP)
Agreed to by the Cosă 84-20 (36 abstained), rejected by the Senäts 2-2 (1 abstained)

The Cosă passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 140-0 .

Members of the Cosă voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 23	RZ 24	RZ 26	RZ 27	RZ 28	RZ 25	VoC
Quedéir Castiglhá	CLP	20	Per	Per	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Fritz von Buchholtz	CLP	20	Per	Per	Per	Per	Aus	Per	Üc
Don Deutschmann	CLP	15	Did not vote						
Ian Lupul	CLP	21	Per	Per	Aus	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Samuhél Tecladéir	CLP	15	Per	Per	Aus	Per	Per	Aus	Üc
Maureen O'Hara	CLP	20	Did not vote						
Corrine De Winter	CLP	20	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Danihel Lauriéir	KBP	6	Per	Per	Per	Per	Con	Per	Üc
			134-0 (6)	140-0	140-0	104-11 (25)	125-0 (15)	84-20 (36)	140-0

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 23	RZ 24	RZ 26	RZ 27	RZ 28	RZ 25	VoC
Albrec'ht Cheléir	MN	16	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Olaf Brainerd	RUMP	5	Per	Per	Per	Per	Aus	Per	Üc
Cresti Siervicül	RUMP	1	Aus	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Xhorxh Unamind	RUMP	25	<i>Did not vote</i>						
Trotxä Betiñéir	RUMP	6	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
X. Pol Brigä	RUMP	5	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Eugene Oh	RUMP	5	Aus	Per	Per	Per	Con	Per	Üc
			134-0 (6)	140-0	140-0	104-11 (25)	125-0 (15)	84-20 (36)	140-0

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ23	RZ24	RZ26	RZ27	RZ28	RZ25
Ián von Metáiriä	Atatürk	Per	Per	Con	Per	Per	Per
Quedéir Castiglhä	Belacostä	Per	Per	Con	Per	Per	Per
	Cézembre						
Ian Lupul	Florenčiä	Per	Per	Aus	Per	Per	Per
	Maricopa						
Fritz von Buchholtz	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	Per	Per	Per	Per	Aus	Per
Ma la Mha	Vuode	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per
		5-0	5-0	5-0	4-0 (1)	5-0	2-2 (1)

2. This Month's Business

The Fourth Clark of the 35th Ziu runs from March 1st to 21st 2006/XXVII.
Voting on the Clark is open until the 21st of March at 7:30 PM Talossan time.

The following bills have been presented for consideration:

35RZ29 – The Royal Household Cleaning Cleanup Act

Introduced by Ma la Mha, Contä Thord (Senator-VD)

35RZ30 – The "Aarrrrgh, Mateys" Act

Introduced by Ián, Duke of Lupul (Senator-FL)

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, March 1st 2006/XLVI
The Secretary of State / El Secretar d'Estat
Ián, Duke of Lupul

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

35RZ29 - The Royal Household Cleaning Cleanup Act

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WHEREAS on 1 January 2006, just as it became too late to change any of the text submitted as proposals for the third Clark of the 35th Cosâ, the University Charter Act, 24RZ19, came to light, and

WHEREAS that newly rediscovered act, chartering the University of Talossa, is a well and good thing, and

WHEREAS that act specifies that a Regent of the University be appointed by the Seneschál, and

WHEREAS this is not a governmental post in any way, and therefore the appointment should be royal and not political, and

WHEREAS this means that the Regency of the University of Talossa is and should be considered an Office of the Royal Household, and the Regent of the University an Officer of the Royal Household, and

WHEREAS the newly rediscovered law specifies that a Regent of the University be appointed by the Opposition Leader, and

WHEREAS the Opposition Leader is a position which no longer exists, now

THEREFORE be it resolved by the Ziu that the following modifications be made to Talossan statutory law:

- Repeal 24RZ19 in its entirety, rechartering the University under a single Regent as specified below.
- Amend the Royal Household Cleaning Act by removing the Royal Geographic Society (whose function shall be subsumed by the academic charter of the University) and adding The University of Talossa as another Office of the Royal Household by addition of the following language to enacting clause 1 of the act:

The University of Talossa, headed by the Regent of the University of Talossa. The function of the University of Talossa is to provide educational opportunities and recognize achievement in Talossan academic studies and accomplishments.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Ma la Mha, Contã Thord (Senator-VD)

35RZ30 - The "Aarrrrgh, Mateys" Act

WHEREAS In the hallowed words of the Organic Law, "The Kingdom of Talossa is a community of persons having fun by doing things which are reasonably similar to what other ("real") countries do", and

WHEREAS Other countries sometimes issue letters of marque and reprisal, and

WHEREAS The whole concept of Talossan privateering has a Talossan Coolness Factor that's right out the roof,

THEREFORE the Ziu hereby enacts that:

1. The Seneschál, acting by and through the Bureau of the Navy, or the Ministry of Defense, or whatever other office or organ of the Kingdom seems to him most appropriate, is hereby authorized and encouraged to issue letters of marque and reprisal to Talossan citizens who have, or who can obtain (by means which need not be looked into too closely) the use of private naval vessels of whatever draft, displacement, or description. Copies of such letters shall be provided to the Royal Archivist to be placed by him in, duh, the Royal Archives. In particular, the Ziu calls on the Seneschál to issue at his earliest convenience letters of marque and reprisal to Captain Nic Scofield of the armed sloop Piranha.
2. Such letters shall authorize their possessors (to be hereafter known as "Private Adventurers") to prey upon the commerce and naval forces of the enemies of Talossa, for the good of the Kingdom and for their own profit, edification, and entertainment. Should any Private Adventurer, in the course of his duties, succumb to the ever-present temptation to prey a bit on neutral shipping, or otherwise fail scrupulously to observe the niceties of legally prosecuted naval warfare, the Kingdom, its agents, and its courts shall chuckle indulgently and turn a blind eye. Should any Private Adventurer, in the course of his duties, run afoul of the authorities or forces of any other nation, the Kingdom of Talossa will extend to him and to his crew the Invincible Moral Support of the Talossan people, up to and including bribery, arranged jailbreaks, diversionary attacks, and diplomatic initiatives.
3. Each Private Adventurer, among his other patriotic and self-serving duties, shall be required to report to the nation, from time to time, regarding the success or lack thereof of his intended predations.
4. Furthermore, each Private Adventurer shall, as far as shall be convenient, enroll volunteer Talossan citizens as either actual or honorary crew members, and shall provide to the Kingdom's authorities for use on the website and on Wittenberg, photographs (and movies would be way cool, too), both of his vessel and of himself and his crew dressed and equipped (as far as is deemed possible and convenient) in such picturesque accoutrements as red bandana, eyepatch, gold earring, leather vest, parrot, hook, snickersnee, cutlass, canvas trousers, peg leg, and incredibly filthy foot or feet.
5. Each Private Adventurer shall take care to instruct himself and his crew in correct professional deportment, making didactic use of such authoritative texts and films as Treasure Island, Captain Blood, Swashbuckler, and Peter Pan. In particular, should any Private Adventurer, in the course of his duties, encounter the fiery-tempered black-haired daughter of the Spanish governor, He Will Know What To Do.
6. Each Private Adventurer and crew member shall select for himself, and shall in the prosecution of his duties make use of, some pseudonym such as (but not limited to) "Cap'n Blaknar", "Swidge", "Poet", "Old Sharkey", "Long Tom", "Cookie", or "Dobbins".

Uréu q'estadra sã,

Ián, Duke of Lupul (Senator-FL)