



The October 2007 Clark

Fifth Clark of the 37th Ziu

1. Results of the August 2007 Clark

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

37RZ13 – Military Honours Act

Introduced by Tímoþi Asmourescu (Capt. MRT, MC)

Agreed to by the Cosä 162-0 (8 abstained), by the Senäts 5-0

37RZ14 – The I Can't Believe That's Law Act

Introduced by Baron Alexandreu Davinescu (Senator-MM)

Agreed to by the Cosä 121-49, by the Senäts 5-0

The Cosä passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 170-0 .

Members of the Cosä voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 13	RZ 14	VoC
X. Pol Brigä	CRO	8	Aus	Con	Üc
Ian Pair Danois	CRO	15	Did not vote		
Danihel Lauriéir	DOTT	10	Per	Con	Üc
Joseph Walkland	DOTT	11	Did not vote		
Tric'hard Dïeulofäceva	DOTT	11	Per	Con	Üc
Catrina Þestra	Independent	9	Per	Con	Üc
Xhorxh Asmour	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Albrec'ht Cheléir	RUMP	11	Per	Con	Üc
Ma la Mha	RUMP	18	Per	Per	Üc
Sevastáin Casálmac'h	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Polly Holdorf	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Ian da Bitour	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Brad Holmes	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Bleic'h Ianescu	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Viteu Marcianüs	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Mick Preston	RUMP	1	Per	Per	Üc
Tímoþi Asmourescu	RUMP	11	Per	Per	Üc
Cjara Brainerd	RUMP	7	Per	Per	Üc
Çađatay Çakýr	RUMP	7	Per	Per	Üc
			162-0 (8)	121-49	170-0

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ13	RZ14
Ián von Metáiriá	Atatürk	<i>Did not vote</i>	
Nic Casálmac'h	Belacostă	Per	Per
Nikü Spyropoulos	Cézembre	Per	Per
Patrick Woolley	Florenčiä	<i>Did not vote</i>	
Olaf Brainerd	Maricopa	Per	Per
Alexandreu Davinescu	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	Per	Per
Trotxă Betiñéir	Vuode	Per	Per
		5-0	5-0

2. This Month's Business

The Fifth Clark of the 37th Ziu runs from October 1st to 21st 2007/XXVIII.
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:

37RZ15 – The Provincial Government Unshackling Act (Amendment)

Introduced by Mick Preston (MC-RUMP)

37RZ16 – The Tim Act (Home Improvement Part 1) (Amendment)

Introduced by Baron Alexandreu Davinescu (Senator-MM)

37RZ17 – The Al Act (Home Improvement Act Part Two) (Amendment)

Introduced by Baron Alexandreu Davinescu (Senator-MM)

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.

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The Secretary of State / El Secretar d'Estat
Mick Preston*

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

37RZ15 - The Provincial Government Unshackling Act (Amendment)

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WHEREAS it is greatly to be desired that the political life of Talossa's individual Provinces be made more interesting, competitive, exciting, meaningful, and just plain fun, and

WHEREAS some of the Provinces are much closer to being ready to have interesting, competitive, exciting, meaningful, and just plain fun politics than are others, and

WHEREAS reforms adopted in the past three years have failed to spur provincial activity, and

WHEREAS these departures from historic practice since the adoption of the Organic Law may have even stifled provincial politics by limiting the flexibility and creativity of the provinces in the area of self-government, and

WHEREAS since taking the provinces' freedom away from them didn't make things any better, it may as well be given back, now

THEREFORE the Senäts and Cosà hereby approve the following amendment to the Organic Law, and transmit it to the populace for ratification.

1. The language "at the same time and with the same rules as the Cosà general electon and under the direction of the Secretary of State office" is removed from Article XVII, Section 5.

2. Sections 9 through 9e of Article XVII are replaced with the following language:

Section 9. Each Province shall govern itself in such a manner as to guarantee its citizens the full protection of their rights under this Organic Law. Provincial elections may, if so specified in a Province's constitution, be conducted by the Chancery at the same time as elections to the Cosà, and in accordance with the national election laws and rules. The King shall appoint a Cunstavál (or Constable) for each Province. Until such time as the King or Cunstavál proclaims a provincial constitution providing otherwise, a Province's Cunstavál shall serve as Military Governor and may exercise all the powers of the provincial government. No Cunstavál shall proclaim any provincial constitution or constitutional amendment which:

Conflicts with any provision of this Organic Law,

Grants to the King (and consequently to the Cunstavál as the King's representative in the Province) royal powers less extensive than those granted to the King on the national level, except that the provincial royal powers need not include a right of dissolution if provincial elections are held concurrently with Cosà elections,

Fails to provide a right to appeal decisions of the provincial court or courts (if any) to the Cort pü Înalt or such other national courts as may be created by the Ziu, or

In the case of the adoption of a new constitution, is not approved by a referendum in which at least either a majority of all citizens of the province or a two-thirds majority of votes actually cast is in favor of the constitution.

Uréu q'estadra sã:

Mick Preston

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Mick Preston (MC-RUMP)

37RZ16 - The Tim Act (Home Improvement Part 1) (Amendment)

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WHEREAS , the House Law and the Royal Succession Act and the Organic Law all govern in some respects the succession of the throne, and,

WHEREAS that's confusing and redundant, and,

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WHEREAS there are several needed changes to minor respects of these laws as well, such as the new name of the dynasty, and,

WHEREAS making the necessary minor changes and disestablishing the redundant laws are neither particularly contentious in nature and seem favored by the public, and,

WHEREAS the more difficult and controversial change to the previous iteration of this bill has been segregated to a separate bill, in the interest of clarity and ease of legislation,

THEREFORE the Senäts and Cosâ hereby approve the following amendment to the Organic Law, and transmit it to the populace for ratification:

Article III, sections 4 and 5 of the Organic Law are replaced in their entirety with the following text:

Section 4. The Throne shall be inherited by the descendants of His Majesty, John I, King of Talossa. The present Royal Family is styled El Ca Lupul (The House and Dynasty of Lupul). Should the King at any time renounce or lose his citizenship, that renunciation or loss shall be deemed to imply his abdication of the Throne. Upon the demise, abdication, or removal from the Throne of any King, the Crown shall pass to his next heir; but if the King has no heir, the Crown shall pass to the next heir of the previous King, or (if he in turn has no heir) to the next heir of the next previous King before him, and so on, back to King John.

For the purpose of determining who is the King's next heir, each person shall be followed in the line of succession by his natural legitimate children (whether born or unborn at the time of the King's death) in order of their birth (each followed by their own descendants).

Section 5. If the Crown should pass to any person who does not wish at that juncture to become King, who cannot legally be King, who is suspended from the line of succession, who is not a citizen of Talossa, or who has previously been King and has abdicated the Throne, it shall instead pass to the next person after him in the line of succession.

FURTHERMORE, the King, the Senäts, and the Cosâ in this present Ziu assembled, hereby enact that:

Upon the ratification and proclamation of the above amendment, the House Law of 11 February 1989 and The Royal Succession Act (25RZ37) are repealed.

Uréu q'estadra sâ:

Alexander Davis (Senator, Maritiimi-Maxhestic)

Ur u q'estadra s ,
Baron Alexandreu Davinescu (Senator-MM)

37RZ17 - The AI Act (Home Improvement Act Part Two) (Amendment)

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WHEREAS the people of Talossa deserve some say as to the succession of new monarchs to the illustrious throne of the nation, and,

WHEREAS it is nonetheless important to preserve the dignity and integrity of the throne, and avoid legislating into existence a process by which the sovereign would be affronted by the presumption of an interrogation, and,

WHEREAS a period of probation for a newly succeeded sovereign would only enforce a period of thespianism and would serve no practical purpose, and,

WHEREAS accordingly the most respectful and practical method of allowing citizens to help maintain the potency and virtue of the throne is a veto upon heirs,

THEREFORE the Senäts and Cosä hereby approve the following amendment to the Organic Law, and transmit it to the populace for ratification:

Article III, Section 6 of the Organic Law is relabeled Section 7.

Section 7 is relabeled Section 8.

Section 8 is relabeled Section 9.

Section 9 is relabeled Section 10.

Section 10 is relabeled Section 11.

Section 11 is relabeled Section 12.

FURTHERMORE:

Article III, section 6 of the Organic Law shall now consist of the following text:

Section 6. The Ziu may, by a resolution of two thirds of each House, not subject to veto, suspend any person from his place in the line of succession, and may, by a resolution of a majority of either House, not subject to veto, remove such a suspension and restore the suspended person to his place.

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