



The August 2010 Clark

Third Clark of the 41st Ziu

1. Results of the July 2010 Clark

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

41RZ02 – The How Did They Vote Act

Introduced by Viteu Marcianüs (Senator-VD)

Agreed to by the Cosä 88-64, by the Senäts 4-2 (1 abstained)

41RZ03 – The Petty Tyrant Eradication Amendment

Introduced by Baron Alexandreu Davinescu (Seneschal)

Agreed to by the Cosä 128-24, by the Senäts 5-2

41RZ04 – Clarification on the Appointment of Judges Amendment

Introduced by Baroness Litz Cjantscheir (MC-RUMP)

Agreed to by the Cosä 152-0, by the Senäts 7-0

41RZ05 – Protecting the Honour of the Senäts Amendment

Introduced by Viteu Marcianüs (Senator-VD)

Agreed to by the Cosä 135-17, by the Senäts 7-0

The Cosä passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 152-0 .

Members of the Cosä voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 2	RZ 3	RZ 4	RZ 5	VoC
Dréu Gavárpic'h	CRO/PPT	17	Did not vote				
Éovart Grischun	PPT	17	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Glüc da Dhi	PPT	17	Per	Per	Per	Con	Üc
Iac Marabuérg	PPT	17	Did not vote				
Óin Ursüm	PPT	17	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Lodewijk Pet	PPT	4	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Tímoþi Asmourescu	PPT	3	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Alexandreu Davinescu	RUMP	30	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Mick Preston	RUMP	20	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Ma la Mha	RUMP	20	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Ian da Bitour	RUMP	14	Per	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Cjara Brainerd	RUMP	14	Did not vote				
Litz Cjantscheir	RUMP	10	Per	Con	Per	Per	Üc
			88-64	128-24	152-0	135-17	152-0

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ2	RZ3	RZ4	RZ5
Brad Holmes	Atatürk	Con	Per	Per	Per
Flip Molinar	Belacostă	Per	Per	Per	Per
Alexandreu Soleighlfred	Cézembre	Per	Per	Per	Per
Ieremiac'h Ventrutx	Florenciä	Con	Con	Per	Per
Iusti Canun	Maricopa	Aus	Per	Per	Per
Breneir Tzaracomprada	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	Per	Per	Per	Per
Viteu Marcianüs	Vuode	Per	Con	Per	Per
		4-2 (1)	5-2	7-0	7-0

2. This Month's Business

The Third Clark of the 41st Ziu runs from August 1st to 21st 2010/XXXI.
Voting on the Clark is open until the 21st of August at 7:30 PM Talossan time.

The following bills have been presented for consideration:

41RZ06 – The Citizens and Cestours Public Holiday Act
Introduced by Ma la Mha, Contă Thord (MC-RUMP)

41RZ07 – The Anti-Un-Renunciation Amendment
Introduced by Ma la Mha, Contă Thord (MC-RUMP)

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
Iusti Canun*

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

41RZ06 - The Citizens and Cestours Public Holiday Act

41RZ6 - The Citizens and Cestours Public Holiday Act

WHEREAS Talossans like to celebrate things, and

WHEREAS Talossans like to commemorate things, and

WHEREAS these facts are apparent from the 21 different items currently categorised informally as "national holidays", and

WHEREAS holidays are really cool things, and

WHEREAS Talossans are not predisposed to stop proclaiming different days on which things are to be celebrated, and

WHEREAS the list of recognised celebrations makes it look like the people of this nation have a lot more days off work than they really do, and

WHEREAS the government of the Kingdom should establish and fix a list of the holidays that it shall officially recognise and on which no non-critical government business is performed, and

WHEREAS the Cestours residing in the Kingdom have existing customs concerning their work habits which should be as another act of this Kingdom's great, magnificent, and beneficent kindness toward them be recognised and the true Talossanity of these traditions acknowledged, even if the Cestours, in their ignorance, do not do so, and

WHEREAS that's plenty of **WHEREAS** 's, now

THEREFORE be it resolved by the Ziu of the Kingdom of Talossa, that the list of public holidays recognised and observed by the government is as follows:

1 January	New Year's Day	commemorating the first day of the calendar year, and World Day of Peace.
Third Monday in January	Landmark Day	commemorating all Talossan landmarks, such as Grecian Delight (which has its day of observance on 19 January)
Third Monday in February	Culture Day	commemorating the rich culture of the Kingdom, in line with Napoleon's Memorial Wargaming Day (which has its day of observance on 21 February), and being a traditional kick-off day for celebration of Berber Heritage Month
Final Monday in May	Cestour Day	celebrating Cestour heritage and the rich history of the proto-Talossan realm, in line with Juneau Day (which has its day of observance on 28 May}, celebrating the bridge-building to our Cestour residents that has been the hallmark of our nation
4 July	Foundation Day	celebrating King Robert I's Birthday (2 July) and Organic Law Day (6 July)
First Monday in September	Monarchy Day (observed)	commemorating the resumption of the Talossan monarchy with the coronation of Florence on 24 August
11 November	Armistice Day	

commemorating the proclamation of peace following the Great War, and the invincible moral support that the Kingdom of Talossa contributes to all foreign conflicts, and that it would have contributed to that one in particular had the Kingdom been founded by then

Fourth Thursday in November	Victory Day (observed)	celebrating the triumphant victory of our nation in every single war it has ever fought (specifically, the Cone Wars)
25 December	Dependence Day	commemorating the final day of dependence of this nation on another, and also celebrating Christmas Day

celebrating our nation's first day of independence
FURTHERMORE, the government of the Kingdom shall recognise and observe as public holidays any and all days which may be proclaimed as such by the Crown.

MOREOVER, the government of the Kingdom shall recognise and observe as a public holiday the day of, or the day before the birthday of the current Sovereign.

ADDITIONALLY, any public holiday named above which is not fixed to a specific day of the week shall be observed on a Monday in years in which it falls on a Sunday, and shall be observed on the preceding Friday in years in which it falls on a Saturday.

FINALLY, all pre-existing days heretofore known as national holidays shall not be public holidays, but Days of Observance.

Noi urent q'estadra sa,
Ma Baron la Mha (MC, RUMP)
Litz Cjantscheir (MC, RUMP)

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Ma la Mha, Contã Thord (MC-RUMP)
Baroness Litz Cjantscheir (MC-RUMP)

26 December	Independence Day
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41RZ07 - The Anti-Un-Renunciation Amendment

WHEREAS a Talossan citizen who renounces his or her citizenship currently has 24 hours after the said renunciation is acknowledged by the Secretary of State before the citizenship is officially lost, and

WHEREAS this period of time has been the cause of much agony for the citizens of the Kingdom, either in panicked acts to talk the renouncing citizen out of their decision, and/or in watching the citizen change his or her mind repeatedly about such a serious step, and

WHEREAS Talossan citizenship is the best thing money cannot buy, and

WHEREAS to renounce such a thing is a serious matter and should be given serious consideration long before posting about it, and

WHEREAS especially given legislation that will make the re-entry of former citizens less of an ordeal, providing that former citizens are always eligible to return to the Kingdom should they choose to re-apply for citizenship, now

THEREFORE the Ziu hereby proposes to amend the Organic Law of the Kingdom of Talossa by means of the following resolution, and recommends that the said amendment be ratified by referendum of the electorate and thereupon promulgated by His Majesty the King: **RESOLVED**, that Article XVIII, Section 9 of the Organic Law of the Kingdom of Talossa be amended such that the sentence "*It shall take effect twenty-four hours following its acknowledgement by the Secretary of State*" is changed to read "*It shall take immediate effect upon its acknowledgement by the Secretary of State through issuance of a Writ of Termination of Citizenship, which shall be published under the seal of the Chancery.*"

Noi urent q'estadra sã,
Ma la Mha, Contă Thord (MC-RUMP)
Mick Preston (MC-RUMP)
Brad Holmes (Senator-AK)
Ieremiac'h Ventrutx (Senator-FL)
Iustî Canun (Senator-MA)
Baroness Litz Cjantscheir (MC-RUMP)
