

The October 2010 Clark

Fifth Clark of the 41st Ziu

1. Results of the September 2010 Clark

As no bills have passed both the Cosă and Senäts, Royal Assent was not required.

The Cosă passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 138-0 .

Members of the Cosă voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	VoC	
Éovart Grischun	PPT	17	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Glüc da Dhi	PPT	17	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Iac Marabuérg	PPT	17	<i>Did not vote</i>	
Óin Ursüm	PPT	17	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Lodewijk Pet	PPT	4	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Tímopi Asmourescu	PPT	3	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Alexandreu Davinescu	RUMP	30	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Mick Preston	RUMP	20	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Ma la Mha	RUMP	20	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
Ian da Bitour	RUMP	14	<i>Did not vote</i>	
Cjara Brainerd	RUMP	14	<i>Did not vote</i>	
Litz Cjantscheir	RUMP	10	<i>Did not vote</i>	Üc
			138-0	

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	
Brad Holmes	Atatürk	<i>Did not vote</i>
Flip Molinar	Belacostă	<i>Did not vote</i>
Alexandreu Soleighlfred	Cézembre	<i>Did not vote</i>
Ieremiac'h Ventrutx	Florenciă	<i>Did not vote</i>
Iusti Canun	Maricopa	<i>Did not vote</i>
Breneir Tzaracomprada	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	<i>Did not vote</i>
Viteu Marcianüs	Vuode	<i>Did not vote</i>

2. This Month's Business

The Fifth Clark of the 41st Ziu runs from October 1st to 21st 2010/XXXI.

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:

41RZ08 – The Nothing Is Impossible for a Talossan Act

Introduced by Ma la Mha, Contà Thord (MC-RUMP)

41RZ09 – The Talossan Neutrality Amendment

Introduced by Flip Molinar (Senator-BE)

41RZ10 – The Right to Equal Education Amendment

Introduced by Flip Molinar (Senator-BE)

41RZ11 – The Diet Coke of Provinces: Pengöpäts Amendment

Introduced by Brad Holmes (Senator-AK)

41RZ12 – The Micronational Reform Act

Introduced by Timoþi Asmourescu (MC-PP)

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

The following motion is to be voted on by the Cosà 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
Iustì Canun*

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

41RZ08 - The Nothing Is Impossible for a Talossan Act

41RZ8 - The Nothing Is Impossible for a Talossan Act

WHEREAS **cake is very pretty, and**

WHEREAS **cake is very tasty, and**

WHEREAS **looking at a pretty cake prevents tasting it, and**

WHEREAS **tasting a cake makes it less pretty, now**

THEREFORE **the Ziu hereby proclaims that it shall be legal in the Kingdom of Talossa to both have your cake and eat it too.**

Noi urent q'estadra sa:

Baron Hooligan (MC, RUMP)

Viteu Toctviac'hteir (Sen., Vuode)

Litz Cjantscheir (MC, RUMP)

Iustì Canun (Sen., Maricopa)

Eoin Ursüm (MC, PPT)

Alexandreu Likazar (Sen., Cézembre)

Noi urent q'estadra sâ,

Ma la Mha, Contă Thord (MC-RUMP)

Iustì Canun (Senator-MA)

Viteu Marcianüs (Senator-VD)

Baroness Litz Cjantscheir (MC-RUMP)

Óin Ursüm (MC-PPT)

Alexandreu Soleighlfred (Senator-CZ)

41RZ09 - The Talossan Neutrality Amendment

WHEREAS it is important to remain peaceful unless acting in the national defense of the nation.

WHEREAS Talossan involvement in any military conflict is unnecessary unless said conflict presents a risk to the security and liberty of her citizens.

WHEREAS Talossan Neutrality greatly strengthens and furthers Her commitment to peace non-violence and world harmony.

THEREFORE

Article XIX is amended by inserting the following underneath the text of the Seventeenth Covenant:

Eighteenth Covenant: For the purposes of this Covenant "Neutrality" and "National Security" shall be defined as follows:

Neutrality-the policy or status of a nation that does not participate in a war between other nations. Said nation agrees not to use any military force whatsoever in a conflict, excepting those operations necessary to coordinate and/or execute peacekeeping operations in the area of said conflict. This does not apply to Social, Economic or any other type of neutrality.

National Security-the requirement to maintain the survival of the nation-state through the use of economic, military and political power

The Talossan Government shall maintain a stance of permanent neutrality as defined above and shall avoid all foreign military entanglements with the exception of those posing a direct threat to national security as defined above. In addition to this, the Talossan Government shall continue to maintain a peacekeeping unit which may be deployed at the digression of the government through an act of the Ziu or by a Prime Dictate of the Prime Minister. This unit shall only be used for the care of civilians and other non-combatants in a conflict.

FURTHERMORE Section 4 of Article XI is amended to read as follows:

The Seneschal has State duties. He may advise the King to dissolve the Cosa and to appoint and remove members of the Cabinet. His advice to the King on these matters may not be refused. The Seneschal may issue Speeches to the Nation in writing, write treaties pending the approval of the Cosa, expedite the Ziu's consideration of legislation, and issue Prime Dictates.

Uréu q'estadra sâ,
Flip Molinar (Senator-BE)

41RZ10 - The Right to Equal Education Amendment

WHEREAS it is necessary for all citizens to have equal opportunity to be educated as much as possible, and;

WHEREAS a person's level of education should only be limited by the person himself;

THEREFORE the Ziu hereby approves the following amendment to the Organic Law, and transmits it to the people for ratification.

Article XIX of the Organic Law be amended and made to read as follows:

Nineteenth Covenant. The right of all Talossan citizens to receive equal and quality education by any Talossan educational body they may choose shall not be infringed. Under no circumstances may a free primary public education be denied to any citizen for any reason whatsoever, except as otherwise provided within the Organic Law or as subject to the ability of the nation to provide such education. This does not apply to post secondary education or to cases where an applicant is denied entry due to failure to meet curricular or discipline requirements of said institution. In such a case, it shall be the responsibility of the parent or legal guardian of the applicant to find a suitable institution.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Flip Molinar (Senator-BE)

41RZ11 - The Diet Coke of Provinces: Pengöpäts Amendment

WHEREAS an ACT just doesn't have the same OOOOMPF as AMENDMENT, and

WHEREAS it is amazingly an odd-numbered Cosa *AGAIN*, and

WHEREAS I'm not sure how these dang odd numbers keep popping up, and

WHEREAS there is still plenty of great junk in this trunk, er, I mean RUMP, and

WHEREAS this a RUMP oldie but a RUMP goodie, and

WHEREAS it seems the Ziu needs some busy work, and

WHEREAS it would be neat to see if anybody is paying attention, and

WHEREAS it would be even neater to see if the King is paying attention and would exercise his veto power,

WHEREAS spell check is *AWESOME*,

THEREFORE Article XVII, Section 11 of the Organic Law amended to read:

Section 11. Talossa's overseas colony, Pengöpäts Antarctic Territory, ~~forms an irrevocable part of the national patrimony~~ is now a full Province of the realm with all rights and privileges thereto pertaining and shall never be abandoned. It shall be administered by ~~a Governor appointed for an indefinite period by the King on the advice of the Seneschál~~ the RUMP's shadow government.

FURTHERMORE Article XVII, Section 13 of the Organic Law is amended to read:

Section 13. No new province shall be constituted after the adoption of this Organic Law unless ~~said proposed province shall contain a citizenry comprising at least 10 persons~~ it seems like a good idea at the time.

No new province shall be constituted after the adoption of this Organic Law unless said proposed province ~~shall contain within it a working constitution with an elected government and a citizenry comprising at least ten persons~~ is perpetually covered in ice, at the bottom of the world, and full of penguins.

Noi urent q'estadra sã,

Brad Holmes (Senator-AK)

Iustì Canun (Senator-MA)

Baron Alexandreu Davinescu (MC-RUMP)

41RZ12 - The Micronational Reform Act

WHEREAS it is currently illegal to hold membership in any micronation and

WHEREAS this needlessly restricts the right to enjoy the harmless hobby of nation building and

WHEREAS we still need to protect our nation from so-called "bug" nations, as well as revolutionary groups which might form under the umbrella of being a "micronation" so

THEREFORE, 37RZ2 is hereby repealed. We hereby affirm the repeal of 23RZ35, 24RZ11, 25RZ2, 29RZ10 as instituted in 37RZ2.

FURTHERMORE, we affirm the definition of a micronation as being A micronation is hereby legally defined to be any society of persons (whether claiming territorial sovereignty or not) that

1. claims a governmental organization and citizenry and
2. is not a member of the United Nations and
3. is not a member of the Unrepresented Nations and Peoples Organization and
4. is not officially recognised by the Kingdom of Talossa. "

WE THEREFORE RESOLVE,

1. Talossan citizens have the right to participate in the hobby of nation building as long as they make neither oath nor affirmation which would conflict with their oath of citizenship.

2. The Prime Minister, together with the Minister of Foreign Affairs and the Minister of Defence, shall maintain a single black list which shall be conspicuously displayed and shall bear the names of any group, micronation or other society which shall be considered illegal to hold membership in. Nations may be removed or added to this list at the discretion of the Prime Minister, The Ziu may remove a nation from the list by majority vote provided the Minister of Defence and the Minister of Foreign Affairs publicly certify that:

a) The micronation poses no security threat to the Kingdom of Talossa and

b) The micronation does not advocate the use of violence to achieve political goals, support, endorse or otherwise publicly approve of crimes against humanity to include (but not be limited to) genocide, segregation or other violations of Human Rights and

c) The micronation does not wish to attempt to secede from a sovereign nation through the use of force or other than political means. Said certification will in no way imply diplomatic recognition of the micronation by the Kingdom of Talossa.

3. It is a criminal act for any Talossan citizen to seek, accept, or hold citizenship in a black listed micronation. The penalty for committing such a crime shall be the revocation of Talossan citizenship. The Attorney-General, on being informed of any alleged violation of this act, and upon verifying the same to his personal and legal satisfaction, shall immediately notify the accused that the government has determined that valid cause exists for a criminal case to be brought against the citizen in the Uppermost Cort. After providing this notification, the Attorney-General shall allow ten days for the accused to dissolve any and all allegiance to the micronation, or to organize a defence against the charge. If, after this ten day period, the Attorney-General determines that the criminal act yet continues, he shall immediately file criminal charges against the accused with the Uppermost Cort and there shall seek the prescribed penalty for the violation of this act. If after this ten day period, the Attorney-General determines that the criminal activity has permanently ceased, he shall not file the considered charges, and the accused shall continue as a fully privileged citizen of the Kingdom.

4. This Act shall take effect 90 days from the date of becoming law to ensure the government has ample time to make all necessary administrative changes.

Noi urent q'estadra sã,
Tímobi Asmourescu (MC-PP)
Flip Molinar (Senator-BE)