



The April 2012 Clark

Fifth Clark of the 43rd Ziu

1. Results of the March 2012 Clark

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

43RZ14 – The Riverside Park Renaming Act

Introduced by Éovart Grischun (MC-CSP)

Agreed to by the Cosă 144-33, by the Senäts 4-1 (2 abstained)

43RZ15 – The Judicial Retirement Act

Introduced by Tímopi Asmourescu (Minister of Justice and Law Reform)

Agreed to by the Cosă 149-28, by the Senäts 4-3

The Cosă and Senäts both rejected the following bill:

43RZ13 – The Privacy of Talossans is Paramount Act

Introduced by Éovart Grischun (MC-CSP)

Rejected by the Cosă 43-134, by the Senäts 1-6

The Cosă passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 119-58 .

Members of the Cosă voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 14	RZ 15	RZ 13	VoC
Ian Tamoran	CRO	3	<i>Did not vote</i>			
Óin Ursüm	CRO	3	Con	Con	Per	Üc
X. Pol Brigă	CRO	7	Con	Per	Per	Non
Éovart Grischun	CSP	3	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Istefan Perponest	CSP	1	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Alexandreu Soleighlfred	MRP	8	Per	Per	Con	Üc
Istefan Lorentzescu	PPT	20	Con	Con	Per	Non
Flip Molinar	PPT/CSP	21	Per	Per	Per	Non
Litz Cjantscheir	RUMP	24	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Ma la Mha	RUMP	20	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Marti Prevuost	RUMP	20	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Trotxä Betiñéir	RUMP	10	Con	Con	Con	Non
Çesli da Chilseu	RUMP	10	<i>Did not vote</i>			
Iason Taiwos	RUMP	10	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Ian da Bitour	RUMP	10	Con	Per	Con	Üc
Danihel Txechescu	RUMP	10	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Dien Tresplet	RUMP	10	Per	Per	Per	Üc
			144-33	149-28	43-134	119-58

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ14	RZ15	RZ13
Brad Holmes	Atatürk	Con	Aus	Per
Tîmoþi Asmourescu	Belacostă	Con	Per	Per
Glüc da Dhi	Cézembre	Per	Aus	Per
Ieremiac'h Ventrutx	Florenciä	Con	Con	Con
Iustì Canun	Maricopa	Con	Per	Con
Mick Preston	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	Con	Per	Per
Viteu Marcianüs	Vuode	Con	Per	Con
		4-1 (2)	4-3	1-6

2. This Month's Business

The Fifth Clark of the 43rd Ziu runs from April 1st to 21st 2012/XXXIII.

Voting on the Clark is open until the 21st of April at 7:30 PM Talossan time.

The following bills have been presented for consideration:

43RZ16 – The Party Registration Regularity Act

Introduced by Flip Molinar (MC-CSPP)

43RZ17 – The Registration Fee Discretion Act

Introduced by Dien Tresplet (MC-RUMP)

43RZ18 – The More Reasonable Deadline Amendment

Introduced by Sir Glüc da Dhi (Senator-CZ)

43RZ19 – The "Cantons are Talossan, not American" Amendment

Introduced by Iustì Canun (Senator-MA)

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
Iustì Canun*

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

43RZ16 - The Party Registration Regularity Act

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WHEREAS the current law on how parties register themselves is not clear, and

WHEREAS something as important as election law requires clarity, now

THEREFORE we, the Ziu, enact that:

1. Each party has the responsibility of communicating to the Secretary of State a list of its authorized agents and the name of its leader, and of updating the same.
2. In any case where the authorized agents of a party or its leadership are a matter of dispute in a manner affecting party registration or the filling of empty seats in the Cosa, the Secretary of State shall make a good-faith effort to determine which disputant has the best right to name such, taking into consideration the internal rules of the party. Each other disputant shall have the opportunity to register under a party name that differentiates it from the other disputants.
3. In any case where the authorized agents of a party or its leadership are a matter of dispute in a manner affecting party registration or the filling of empty seats in the Cosa, and the Secretary of State is unable to determine that any of the disputing claimants to a party has a best right to name such, each disputant shall have the opportunity to register under a party name that differentiates it from the other disputants. In such a case as to leadership, the original party shall be considered to not have a functional leader for the purposes of Article VII, Section 9 of the Organic Law.

Noi urent q'estadra sa

Istefan Perþonest, MC, CSPP
Flip Molinar, MC, CSPP

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Flip Molinar (MC-CSPP)

43RZ17 - The Registration Fee Discretion Act

WHEREAS, Current law directs the Secretary of State to charge a fee of 13^u20, or \$20 USD, for new political parties, and

WHEREAS, Problems have arisen from making payment, as well as controversy about the legal status of some political parties, and

WHEREAS, A previous draft of this bill failed in a previous Cosa on concerns of a loophole in the bill, and

WHEREAS, Such loophole has been fixed and the bill is now Organic, and

WHEREAS, It is still high time to fix the problem, now

THEREFORE, we, the Ziu, hereby enact the following:

Section 1: The Secretary of State shall have full discretion on whether a party can proceed with registration should a problem arise with receipt of the filing fee for that party.

Section 2: Any disputant, showing good cause, may appeal the Section 1 decision made by the Secretary of State, and during such time as it is going through the process of appeal, the party shall be registered until a decision has been made by the Cort on such appeal.

Section 3: If a disputant has made a Section 2 appeal, and the decision of the Cort calls for the party to be stricken from registered status, the party shall be made to vacate their seats immediately, and the Secretary of State shall be made to expunge any and all votes cast in the Clark taking place at such time.

Section 4: Any party that has been deemed not to be registered may not reclaim their vacated seats due to their non-registered status.

Section 5: The vacated seats shall be allocated proportionally to each registered party according to the current composition of the Cosa, subject to the approval by the King.

Section 6: By no means can Section 1 or 2 of this act can be construed to deny a party registration if such party has paid its filing fee in full and the fee has been received by the Burgermeister of Inland Revenue and/or the Ministry of Finance.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Dien Tresplet (MC-RUMP)

43RZ18 - The More Reasonable Deadline Amendment

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WHEREAS Talossan affairs usually take some time, and

WHEREAS after last general elections appointing a seneschal took a bit too much time, and

WHEREAS the MRP already pointed out one week might not be enough even before those elections, and

WHEREAS appointing a seneschal will take even more time when no single party holds more than 100 seats in the cosa, and

WHEREAS appointing someone without the support of a cosa majority will eventually result in new elections anyway, now

Therefore Article XI, section 2 of the organic law will be amended to read:

"The King appoints the Seneschál. If a single party occupies a majority of the seats in the Cosà, the King shall choose as PM whichever individual shall be designated by that party. If no single party has a majority, the King shall appoint a Seneschál after consulting 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 Cosà. The King must appoint a new Seneschál or announce the continuation of the incumbent in office within one month of the end of elections, or, if after one month no candidate can be appointed with the support of a cosa majority, dissolve the cosa after the first clark and call for new elections. ",

Noi urent q'estadra sa:

Glüc da Dhi (Senator, Cézembre)
Viteu Marcianüs (Senator, Vuode)
Alexandreu Bisquinc (MC, MRP)

Noi urent q'estadra sâ,
Sir Glüc da Dhi (Senator-CZ)
Viteu Marcianüs (Senator-VD)
Alexandreu Soleighfred (MC-MRP)

43RZ19 - The "Cantons are Talossan, not American" Amendment

WHEREAS Article XVII, Section 1 of the Organic Law divides Provinces into Cantons, which are stated to be equivalent to census tracts, and

WHEREAS the U.S. Census Bureau has changed the borders of the census tracts within the city of Milwaukee, and

WHEREAS Talossa is not part of the United States, so we shouldn't change our historic divisions just because the U.S. thinks we should,

THEREFORE Section 1 of Article XVII is hereby amended to read:

The metropolitan territory of Talossa is subdivided into Cantons (els Cantons) and Provinces. Cantons are defined according to historical borders, but Provinces may, subject to approval by the Ziu, alter these borders, including to create new Cantons. Provinces may also establish such internal subdivisions as they find necessary or convenient for local government. The Canton is the smallest possible territorial subdivision which can be transferred from one Provincial jurisdiction to another.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Iustì Canun (Senator-MA)