

The January 2013 Clark

Fifth Clark of the 44th Ziu

1. Results of the November 2012 Clark

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

44RZ20 – The Let's Not Have Short Acts or Amendments Act

Introduced by Dien Tresplet (MC-RUMP)

Agreed to by the Cosă 152-35 (10 abstained), by the Senäts 8-0

44RZ21 – The Financial Disclosure Act

Introduced by C. Carlüs Xheraltescu (MC-ZRT)

Agreed to by the Cosă 150-47, by the Senäts 7-0 (1 abstained)

44RZ22 – The Six Naps Are Better Than Five Act

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

Agreed to by the Cosă 107-54 (36 abstained), by the Senäts 8-0

44RZ23 – The I'm Not Really Sure About This Act Amendment

Introduced by Sir Glüc da Dhi (Senator-CZ)

Agreed to by the Cosă 165-23 (9 abstained), by the Senäts 8-0

The Cosă passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 147-50 .

Members of the Cosă voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 20	RZ 21	RZ 22	RZ 23	VoC
Breneir Tzaracomprada	CSPP	3	<i>Did not vote</i>				
Owen Edwards	CSPP	3	Per	Per	Aus	Aus	Non
Flip Molinar	CSPP	3	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Éovart Grischun	CSPP	3	Per	Per	Con	Aus	Non
Daviu Lundescu	CSPP	3	Per	Per	Aus	Aus	Üc
Eiric Biançéu	CSPP	3	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Ián Txaglh	CSPP/IP	1	Con	Per	Aus	Per	Üc
Eldsfäts Blasiüs	CeR	11	Con	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Alexandreu Soleighlfred	MRPT	6	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Lüc da Schir	MRPT	6	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Niclau Patíci	MRPT	6	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Ma la Mha	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Trotxä Betiñéir	RUMP	9	Con	Con	Con	Con	Üc
Ian da Bitour	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Alexandreu Davinescu	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Çesli da Chilseu	RUMP	9	Per	Con	Per	Per	Üc
Litz Cjantscheir	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Per	Per	Üc
			152-35 (10)	150-47	107-54 (36)	165-23 (9)	147-50

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Danihel Txechescu	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Aus	Per	Ûc
Pól d'Auribuérg	RUMP	9	Per	Con	Per	Per	Ûc
Dien Tresplet	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Per	Per	Ûc
Vitxalmour Conductour	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Con	Per	Ûc
Cresti Siervicül	RUMP	9	Per	Per	Per	Per	Ûc
Txec dal Nordselvä	RUMP	9	Per	Con	Con	Per	Ûc
Mximo Carbonel	ZRT	4	Con	Per	Con	Con	Non
Miesträ Schivä	ZRT	10	Aus	Per	Aus	Per	Non
C. Carlüs Xheraltescu	ZRT	10	Per	Per	Con	Per	Non
Óin Ursüm	ZRT	10	Per	Per	Aus	Per	Non
Sarac'h Txilvertesc	ZRT	10	Con	Per	Con	Con	Non
			152-35 (10)	150-47	107-54 (36)	165-23 (9)	147-50

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ20	RZ21	RZ22	RZ23
Brad Holmes	Atatürk	Per	Per	Per	Per
Iason Taiwos	Belacostă	Per	Per	Per	Per
Glüc da Dhi	Cézembre	Per	Per	Per	Per
Audradă d'Auribuérg	Florenciä	Per	Aus	Per	Per
Ián Anglatzară	Fiovă	Per	Per	Per	Per
Iusti Canun	Maricopa	Per	Per	Per	Per
Mick Preston	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	Per	Per	Per	Per
Viteu Marcianüs	Vuode	Per	Per	Per	Per
		8-0	7-0 (1)	8-0	8-0

2. This Month's Business

The Fifth Clark of the 44th Ziu runs from January 1st to 21st 2013/XXXIV.
Voting on the Clark is open until the 21st of January at 7:30 PM Talossan time.

The following bills have been presented for consideration:

44RZ24 – The One More Step Towards Individual Freedom Act
Introduced by Alexandreu Soleighfred (MC-MRPT)

44RZ25 – The Let's Not Have Short Acts or Amendments Act 2.0
Introduced by Dien Tresplet (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
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A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

44RZ24 - The One More Step Towards Individual Freedom Act

WHEREAS no citizen of the Kingdom of Talossa currently may hold citizenship in what is legally defined as micronation and

WHEREAS there is a better way to defend Talossa from the needless relations with some micronations than such a harsh ban and

WHEREAS being a part of any productive and non-violent community of people is an essential part of human rights not subject to any governmental restriction, and

WHEREAS it is possible to see participating in a small "bug nation" as a hobby, and

WHEREAS we don't want the government deciding what our hobbies are, unless it is harmful to other or the Talossan community, and

WHEREAS there may be micronations that are more serious than the average "bug nation", and

WHEREAS majority of developed and democratic societies allow dual citizenship with such nations, and

WHEREAS Talossas own cultural identity is strong enough to prevent "bug nations" from becoming a thread, now

THEREFORE 37RZ2, The What's The Difference Act, along with 23RZ35, 24RZ11, 25RZ2 and 29RZ10 are hereby repealed.

FUTHERMORE

1. The legal definition of micronation used for 25RZ50, The Semi-Permeable Wall Act shall be: "any society of persons (whether claiming territorial sovereignty or not) that

a. claims a governmental organization and citizenry and

b. is not a member of the United Nations and

c. is not a member of the Unrepresented Nations and Peoples Organization and

d. is not officially recognised by the Kingdom of Talossa."

2. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs shall keep a blacklist of micronations that are considered athreat to the Kingdom of Talossa or in any way interfere with the interests of the Kingdom.

3. Every citizen can freely and with no restrictions participate in other micronations, unless they are listed in the aforementioned Black List.

4. Micronations can be removed from the Black List by a vote receiving a majority in both houses of the Ziu. Micronations can be added to the Black List by a vote receiving a two-thirds supermajority in at least one of the houses of the Ziu or a vote receiving a majority in both houses of the ziu.

5. It is a criminal act for any Talossan citizen to seek, accept, or hold citizenship in a blacklisted 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, or the micronation was legally deleted from the Black List, he shall not file the considered charges, and the accused shall continue as a fully privileged citizen of the Kingdom.

6. If it becomes evident that a prospective citizen does hold a citizenship in a blacklisted micronation, then either he should renounce this forbidden citizenship before being granted the Talossan citizenship or his application would be terminated.

7. All members of the Ziu, the Cabinet, the Uppermost Court, the Magistrate's Court, the Chancery or the Royal Treasury and the Chancellor of the Royal Talossan Bar must report the following information to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

- a) All micronations of which he/she is a member.
- b) All national public offices he/she holds in these micronations.

8. Every person holding any of the offices named in clause 2 of this act who join a micronation or get appointed to a national public office in a micronation during their time in office must provide the Ministry of Foreign Affairs with this information within 15 days of the event.

9. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs is responsible for maintaining a public list of all the information mentioned in clauses 7 and 8 of this act.

10. It is a criminal act for anyone holding an office mentioned in clause 7 of this act to provide false information about his/her micronational involvement. The penalty for such a crime may, depending on the seriousness of the mistake be impeachment from any office mentioned in clause 7.

11. It is a criminal act for the Minister of Foreign affairs or the Minister of Defence to seek, accept, or hold citizenship in a micronation. The penalty for such a crime shall be impeachment from office.

12. "Citizenship" in a micronation, as mentioned in clauses 5 and 11 of this act, shall not include "honourary citizenship," where the honourary citizenship:

- does not entitle the honouree to vote in the micronation's elections,
- does not entitle the honouree to hold political, governmental, or administrative office in the micronation,
- does not obligate the honouree, after the grant of honourary citizenship to pay taxes, fees resembling taxes, or membership dues, and
- does not create any continuing obligation or bond of allegiance to the micronation.

Noi urent q'estadra sâ,
Alexandreu Soleighlfred (MC-MRPT)
Sir Glüc da Dhi (Senator-CZ)
Sir Lüc da Schir (MC-MRPT)
Dame Miesträ Schivă (MC-ZRT)
C. Carlüs Xheraltescu (MC-ZRT)
Daviu Lundescu (MC-CSPP)

44RZ25 - The Let's Not Have Short Acts or Amendments Act 2.0

WHEREAS , Article VIII, Section 5 of the Organic Law reads, "Each MC will represent, for ceremonial purposes, a particular geographical "constituency." The exact procedure will be determined by law.", and

WHEREAS , Why do we need to take so many steps to circumvent such a relatively simple clause?, and

WHEREAS , The territory of Péngöpäts only holds representation through one particularly handsome Member of the Cosa as it cannot hold a seat in the Senate, and

WHEREAS , Other than to serve as a vehicle for the representation of Péngöpäts, this clause could simply be a way of subtle entertainment based on what particular constituency one chooses to represent (for example, 144 E. Juneau Ave.), and

WHEREAS , Others may choose to simply ignore the clause and continue to represent the obvious uncodified default, Talossa, and

WHEREAS , The OrgLaw does not specify any exact procedure to "adopt" a location, other than it will be determined by law, and

WHEREAS , For at least eight years after this OrgLaw was put into place, there are several examples of such ceremonial usage, but no law to specify any exact procedure, and

WHEREAS , Some want to take steps to end everyone's fun by making "Talossa" the only constituency that is to be represented, and

WHEREAS , I don't believe in killing fun, and I do not believe the other bill, the name of which shall not be mentioned, is what the crafters of the OrgLaw thought of would happen when they added the clause "The exact procedure will be determined by law.", and

WHEREAS , It is my intention to make this bill as long as possible to distinguish it from the other unmentionable bill, and

WHEREAS , I believe I have accomplished such a goal, and

WHEREAS , Once again, we go into another Clark without this simple matter being solved, and

WHEREAS , At least most of us are on the same page in regards to this, including the author of that other bill, and

WHEREAS , Can we please get this matter settled already?!, **NOW**,

THEREFORE, We, the Ziu, hereby prescribe that all Members of Cosa shall be free to represent any constituency within the geographic boundaries of the Kingdom of Talossa including any and all of its territories and overseas colonies; and,

FURTHERMORE, a Member wishing to represent a constituency simply needs to publicly declare such representation; and,

FURTHER-FURTHERMORE, any Member that does not wish to or fails to choose a particular constituency to represent shall be deemed to be representing The Kingdom of Talossa and its citizens as a whole.

Noi urent q'estadra sã,
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Owen Edwards (MC-CSPP)
C. Carlüs Xheraltescu (MC-ZRT)
King Txec (MC-RUMP)