



The October 2022 Clark

Fifth Clark of the 57th Ziu

1. Results of the September 2022 Clark

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

57RZ17 – Sense of the Ziu: Berber Solidarity

Introduced by Breneir Tzaracomprada (Senator-FL)

Agreed to by the Cosä 104-23 (49 abstained), by the Senäts 5-0 (2 abstained)

57RZ18 – The SoS Responsibility Reform Bill

Introduced by Dame Miesträ Schivä (MC-FreeDems)

Agreed to by the Cosä 163-13, by the Senäts 7-0

57RZ19 – The Seneschal Selection and Reselection Amendment

Introduced by Sir Ian Plätschisch (Senator-MM)

Agreed to by the Cosä 153-23, by the Senäts 7-0

The Cosä and Senäts disagreed on the following bills:

57RZ15 – The Nonpartisan SOS Entrenchment Act

Introduced by Breneir Tzaracomprada (Senator-FL)

Agreed to by the Cosä 71-54 (51 abstained), rejected by the Senäts 1-6

57RZ16 – Sense of the Ziu: Procrastination and a Period of Consequences

Introduced by Breneir Tzaracomprada (Senator-FL)

Rejected by the Cosä 40-59 (77 abstained), agreed to by the Senäts 4-1 (2 abstained)

The Cosä passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 123-52 (1 abstained).

Members of the Cosä voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 15	RZ 16	RZ 17	RZ 18	RZ 19	VoC
Dien Tresplet	DIEN	18	Per	Aus	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Miesträ Schivä	FreeDems	22	Con	Aus	Aus	Per	Per	Üc
Antaglhä Xhenerös Somelieir	FreeDems	22	Con	Aus	Aus	Per	Per	Üc
Cresti Nouacastrea-Läxhirescu	FreeDems	22	Did not vote					
Açafat del Val	FreeDems	10	Con	Aus	Con	Per	Con	Üc
Brăneu Excelsio	Ind.	1	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Aus
Ián Txaglh	PdR	5	Aus	Aus	Aus	Per	Per	Üc
Mic'haglh Autófil	PdR	20	Aus	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Mximo Carbonel	RCT	3	Did not vote					
X. Pol Brigă	TNC	13	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Non
Alexandreu Davinescu	TNC	13	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Non
			71-54 (51)	40-59 (77)	104-23 (49)	163-13	153-23	123-52 (1)

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 15	RZ 16	RZ 17	RZ 18	RZ 19	VoC
Litz Cjantscheir	TNC	13	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per	Non
Eovart Xhorxh	TNC	13	Per	Con	Con	Con	Con	Non
Muhammed Yasir	TNC	13	Aus	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
Tric'hard Lenxheir	TNC	13	Aus	Con	Per	Per	Per	Üc
			71-54 (51)	40-59 (77)	104-23 (49)	163-13	153-23	123-52 (1)

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ15	RZ16	RZ17	RZ18	RZ19
Marti-Páir Furxhéir	Atatürk	Con	Per	Per	Per	Per
Eiric Börnatfiglheu	Belacostă	Con	Aus	Aus	Per	Per
Ian Tamoran	Cézembre	<i>Did not vote</i>				
Breneir Tzaracomprada	Florenciă	Per	Per	Per	Per	Per
Gödafrîeu Vălcadác'h	Fiovă	Con	Per	Per	Per	Per
Txoteu Davinescu	Maricopa	Con	Per	Per	Per	Per
Ian Plätschisch	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	Con	Con	Per	Per	Per
Éovart Grischun	Vuode	Con	Aus	Aus	Per	Per
		1-6	4-1 (2)	5-0 (2)	7-0	7-0

2. This Month's Business

The Fifth Clark of the 57th Ziu runs from October 1st to 21st 2022/XLIII.

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:

57RZ20 – The SoS Succession Reform Act

Introduced by Breneir Tzaracomprada (Senator-FL)

57RZ21 – SENSE OF THE COSA: Living Cosa for November

Introduced by Dame Miestră Schivă (MC-FreeDems)

57RZ22 – Finance Law Reform (Here We Go Again) Bill

Introduced by Dame Miestră Schivă (MC-FreeDems)

57RZ23 – The Cutting Red And Green Tape (Domain Names) Bill

Introduced by Dame Miestră Schivă (MC-FreeDems)

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
King Txec

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

57RZ20 - The SoS Succession Reform Act

WHEREAS , the Chancery is one of the most important offices in the Kingdom, and

WHEREAS , it has been frequently stated that filling the position of Secretary of State has been a troublesome task in the recent past, and

WHEREAS , this statutory revision is offered in the spirit of reform as a process or act of fundamental problem-solving or iterative improvement.

Therefore, be it resolved, that the following changes are made to Title C of El Lex:

The existing 1.2.1 is replaced with: **One member of the Chancery shall be the Deputy Secretary of State. The Deputy Secretary of State shall be appointed under the same procedure as the Secretary of State in addition to advice and consultation from the current Secretary of State. The Deputy Secretary of State shall immediately succeed the Secretary of State upon their death, resignation, or removal. The Deputy Secretary of State shall fulfill responsibilities to assist the effective operation of the Chancery as assigned or delegated by the Secretary of State.**

The existing 1.2.1 is renumbered to 1.2.2 and revised and following subsections are renumbered: **Another member** of the Chancery shall be the Royal Data Clerk, heading the Office of Dynamic Data Management. The function of the Office of Dynamic Data Management is to manage all computer records owned by the Kingdom of Talossa for its official functions and delegated to its care in order to help other Royal Households, Ministries or any other organization of the Kingdom which needs data management. The Royal Data Clerk may be the same person as the Secretary of State. The Royal Data Clerk shall be considered an Officer of the Royal Household.

1.2.3. is revised to read as follows: **The Royal Data Clerk is appointed by the Secretary of State. The Deputy Secretary of State and/or the Royal Data Clerk may perform official business as delegated to them by the Secretary. Both the Deputy Secretary of State and the Royal Data Clerk** shall have all the access required to carry out the Chancery's functions under this section.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Breneir Tzaracomprada (Senator-FL)

57RZ21 - SENSE OF THE COSA: Living Cosa for November

WHEREAS it is the policy of the incumbent Government to promote live interactions between Talossans, via technological means where necessary or appropriate;

AND **WHEREAS** heavens knows how long it has been since the last Living Cosa, i.e. a real-time meeting of our legislature;

AND **WHEREAS** the Ministry of Technology has got tentative support from the Chairs of both Houses of the Ziu for the concept of a Living Cosa with Senäts participation through teleconferencing technology, and an offer from the Mençei to organise the technological aspect of this;

AND **WHEREAS** this seems to be the procedure as outlined in OrgLaw IV.11 and El Lexhatx H.20;

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COSA OF TALOSSA that a Living Cosa will be held, via teleconferencing, during the month of November this year.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Dame Miestră Schivă (MC-FreeDems)

57RZ22 - Finance Law Reform (Here We Go Again) Bill

WHEREAS it is part of the incumbent Government's programme to simplify legislation and "cut red and green tape" where-ever practical;

AND **WHEREAS** certain inefficiencies and dead-ends were revealed in the Kingdom's budgeting process due to the recent unavailability of the Burgermeister of Internal Revenue;

AND **WHEREAS** a read-through of the appropriate legislation suggested other fixes for readability and sense, in particular separating out the functions of the Royal Treasury from the Ministry of Finance;

BE IT ENACTED by the King, Cosa and Senäts of Talossa in Ziu assembled that:

1. The following new paragraphs shall be added to the end of El Lexhatx C.1.5:

1.5.5. audit the reported financial condition of His Majesty's investments at any time.

1.5.6. provide, upon request of the Minister of Finance and any other time stated in law, a Financial Report containing the following information:

1.5.6.1. the amount, location, liquidity, and availability of all funds held by or for the Royal Treasury,

1.5.6.2. a detailed list of all changes in the account balances of the Royal Treasury since the last Report,

1.5.6.3. a balance sheet which clearly lists all expenses linking them to the relative sheet items in the budget bills approved in the Cosa,

1.5.6.4. the total amount of louse and postal items in circulation;

1.5.7. All accounts and other monies held by the Royal Treasury shall be held in the name of both the King and the Burgermeister, in such a way that the King shall be able to perform the functions of the Burgermeister in case of the Burgermeister's absence, on his own initiative or upon request of the Minister of Finance.

2. El Lexhatx D.2.8.1 is amended to read in its entirety (all subsections to be deleted):

The Ministrà dal Finançù (Ministry of Finance) is responsible for setting and implementing the economic policies of the Kingdom, for drawing up the national Budget, and directing the Burgermeister of Inland Revenue as to the investment of that portion of the Royal Treasury set aside by said Budget.

3. In El Lexhatx D.2.8.2.4, the misspelled word "demonination" shall be correctly spelled as "denomination".

4. El Lexhatx D.2.8.2.8 is **deleted**, as contradicting El Lexhatx D.2.8.1.

5. El Lexhatx D.2.8.2.9 is **deleted**, its provisions being reinstated in the new El Lexhatx C.1.5.5.

6. El Lexhatx D.2.8.2.10 is **deleted**, as redundant and repeating provisions contained in El Lexhatx D.2.8.3.

7. El Lexhatx D.2.8.3.1 is amended to read:

2.8.3.1. a Financial Report as provided in El Lexhatx C.1.5.6;

8. The following new subsection shall be added to El Lexhatx D.2.8.4:

2.8.4.1 The Ziu hereby authorizes the annual and ongoing expenditure of 60 lous by the Burgermeister of Internal Revenue for the specific and sole purpose of paying for the annual domain name registration of talossa.com and for associated webhosting services as selected by the Seneschal or their designated representative. All payments made under direction of this authority should be reported as according to normal procedure by the Burgermeister.

9. The existing paragraph, currently duplicatively numbered El Lexhatx D.2.8.9, which reads:

The Finance Minister shall create a Register of Talossan Enterprises, available to all Talossan citizens. Any Talossan who produces goods and services, whether commercially or as a hobby, may provide a description, no longer than 100 words, of their enterprise together with their contact details, for the purposes of advertisement and information. An enterprise shall be removed from the register at the request of the registrant; or by a determination by the Finance Minister that the enterprise is no longer active, or not of a character with which the Kingdom of Talossa wishes to be associated. Such determinations shall be subject to judicial review.

shall be renumbered D.2.8.10, and amended to read:

The Finance Minister shall create a Register of Talossan Enterprises, available to all Talossan citizens. Any Talossan who produces goods and services, whether commercially or as a hobby, may provide a description, no longer than 100 words, of their enterprise together with their contact details, for the purposes of advertisement and information. An enterprise shall be removed from the register at the request of the registrant, or by a determination by the Finance Minister that the enterprise is either no longer active or not of a character with which the Kingdom of Talossa wishes to be associated. Such determinations shall be subject to judicial review.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Dame Miestră Schivă (MC-FreeDems)

57RZ23 - The Cutting Red And Green Tape (Domain Names) Bill

WHEREAS El Lexhatx D.2.9.2 currently reads:

Talossa.com and Kingdomoftalossa.net are the property of the government and shall be operated by the Ministry of Technology.

AND **WHEREAS** it is currently the interpretation of the Ministry of Justice that this requires the Government to own both of those domain names;

AND **WHEREAS** spending on domain names came under scrutiny in the last budget round;

AND **WHEREAS** we don't necessarily need to jettison kot.net, but we should value Ministerial discretion over legislative micromanaging;

BE IT ENACTED by the King, Cosa and Senäts in Ziu assembled that El Lexhatx D.2.9.2. be amended to read as follows:

The Government shall own the domain name talossa.com, and may purchase and maintain any other Talossa-related domain names as they see fit, following normal budgetary procedures. These domain names and their associated webhosting shall be administered by the Ministry of Technology.

Uréu q'estadra sã,
Dame Miestră Schivă (MC-FreeDems)