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Speakers: Pun Watta, Sertor Valentinus,
Chris Miller

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Delegations in Attendance:

1. Orientia
 2. Aenopia
 3. Northwood-Oregon
 4. Galte
 5. Caelesta
 6. Berry Empire
 7. Atiera
 8. Elmwycke
 9. West Sayville
 10. Desert District
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Discussions and Proposals:

Second discussion: Revisiting the Adoptable and Adaptable Legislation Program and finding ways to expand its usage.

Second discussion: Holding a potential Cupertino information drive in which the goal is to expand knowledge on ways to get the most out of the Cupertino Alliance and its programs.

Second discussion: Discussion on a potential extended session to hold a Pride month fundraiser including potential participation rewards and donation receiver.

Second discussion: On the appointment of Logan Ross as Minister of Development and Interstate Cooperation.

Majority support

Second discussion: Repeal of the Cupertino Internal Refocusing Act, 2022.

Majority against

Second discussion: North Lincolnshire Program Replacement Act, 2022.

Mixed support

Second discussion: Higher Standards of Activity Act, 2022.

Mixed support

Second discussion: On the application of the Republic of Conpan.

No discussion

Second discussion: On the application of the Principality of Frankeinburg.

Mixed support

Second discussion: On the application of the County of Morrsem.

No discussion

Second discussion: On the application of the Pinangese Republic.

Majority against

Second discussion: On the application of the United States of the Rocky Mountains.

Mixed support

First discussion: Ross Resolution, 2022

Mixed support

Member reports:

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Session transcript:

[9:59 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: @Observers @Provisional Members @Members
Asia-Oceanic Session starting now.

[10:00 AM] Aenöpia: Aenopia is present.

[10:00 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Northwood-Oregon is present.

[10:01 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: Here is today's agenda:
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[10:01 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Galte is present

[10:01 AM] Connie Sarah - Caelesta: Caelesta is present.

[10:03 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: Firstly, discussion of revisiting the Adoptable and Adaptable Legislation Program and finding ways to expand its usage.

[10:04 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Elaborate

[10:04 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: The program only has one submitted bill and it has only been requested to be used once.

[10:05 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I want to understand why this is the case despite support for the project originally being quite large.

[10:05 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Obviously it rests on the support of the principle.

[10:06 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: What do you mean?

[10:07 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Everyone supports the principle of the programme but just because you support it doesn't mean you see the need to utilize it.

[10:07 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: The Berry Empire is present.

[10:07 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: But even besides people using it, no one is submitting legislation for it to be used.

[10:08 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: No one is trying to benefit the program.

[10:08 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Ok

[10:09 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: So I want to figure out why no one seems to care.

[10:09 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: I don't even know what is it about.

[10:09 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Elaborate a bit about the programme

[10:10 AM] Connie Sarah - Caelesta: Neither do I.

[10:10 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: The program allows member states to submit legislation that can then be transformed and adopted by member states.

[10:10 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Ah that was proposed ages ago. I support it.

[10:10 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Yes, but no one submitted legislation.

[10:11 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: We can just launch the program and wait till someone does submit something.

[10:11 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: It's already launched.

[10:11 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: It's been passed, I've been trying to figure out why it's failed

[10:11 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Maybe because the entire CA is kind of inactive.

[10:12 AM] Connie Sarah - Caelesta: The entire micronational community seems to have gone inactive as of lately.

[10:12 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Well there's bits that are active but they aren't exactly savory.

[10:13 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: I completely agree. We just have to wait till it becomes active again.

[10:13 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: It has spikes of activity over the course of years.

[10:13 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: And, just to clear things up, it's not a problem of the Cupertino Alliance. As Connie suggested, the entire community is inactive.

[10:14 AM] Connie Sarah - Caelesta: I predict it will become active again either during the Summer, as most people finish school, or sometime leading up to October/November.

[10:14 AM] Aenöpia: I've said this before, but this community-wide activity can be attributed towards the Black January event.

[10:14 AM] Aenöpia: It's up to us to regain our activity over the next few months, irrespective of community trends.

[10:15 AM] Connie Sarah - Caelesta: Black January event?

[10:15 AM] Aenöpia: Mass banning of MW@D.

[10:15 AM] Connie Sarah - Caelesta: Ohhh, that thing.

[10:15 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Yeah. I predict the activity to rise through summer to winter. That's when most people have free time.

[10:17 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: Let's move on to the next topic of discussion.

[10:17 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia:
Holding a potential Cupertino information drive in which the goal is to expand knowledge on ways to get the most out of the Cupertino Alliance and its programs.

[10:18 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I think this is something that's very necessary in order to revive some of the activity in the CA.

[10:18 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: I concur.

[10:18 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: If people know about programs, and the CA itself, and know how to use them, there's no excuse for them not being used except people not really caring or needing them.

[10:20 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: I note the statement of the Chair.

[10:21 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: Next, @Redberry - Berry Empire has the floor.

[10:21 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: So, I'd like to start a new CA Instagram page to promote us in the micronational Instagram community.

[10:21 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: We currently have an official account, though it's owned by Jayden and Jayden is inactive.

[10:22 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Currently, I'm looking for a permit to start the Instagram page.

[10:22 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: How large is the micronational Instagram community?

[10:22 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: I believe it's as large as the MicroWiki community.

[10:22 AM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Atiera is present, sorry for my absence.

[10:24 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I think that if we really can't get back the CA Instagram account then this'll be the next best solution. But I think press and promotion should have a say in it as well.

[10:24 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: I had already tried to obtain access to the account though Jayden pretty much ignored me.

[10:25 AM] Pun Watta - Orientia: If the Berry Empire's statements are true about the size of their community then I definitely support it.

[10:25 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: How about making a new instagram account.

[10:26 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I think that's what he suggested.

[10:26 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Oh

[10:26 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: There are tons of micronations. To be honest, many of them are not well-developed, but the rest is. Perchance more developed than an average CA member.

[10:26 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Since we can't get the current one from Jayden

[10:26 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Elmwycke is present.

[10:26 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: What now?

[10:27 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: I suggest Carson to create the account (as he is the chair) and let the Ministries of Technology and Press and Promotion access it.

[10:28 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: The issue is Jayden's activity.

[10:28 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Around 50% of micronations on MicroNear are only on Instagram and not MicroWiki. Because I advertised it there.

[10:28 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: We're connecting the communities

[10:31 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I've been requested to take over the session now, is there anything further?

[10:32 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Alright let's move onto the next order of business;

Discussion on a potential extended session to hold a Pride month fundraiser including potential participation rewards and donation receiver.

[10:32 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I support the proposal.

[10:33 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I believe this would be a beneficial thing to really show our support in the community through actual tangible means.

[10:33 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I'd like to state that Stonewall could be another worthy charity.

[10:34 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: I support the proposal as well.

[10:35 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Yes who we would be donating to is an important factor of all this and something we need to figure out.

[10:35 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: It doesn't seem like a very relevant endeavour to be assumed by an intergovernmental organisation. But nevertheless for other reasons I support it.

[10:35 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: The last discussion of this got sort of derailed in that aspect.

[10:36 AM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Berry Empire is no longer present.

[10:36 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: The current suggestions for charities to donate to are Stonewall and the Pride Foundation.

[10:37 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Does anyone have any opinions on who we would be donating to?

[10:38 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Another possible suggestion I have is the Peter Tatchell Foundation

[10:39 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: It's not specifically LGBTQ+ but that is a main focus.

[10:40 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I've never heard of this one but I am looking into it now.

[10:41 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Does anyone have anything further?

[10:41 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Not from me.

[10:42 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Next on the agenda;

On the appointment of Logan Ross as Minister of Development and Interstate Cooperation.

[10:42 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: This is just a mandated discussion of his appointment.

[10:42 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I think he's a good fit, as a former Chair.

[10:43 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I concur.

[10:44 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Plus his involvement in various other international affairs.

[10:45 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Is there anything further?

[10:46 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Next we have;

Repeal of the Cupertino Internal Refocusing Act, 2022.

[10:47 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Why is there not provided a link to the act

[10:47 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: There isn't an act associated with it.

[10:47 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I support overturning the act. It's kinda caused the opposite of what it was supposed to do.

[10:47 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: So is it or is it not an act.

[10:47 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Its a repeal.

[10:48 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Of an act

[10:48 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Which I want to see

[10:48 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Oh you want the original act.

[10:48 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: We should know what we're going to repeal shouldn't we?

[10:48 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: You should know.

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[10:49 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: I don't have the contents of every piece of legislation stored in the back of my head, my apologies.

[10:50 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: The last session didnt have issue with it so I didn't even think about linking it today.

[10:51 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: If Martin's observation is true then I also support the repeal.

[10:51 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: But I haven't really observed any difference between pre-act and post-act so I suppose it doesn't make much difference.

[10:52 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Who is behind the proposition?

[10:52 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Tyler Mullins.

[10:52 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: The repeal, I mean.

[10:53 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Has he provided his reasoning for seeking to repeal the act?

[10:53 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: He said this during the last session,

"Unfortunately, the Internal Refocusing Act didn't work to help with activity, so I propose we repeal it so we can process new applicants."

[10:54 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Will processing new applicants help with activity then? With the exception of the activity of processing new applicants?

[10:55 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: I don't necessarily believe that making the CA survive on constant new members is the best way of doing things.

[10:55 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Because while they can bring activity, I believe we shouldn't have to rely on them for it.

[10:55 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: We should be able to bring activity ourselves.

[10:55 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: We're not a pyramid scheme nor the Roman Empire.

[10:55 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: I completely agree.

[10:56 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: I oppose the overturning.

[10:56 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Is there anything further?

[10:57 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Other than my urging for others to also oppose the overturning, nothing from me.

[10:57 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Next we have the North Lincolnshire Program Replacement Act, 2022.

[10:57 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon:

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[10:58 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: This just goes to repeal and clarify the rather lackluster original act.

[10:58 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Which looks like this

[10:58 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: One moment

[10:58 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon:

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[10:59 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: How will volunteers be secured

[11:00 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Which body is in charge of administering the programme

[11:00 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: If you ask me the act is still lackluster

[11:00 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: There is the establishment of the service, then what

[11:00 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Its essentially a communal program, there isn't an administration for it its simply a request and others answer it type deal.

[11:00 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Just like how the original has been functioning.

[11:01 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: And has the original been functioning.

[11:01 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: The original hasn't gotten any requests.

[11:01 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: So in other words no

[11:01 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Which no act will force people to request things.

[11:02 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: When the program has requests, it functions.

[11:02 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: I think either dissolve it or commit to it.

[11:02 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Okay

[11:02 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: It can't be called a service of the CA if the CA doesn't serve it.

[11:03 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: It is then merely designers making something for clients which the CA takes to any extent credit for.

[11:04 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Are you there?

[11:05 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Im here. Im seeing if anyone has anything else to say before we move on.

[11:06 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: During my sessions I utilize mentions to get people around.

[11:06 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: It seems to be slightly unpopular but I honestly don't care because it works.

[11:06 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Let's try that.

[11:06 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: @Members, is there anything further?

[11:07 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Alright, next we have the Higher Standards of Activity Act, 2022.

[11:07 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Sounds good.

[11:07 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon:
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[11:08 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: This seeks to ensure that nations are active outside of the Cupertino Alliance.

[11:08 AM] Aenöpia: Looks good to me.

[11:09 AM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I concur.

[11:10 AM] Connie Sarah - Caelesta: I concur.

[11:10 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: I think you should specify that the membership attainment ministry should be responsible for documenting and or upholding it and also the contents of the reports.

[11:10 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: That sounds like a reasonable addition.

[11:11 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Is executive expulsion a thing?

[11:11 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: It is in the charter

[11:12 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Because if a formal report has not been issued by the 3rd month (for example) it should fall under the prerogatives of executive expulsion.

[11:12 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: Howcome the acts don't carry the CA coat of arms any longer?

[11:13 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: That's just my acts.

[11:13 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: To get off topic I think the arms should be updated.

[11:14 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: That would most likely fall under a government that doesn't administer the nation, which is a requirement to be a member.

[11:14 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: So hypothetically yes that could be an executive expulsion.

[11:15 AM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Northwood-Oregon is no longer present, @Chris Miller - Galte will be taking over.

[11:16 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: With that I remind the honourable @Members that the session has not been adjourned.

[11:23 AM] Chris Miller - Galte: @Members Citing a lack of active attendance this session I will call a recess for no longer than one hour. The session shall be picked up by either me, the minister responsible or the honourable Chair.

[12:09 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: @Members Session resumes in a quarter

[12:24 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: @Members Session resumes now please restate your presence

[12:25 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Atiera will now participate in the session.

[12:26 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: West Sayville is present intermittently

[12:27 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: I will give a few more minutes leeway

[12:27 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: What topics are left on the agenda

[12:30 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: A few

[12:30 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Let's see

[12:31 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: We still have not closed the discussion on the Higher Standards of Activity Act

[12:31 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: If I may inquire, is the Ross Resolution on the agenda. If not, I would like to schedule its first reading later in the session.

[12:31 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: It is

[12:32 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Anything further on the attached proposition?
@Members

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[12:32 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I completely object to this act.

[12:32 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: It is well intended, but it handles it completely wrong and unfairly

[12:32 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: The current system is better as it is more fluid and allows for nuance

[12:33 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: I object with your objection.

[12:33 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: The current system has caused for this act to be written.

[12:33 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: And I support it wholly.

[12:33 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Hear hear,

[12:34 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: The CA is not a come and go as you please type of social club.

[12:34 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: I agree

[12:35 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Any measures to make the alliance less of a social convention for delegates and more of an intergovernmental organisation, I wholeheartedly support.

[12:36 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Members of the alliance need to wake up and give themselves a reality check, why are they really here? To sit around all day or to make a

useful contribution. Saying this myself is hypocritical of me, but I vow to put in some more work in these following months.

[12:37 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: This has nothing to do with contributing to the alliance.

This is just rigidly asking for national reports.

[12:37 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I would support this act only if that passage was removed. In its current form, I cannot support this act at all.

[12:37 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: And? What's so bad about it?

[12:38 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: I don't think it is about the national reports.

[12:39 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: There are several cases of somewhat dormant nations such as Aenderia and the like which contributed the majority of the alliances services. Under this legislation, despite the delegation actively contributing to the alliance regularly, they would be expelled. I do not think that is right.

[12:39 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: It's about communication as a whole of which national reports is an aspect. Furthermore it is about commitment. If the delegacy is not committed it must be replaced, if the delegacy is not replaced the country must be expelled.

[12:39 PM] Woland - Desert District: I concur.

[12:39 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: I'd like to inform my honourable colleague that Aenderia is no longer even a member of this alliance.

[12:39 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: It was an example.

[12:40 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: An oxymoron.

[12:40 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: A fitting one since it was the most prominent example of such nations. There are many that have come and gone, some still here.

[12:40 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Dormant and actively contributing?

[12:40 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Yes.

[12:40 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: So are you praising the individuals or the memberstate.

[12:40 PM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: A nation that is just a CA delegation isnt a nation.

[12:41 PM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Northwood-Oregon is briefly present.

[12:41 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Because if individuals I would be happy to pass legislation granting non-delegatory membership to certain individuals.

[12:41 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: I was about to propose the same.

[12:42 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I beg to differ. There are plenty of acceptable circumstances in which a micronation may enter a somewhat dormant period related to real life circumstances, extraordinary conditions or even something as simple as a 'no news today, I'm afraid'

[12:43 PM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: No news for months?

[12:44 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Mr. Valentinus, if I may, with no mal intent behind this question, to make you or your memberstate look bad but when was the last time West Sayville actually did something notable or useful for itself?

[12:44 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: You're the Prime Minister, after all.

[12:44 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Have we been talking about the nations activity all this time? Because I thought the legislation concerned the memberstate's communicative connections and activity relative to the alliance.

[12:45 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Well you require a decent amount of activity to provide a national report to the parliament.

[12:45 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: The government has been in a period of haitus due to my work commitments, and has been under a state of emergency for some time due to a private matter relating to our Head of State

[12:47 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Yes.

[12:48 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville

[12:49 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: I interpret that my assumption of what we were going to talk about is correct.

[12:49 PM] Carson S. - Northwood-Oregon: Northwood-Oregon is no longer present.

[12:51 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: Berry Empire is present.

[12:51 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Nothing further?

[12:51 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: None from I.

[12:52 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: None from me

[12:52 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Alrigh

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[12:52 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Next is the Ross Resolution
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[12:52 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: If I may?

[12:53 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Is the floor opened yet?

[12:53 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Got him.

[12:53 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: The floor is open.

[12:53 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: May I have the floor.

[12:53 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: The floor is open.

[12:54 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: In that case, we would fall through

[12:56 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: The Ross Resolution was conceptualised in late 2021 to resolve the matter of the illegal electoral procedures in the January 2021 Chair of the Board election, in which the Ross-Xia Campaign was illegally awarded the election contrary to the Charter Act, 2020.

This resolution serves to merely resolve an outstanding legal discrepancy to ensure a bit of neatness so to say.

In practical terms, do not expect to see anything at all. This resolution is purely a legalese administrative piece.

[12:57 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: If I may?

[12:57 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Go on

[12:58 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: So the act does absolutely nothing. Then why do we need it? Can this just not be a statement from the court? Lame excuse of an act.

[12:58 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: It is not an act per se it is a resolution.

[12:59 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Correct.

[12:59 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: Well then why should it pass through the parliament.

[12:59 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: My original statement still stands.

[12:59 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: It is normal to clear up these things through formal procedure.

[1:00 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Parliament is the legislative organ of the alliance. Whilst the court may make a statement, it is not binding and theoretically would be challenged or altered by a future court.

It is standard for organisations to pass resolutions to resolve matters.

[1:01 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: It is standard for any legislative body to do so if needed.

[1:02 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Anything further?

[1:02 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: @Members

[1:03 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: None.

[1:03 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Alright

[1:04 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: The floor is closed and we shall move on to the next item.

[1:04 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Thus bringing us onto the membership applications.

[1:05 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Which is weird. I thought we were prohibited from processing membership applications due to the internal refocusing act.

[1:06 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: If I may interject here.

[1:06 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Please do

[1:06 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Whilst membership processes are halted, the Chair has opted to continue discussions of such in sessions with the expectation that this act is repealed in the near future.

[1:07 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: Is not the discussion part of the process.

[1:07 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: I will follow the agenda as prescribed but I will state that it is dubious.

[1:08 PM] Tyler Mullins - New Athens: The act states that we can not vote on applicants

[1:08 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: We will be processing the second discussion of the Republic of Conpan.

[1:09 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: For which there are no remarks.

[1:10 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I propose postponing all applicants without remarks

[1:10 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: It isn't fair on either the applicant or parliament

[1:15 PM] Liam Alexander - Atiera: I concur

[1:17 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: @Deputy Minister of European and African Affairs

[1:20 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: That's what I've been saying for a year

[1:21 PM] James B. - Desert District: Why aren't remarks being written?

[1:21 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: It would be most optimal for someone else to take over

[1:22 PM] Chris Miller - Galte: @Cabinet

[1:22 PM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Berry Empire is present. Berry Empire is taking over.

[1:22 PM] Woland - Desert District: Motion to enter the following meme into the record.
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[1:22 PM] James B. - Desert District: Desert District is present. Desert District is not taking over.

[1:22 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I would be willing to serve as a speaker if needed.

[1:23 PM] James B. - Desert District: I'll excuse your memory this once, Woland.

[1:23 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Elmwycke is present.

[1:23 PM] James B. - Desert District: As it's funny.

[1:23 PM] Redberry - Berry Empire: It is recognised that W. Sayville is taking over.

[1:23 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Jolly good show.

[1:23 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Please give me a moment.

[1:23 PM] Redberry - Berry Empire: Berry Empire is no longer present.

[1:23 PM] James B. - Desert District: I object to W. Sayville taking over.

[1:25 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Let us now discuss the application of Frankeinburg.

[1:25 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville:
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1nK2ZWJ-Pbz-FIyopusmbwM9FRBR4UbWt6YAxTLRiB8E/edit?usp=sharing>

[1:25 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: The floor is open.

[1:25 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I'd like to draw attention to this:
https://micronations.wiki/wiki/Frankeinburg_Fascist_Party

[1:26 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: That is very disconcerting

[1:26 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: This alone would lead me to reject this applicant outright

[1:26 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: I concur.

[1:27 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Anything further?

[1:27 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Furthermore, the leader appears to see himself as an almost god-like figure

[1:28 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: As seen from this excerpt of the national anthem:
 We were foully betrayd !
 Let no traitors remain !
 What we lost under them
 Under the Alex wuld gain

[1:29 PM] James B. - Desert District: But they follow "neutrality".

[1:29 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: I think this applicant is not really acceptable into the the alliance.

[1:30 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Shall we proceed onto the next application?

[1:33 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Next is the County of Moorsem. I would prefer to skip this due to the lack of remarks, but for the benefit of this parliament, I shall quote the statement of the Chair from the last session.

[1:33 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville:
 No, their reason for joining is

"I want to grow, both economically and form diplomatic relations with different peoples. Our nation lacks, that feel of professionalism and I want to change that by joining CA"

Their statement on why we should admit is

"I want to make micronationalism seem like its not just some random kids playing as unserious governments, but actual teenagers or adults trying to make a difference in the world. I started my first micronation when I was 10, now I'm 13. And I want to bring peace in the micronational world, and I want to make clear, that everything is possible even run a micronation and be a youth."

And their discord is

<https://discord.gg/42HffPk5mu>

[1:34 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: @Members

[1:34 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke:

If you are on Bastrian territory you must listen to the Moorsemse authorities.

If you do something wrong on Moorsemse premises, you will receive a task penalty.

[1:34 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Seems like they use physical tasks as punishment, which I personally find a bit iffy

[1:35 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: Except for Martin's statement I think they should be accepted.

[1:35 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: Still, there is Martin's statement, and we can't deny it.

[1:36 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I do also think that overall they could be a decent applicant, however.

[1:36 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Anything further?

[1:37 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Not from me.

[1:37 PM] James B. - Desert District: I am denying it.

[1:37 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: That is an incredibly James thing to do.

[1:37 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Thank you.

[1:38 PM] James B. - Desert District: You are welcome.

[1:38 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Next we have the Pinangese Republic.

This applicant has no remarks, and I am willing to skip it should delegates wish to.

https://micronations.wiki/wiki/Pinangese_Republic

[1:39 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: I concur.

[1:39 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: With what?

[1:39 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I'm unsure on Pinang.

[1:40 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: They've got a history, but also a lot of "crises", which we see a lot in undemocratic nations, Tinakula comes to mind.

[1:40 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I personally absolutely reject them due to being full of questionable individuals and disreputable figures

[1:40 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Such as? I'm not too well-versed on their history

[1:40 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: For which I apologise.

[1:41 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Andrew Brotherton, Rafe Burfield

[1:41 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Ah.

[1:41 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: You could have stopped at Brotherton. Mostly because I've never heard of the other one, and I already know too much about Andrew.

[1:43 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Anything further?

[1:44 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Not from me.

[1:45 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Finally, we have the USRM

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1TKGGAv8KaQBcOPHsVM2o5jqZcOAZl6EgfsqhHUrMl8/>

[1:46 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: @Members @Provisional Members

- [1:47 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I'm not entirely sure about this one either.
- [1:49 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I object to these due to the transphobia
- [1:49 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Anything further?
- [1:50 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: I must say, I'm not too excited about the European/African session later.
- [1:51 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: With the fact that we can skip it.
- [1:51 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: I concur.
- [1:52 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: I will set aside ten minutes for delegations to bring up further business. After which, the session will conclude.
- [1:52 PM] Woland - Desert District: Desert District casts strong condemnation on transphobia
- [1:52 PM] Woland - Desert District: It is, to use an ancient Desert District colloquialism dating back to about 2020 AD, a "yikes"
- [1:54 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: As you may or may not care, Waterside Park recently changed its name to Elmwycke.
- [1:55 PM] James B. - Desert District: We don't care!
- [1:55 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Furthermore, tomorrow would have been a day of national celebration, however this has changed to a national day of mourning following the loss of the nation's last Greggs Steak and Cheese roll, after it was consumed this morning.
- [1:57 PM] James B. - Desert District: I would like to announce that the French President is bisexual.
- [1:57 PM] James B. - Desert District:
<https://twitter.com/madiavenir/status/1533393476326408194?s=21&t=WiTq41YYpXULzckXn4iqwg>
- [1:57 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Thank you.
- [1:59 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: On the 27th of March 2012, the average price of diesel was 146.98 pence per litre in the UK.
- [1:59 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: Can we keep this relevant to the alliance please?
- [2:00 PM] Larry Martin - Elmwycke: Sorry. There's just so little to talk about.
- [2:02 PM] Belcity - Berry Empire: Berry Empire is no longer present.
- [2:02 PM] Sertor Valentinus - W. Sayville: The session has now ended, having elapsed a total of 4 hours and 1 minute.

Thank you all for attending today, and I hope to see you all next session.