The Imperial Charter of Aranna



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Chapter I. Imperial Principles

This chapter shall outline the core principles of the Arannese Kaiserstaat, establishing and declaring its sovereignty, the supreme authority and the responsibilities of the Kaiser.

- Article 1. The Arannese Kaiserstaat is a sovereign state, its territorial integrity and independence are inviolable. The Kaiser, as the supreme authority, embodies the sovereignty of the empire and ensures its unity.
- Article 2. The Kaiser shall exercise their powers in accordance with the provisions of this constitution, respecting the rights and freedoms of the citizens.
- Article 3. The defense of the Arannese people, the protection of the Kaiserstaat, its territorial indivisibility and inviolability, are entrusted to the Arannese Landsknechts.
- Article 4. The Arannese Kaiserstaat promotes the consolidation and development of traditions, culture, and development of the ethnic, cultural, linguistic, and religious identity of all indigenous peoples and national minorities of the Arannese Kaiserstaat.

Chapter II. Structure of the Government

The government of the Arannese Kaiserstaat shall consist of the Kaiser, the Royal Advisor, and Magisters appointed by the Kaiser.

Article 1. The Kaiser of the Arannese Kaiserstaat is the supreme head of state, whose authority is only limited by the constitution and the will of the people.

Article 2. The Kaiser:

- a) ensures the inviolability and security of the Empire;
- b) confers and removes governmental and military ranks and titles and appoints an imperial heir;
- c) amends the Imperial Charter of the Aranna in accordance with the will of the People;
- d) represents the Empire in international relations, administers activity with other organizations and nations, and ratifies international documents pertaining to the Empire;
- e) has the authority to dismiss government officials in accordance with the will of the People;
- f) has the authority to enact decrees, edicts, and mandates in order to shape the Empire's laws, regulations, goals, and decisions;

- Article 3. The Royal Advisor of the Arannese Kaiserstaat is the personal advisor of the Kaiser. The Advisor takes orders directly from the Kaiser and must take actions in accordance with either the Kaiser or the Imperial heir in the Kaiser's absence.
- Article 4. The Royal Advisor is chosen by the Kaiser for an indefinite amount of time or until removal from office voluntarily or via a failed vote of confidence.

Article 5. The Royal Advisor:

- a) has the authority to oversee civil affairs of the Empire;
- b) aids the Kaiser in legislative processes of the Empire;
- c) has the authority to administer finances to further imperial projects;
- e) has the authority to make decisions in the Kaiser's name in accordance with the will of the People, though only with the Kaiser's permission;
- f) must only hold allegiance to the Arannese Kaiserstaat. The Royal Advisor may also not be part of an organization that functions similarly to an independent state;

Chapter III. Rights of the People

This chapter of the Imperial Charter establishes and declares the inviolable rights of citizens and foreigners in the Arannese Kaiserstaat.

- Article 1. Every citizen has the Right of Counterrevolution, allowing them to protest and combat unlawful action of the revolutionist plague.
- Article 2. Every citizen of the Arannese Kaiserstaat shall have the right to life, liberty, and security of person, and shall not be subjected to arbitrary arrest, detention, or punishment.
- Article 3. Citizens have the right to freedom of thought, conscience, religion, and expression.
- Article 4. Freedom of the press and freedom of speech shall be protected.
- Article 5. All citizens of the Empire are equal before the law, regardless of religion, upbringing, or social status.
- Article 6. Citizens have the right to freedom of association in political parties and public organizations.
- Article 7. Citizens of the Empire have the inviolable right to private property and enjoyment of public property.

Chapter IV. Duties of the People

This chapter of the Imperial Charter establishes and declares the various duties of imperial citizens.

- Article 1. Citizens have the responsibility to uphold and respect the Constitution and laws of the Arannese Kaiserstaat.
- Article 2. Citizens must respect international treaties signed by the Kaiser on behalf of the Arannese Kaiserstaat.
- Article 3. Imperial citizens must respect the judicial decisions of the Empire and the Imperial court.
- Article 4. Defense of the Empire, of its independence and territorial indivisibility, and respect for its state symbols, are the duties of all imperial citizens.
- Article 5. All citizens of Aranna must be granted an Arannese Passport at a registered Arannese Recruitment Center. The Passport functions as a unique proof of identification signed by either the Kaiser or the Royal Advisor.

Chapter V. Trade liberties and restrictions

This chapter of the Imperial Constitution establishes and declares the trade laws and regulations of the Arannese Kaiserstaat.

- Article 1. Citizens of the Empire are granted the right to engage in lawful trade and commerce.
- Article 2. Citizens have the right to establish businesses, both domestically and internationally, and to participate in the global market.
- Article 3. Citizens have the right to engage in trade without facing undue barriers or discriminatory treatment, in accordance with the laws of the Empire.
- Article 4. Citizens must abide by all decrees and treaties pertaining to trade and commerce both on the territory of the Empire and outside it.

Chapter VIII. Judicial administration

This chapter of the Imperial Constitution describes the judicial administration of the Arannese Kaiserstaat.

- Article 1. Justice in the Arannese Kaiserstaat is administered exclusively by the Imperial Court.
- Article 2. The jurisdiction of the Imperial Court covers any legal dispute and any criminal charge. The Imperial Court also considers other matters in cases prescribed by the law, such as investigations of government officials.
- Article 3. The primary judge of the Empire is the Kaiser. The Kaiser's judicial decisions are administered with participation of a jury composed of regular citizens of the Empire.
- Article 4. The Arannese Kaiserstaat ensures funding and proper conditions for the operation of the Court.
- Article 5. The Imperial Court is the only court to be recognized by the Arannese Kaiserstaat.

Article 6. The main principles of justice are:

- a) equality of all participants in a trial before the law and the Imperial Court;
- b) adversarial procedure and freedom of the parties to present their evidence to the Court and to prove the weight of evidence before the Court;
- c) ensuring the guilt to be proved;
- d) ensuring to an accused the right to defense;
- e) openness of a trial;
- f) reasonable time of case consideration by the Imperial Court;
- g) the legally binding nature of a Court decision;
- h) ensuring the sentence is reasonable for crimes committed;