# The Malachian Constitution

#### **Preamble:**

We, the people of the Malachian Empire, united by our common faith and heritage, do hereby establish this Constitution to create a sovereign, faith-based, non-federal tribal government and micro nation called the Malachian Empire. Guided by the principles of the Malachian Faith, we pledge to uphold the dignity, rights, and liberties of all our citizens, and to work towards a just and prosperous society.

## **Article I: Sovereignty**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall be a sovereign, independent state and micro nation, recognized by the international community.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall have the power to conduct foreign relations, sign treaties, and engage in diplomacy with other nations.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall have the power to regulate its internal affairs, including its economy, legal system, and social policies.

#### **Article II: The Malachian Faith**

- 1. The Malachian Faith shall be the official religion of the Malachian Empire, and shall be protected and promoted by the government.
- 2. All citizens of the Malachian Empire shall have the right to practice their own religion, or to abstain from religion, without interference or discrimination.
- 3. The Malachian Faith shall guide the moral and ethical principles of the Malachian Empire, and shall inform its laws and policies.

### **Article III: The Supreme Council**

- 1. The Supreme Council shall be the highest governing body of the Malachian Empire, and shall be composed of spiritual leaders and representatives from each tribe.
- 2. The Supreme Council shall have the power to pass laws, approve budgets, and make decisions on behalf of the Malachian Empire.
- 3. The Supreme Council shall elect a High Priest or Priestess, who shall serve as the head of state and chief spiritual leader of the Malachian Empire.

### **Article IV: Tribal Autonomy**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall be composed of autonomous tribal territories, each with its own elected leaders and governing bodies.
- 2. Each tribe shall have the power to regulate its own internal affairs, subject to the overall authority of the Supreme Council.

3. The Malachian Empire shall promote cooperation and mutual aid among the tribes, and shall work to resolve conflicts through peaceful means.

## **Article V: Citizenship**

- 1. All individuals who pledge allegiance to the Malachian Empire and accept the Malachian Faith as their own shall be granted citizenship.
- 2. Citizenship shall be granted by the Supreme Council or its designated representatives, and may be revoked for just cause.
- 3. Citizens of the Malachian Empire shall have the right to participate in the government, to vote in elections, and to enjoy the full protection of its laws and policies.

#### **Article VI: Amendments**

- 1. This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Supreme Council.
- 2. Proposed amendments must be submitted in writing, and must be circulated among the tribes for review and feedback.
- 3. Amendments shall take effect immediately upon ratification by the Supreme Council, unless otherwise specified.

## **Article VII: Fundamental Rights**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall recognize and protect the fundamental rights of all its citizens, including the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall guarantee freedom of speech, religion, assembly, and association, as well as the right to a fair trial and due process of law.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall prohibit discrimination based on race, ethnicity, gender, religion, or any other status, and shall ensure equal protection under the law.

### **Article VIII: Justice System**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall establish a fair and impartial justice system, guided by the principles of the Malachian Faith.
- 2. The justice system shall be composed of courts, judges, and law enforcement agencies, and shall be independent of the other branches of government.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall ensure access to justice for all its citizens, and shall provide legal aid and other support for those who cannot afford it.

## **Article IX: Economic System**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall promote economic growth and prosperity for all its citizens, while ensuring social justice and environmental sustainability.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall encourage entrepreneurship, innovation, and investment, while regulating and supervising economic activity to prevent abuse and exploitation.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall establish a system of taxes, tariffs, and other revenue sources, and shall use the proceeds to fund public services and infrastructure.

### **Article X: National Defense**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall establish a strong and effective national defense, to protect its citizens and its sovereignty from external threats.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall maintain a standing army, navy, and air force, as well as a network of intelligence and security agencies.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall cooperate with other nations and international organizations to promote peace and stability in the world.

### Article XI: Education

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall promote education as a fundamental right of all its citizens, and shall provide free and accessible education at all levels.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall ensure that education is of high quality and relevant to the needs of society, and shall encourage lifelong learning and personal development.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall promote research and innovation, and shall support scientific and technological progress for the benefit of all.

### **Article XII: Environment**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall protect the environment and natural resources, and shall promote sustainable development and conservation.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall regulate and supervise activities that may harm the environment, and shall promote responsible and ethical behavior by individuals and organizations.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall cooperate with other nations and international organizations to address global environmental challenges and protect the planet for future generations.

### **Article XIII: Amendments**

- 1. This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Supreme Council.
- 2. Proposed amendments must be submitted in writing, and must be circulated among the tribes for review and feedback.
- 3. Amendments shall take effect immediately upon ratification by the Supreme Council, unless otherwise specified.

## **Article XIV: Supremacy of the Constitution**

- 1. This Constitution shall be the supreme law of the Malachian Empire, and shall prevail over any other law, custom, or tradition.
- 2. All government officials and citizens of the Malachian Empire shall be bound by this Constitution, and shall uphold its principles and values.
- 3. Any law or action that violates this Constitution shall be deemed null and void.

### **Article XV: Transitional Provisions**

- 1. This Constitution shall take effect immediately upon its ratification by the Supreme Council.
- 2. All existing laws, policies, and practices that are inconsistent with this Constitution shall be repealed or amended accordingly.
- 3. All government officials and institutions shall continue to function and perform their duties, unless otherwise specified by the Supreme Council.

## **Article XVI: Territorial Integrity**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall exercise its sovereignty over all its territories, including its land, water, and airspace.
- 2. No external power shall interfere with the territorial integrity and sovereignty of the Malachian Empire, without the consent of its government.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall promote peace and stability in its neighboring regions, and shall respect the territorial integrity of other nations.

### **Article XVII: Dissolution**

- 1. The Malachian Empire may be dissolved by a two-thirds vote of the Supreme Council, following a referendum among the citizens of the Malachian Empire.
- 2. Upon dissolution, the assets, liabilities, and properties of the Malachian Empire shall be distributed according to a plan approved by the Supreme Council.
- 3. The dissolution of the Malachian Empire shall not affect the fundamental rights and liberties of its citizens, and shall be carried out in a peaceful and orderly manner.

## **Article XVIII: Official Language**

- 1. The official language of the Malachian Empire shall be Malachian, the language spoken by the majority of its citizens.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall promote and protect the use of Malachian in all official and public settings, while respecting the right of its citizens to use other languages.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall provide education and support for the learning and use of Malachian, especially for those who do not speak it as their first language.

## **Article XIX: Humanitarian Principles**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall uphold humanitarian principles, and shall provide assistance and protection to those in need, regardless of their nationality or status.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall promote and protect the human rights of all individuals, and shall work to prevent and address violations of human rights and dignity.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall cooperate with other nations and international organizations to address humanitarian crises and promote sustainable development.

## **Article XX: Interpretation**

- 1. The interpretation of this Constitution shall be guided by the principles and values of the Malachian Faith, as well as the context and purpose of its provisions.
- 2. Any ambiguity or conflict in the provisions of this Constitution shall be resolved by the Supreme Council, using a process of dialogue, consultation, and consensus-building.
- 3. The interpretation of this Constitution shall be binding on all government officials and citizens of the Malachian Empire.

## **Article XXI: National Symbols**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall have national symbols that represent its identity and heritage, including a flag, an emblem, and a national anthem.
- 2. The flag of the Malachian Empire shall have a green background, representing the natural beauty of its land, and a golden sun, representing the light of the Malachian Faith.
- 3. The emblem of the Malachian Empire shall have the image of a palm tree, representing the resilience and abundance of its people, and the Malachian symbol of infinity, representing the eternal nature of the Malachian Faith.
- 4. The national anthem of the Malachian Empire shall be "Hymn of the Malachian Empire," composed by a committee of musicians and poets, and approved by the Supreme Council.

# **Article XXII: Public Participation**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall promote public participation in the decision-making process, and shall encourage citizens to express their views, opinions, and ideas on matters of public concern.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall establish mechanisms for public consultation and feedback, and shall provide access to information and data relevant to government policies and decisions.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall foster a culture of civic engagement and community participation, and shall encourage individuals and groups to contribute to the common good of society.

### **Article XXIII: Gender Equality**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall promote gender equality and women's empowerment, and shall eliminate all forms of discrimination and violence against women and girls.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall ensure equal opportunities and rights for women and men in all spheres of life, including education, employment, and political participation.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall promote women's leadership and representation in all levels of government and public life, and shall provide support and resources for women's organizations and initiatives.

## **Article XXIV: Cultural Diversity**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall promote and celebrate cultural diversity, and shall respect and protect the rights and heritage of all its citizens, regardless of their ethnic or cultural background.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall recognize and support the contributions of all cultural groups to its society and history, and shall promote dialogue and understanding among them.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall encourage the preservation and development of cultural expressions, such as art, music, literature, and folklore, and shall ensure their accessibility and enjoyment by all.

### **Article XXV: Social Welfare**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall provide social welfare programs and services to its citizens, especially to those in need, such as the elderly, children, and people with disabilities.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall promote and protect the right to health, education, and housing, and shall ensure access to essential goods and services, such as food, water, and electricity.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall promote social solidarity and mutual aid, and shall encourage individuals and communities to support each other in times of need.

## **Article XXVI: Accountability**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall ensure accountability and transparency in its government and public institutions, and shall hold its officials and leaders responsible for their actions and decisions.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall establish mechanisms for oversight and monitoring, such as audits, inspections, and evaluations, and shall ensure access to information and data relevant to government activities.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall promote a culture of integrity and ethical behavior among its officials and citizens, and shall combat corruption and abuse of power.

### **Article XXVII: International Cooperation**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall engage in international cooperation and diplomacy, and shall promote peace, stability, and prosperity in the world.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall respect and uphold international law and norms, and shall abide by its treaty obligations and commitments.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall contribute to global efforts to address common challenges and issues, such as climate change, poverty, and terrorism, and shall support the work of international organizations and agencies.

### **Article XXVIII: Amendments**

- 1. This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Supreme Council.
- 2. Proposed amendments must be submitted in writing, and must be circulated among the tribes for review and feedback.
- 3. Amendments shall take effect immediately upon ratification by the Supreme Council, unless otherwise specified.

### **Article XXIX: Enactment**

- 1. This Constitution shall come into force and effect upon its adoption by the Supreme Council.
- 2. All laws and regulations inconsistent with the provisions of this Constitution shall be null and void.
- 3. All government officials and citizens of the Malachian Empire shall be bound by this Constitution and shall uphold its principles and values.

#### **Article XXX: Transitional Provisions**

- 1. All government officials and institutions shall continue to function and perform their duties, unless otherwise specified by the Supreme Council.
- 2. All existing laws, policies, and practices that are inconsistent with this Constitution shall be repealed or amended accordingly.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall work to ensure a smooth transition to the new system of government, and shall provide support and assistance to those affected by the changes.

### **Article XXXI: Sovereignty**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall exercise full and exclusive sovereignty over its territories, resources, and affairs, and shall be recognized as a sovereign state under international law.
- 2. No external power shall interfere with the sovereignty and independence of the Malachian Empire, without the consent of its government.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall respect the sovereignty and independence of other nations, and shall promote peaceful relations and cooperation with them.

## Article XXXII: Interpretation

- 1. The interpretation of this Constitution shall be guided by the principles and values of the Malachian Faith, as well as the context and purpose of its provisions.
- 2. Any ambiguity or conflict in the provisions of this Constitution shall be resolved by the Supreme Council, using a process of dialogue, consultation, and consensus-building.
- 3. The interpretation of this Constitution shall be binding on all government officials and citizens of the Malachian Empire.

## **Article XXXIII: National Holidays**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall observe national holidays that commemorate significant events and values in its history and culture.
- 2. The national holidays of the Malachian Empire shall include the founding of the Malachian Empire, Malachian Day of Independence, Malachian Day of Unity, Malachian Day of Cultural Heritage, and other holidays as designated by the Supreme Council.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall encourage the celebration and recognition of national holidays by its citizens, and shall provide support and resources for public events and activities.

### **Article XXXIV: Public Health**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall promote public health and well-being, and shall ensure access to quality health care and services for all its citizens.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall regulate and supervise activities and products that may affect public health, such as food, drugs, and medical devices, and shall promote healthy lifestyles and behaviors.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall establish mechanisms for disease prevention, surveillance, and response, and shall collaborate with other nations and international organizations to address global health challenges.

## **Article XXXV: Rights of Future Generations**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall recognize the rights of future generations, and shall take measures to protect and preserve the environment and resources for their benefit.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall promote sustainable development and conservation, and shall consider the long-term impact of its policies and decisions on the well-being of future generations.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall encourage and support research and innovation that promote sustainable development and resource management.

### **Article XXXVI: Protection of Children**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall protect the rights and interests of children, and shall ensure their well-being and development.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall prohibit child labor, exploitation, and abuse, and shall promote education, health, and social welfare for children.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall establish mechanisms for the protection and care of children who are victims of neglect, violence, or other forms of harm, and shall provide support and resources for their recovery and rehabilitation.

## **Article XXXVII: Promotion of Sports and Culture**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall promote sports and culture as important elements of its society and identity.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall encourage the development and participation in sports and cultural activities, and shall provide support and resources for their promotion and preservation.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall recognize and celebrate the achievements and contributions of its athletes, artists, and cultural workers, and shall promote the exchange and collaboration with other nations and cultures.

## **Article XXXVIII: National Emergency**

- 1. The Malachian Empire may declare a national emergency in times of natural disaster, public health crisis, or other circumstances that threaten the safety and security of its citizens and territory.
- 2. The declaration of a national emergency shall be made by the Supreme Council, and shall specify the nature and scope of the emergency, as well as the measures to be taken to address it.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall ensure that the measures taken in response to a national emergency are necessary, proportionate, and respectful of the fundamental rights and liberties of its citizens.

# **Article XXXIX: Protection of Intellectual Property**

- 1. The Malachian Empire shall protect the rights and interests of creators and innovators, and shall promote the development and dissemination of knowledge and culture.
- 2. The Malachian Empire shall establish a system of intellectual property rights that recognizes and protects the value and contribution of intellectual works and creations, and shall encourage and reward creativity and innovation.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall regulate and supervise the use and exploitation of intellectual property, and shall ensure that it serves the public interest and promotes social and economic development.

### **Article XL: National Service**

- 1. The Malachian Empire may require its citizens to perform national service, such as military or civil service, for the benefit and defense of the state.
- 2. The obligation to perform national service shall be determined by law, and shall be applied fairly and equitably to all citizens.
- 3. The Malachian Empire shall provide adequate training, support, and compensation for those who perform national service, and shall recognize and honor their contribution and sacrifice.

### **Article XLI: Dissolution**

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Done and ratified by the Supreme Council of the Malachian Empire, on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of the 2023 year of our Lord.