

 THE CONFEDERATED EMPIRE OF BIR TAWIL
AND TERRITORIES

Official Decrees of the Continuous Imperial Chancellery

DOCUMENT 31: THE IMPERIAL LETTER OF
FRIENDSHIP, CULTURAL PRESERVATION, AND
INTRODUCTION
PROJECT OSIRIS DIPLOMATIC MISSION TO THE
PEOPLES OF THE BIR TAWIL REGION

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EXPEDITION MOTTO
VIRTUS, CONCORDIA, AETERNITAS
Courage, Harmony, Eternity

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FROM THE DESK OF HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY,
HIM EMPEROR BRYCE L.S.P. IVREA I,
Basileus and Autokrator of the Confederated Empire
and all its Sovereign Domains.
TO THE RESPECTED ELDERS, COMMUNITY
LEADERS, FAMILIES, AND PEOPLES OF THE BIR
TAWIL REGION:
WITH RESPECT, HONOR, AND GOODWILL:

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PREAMBLE: THE PURPOSE OF PROJECT OSIRIS
The Imperial Chancellery extends this message in the
spirit of friendship, learning, and peaceful cooperation.

Project Osiris has been established as an expedition dedicated first to understanding the people, history, culture, and traditions of the region. The Crown declares that before any discussion of future projects, the first duty of the Expedition is to listen.

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ARTICLE I: THE HAND OF FRIENDSHIP

The Confederated Empire extends a sincere invitation for dialogue with the communities connected to the Bir Tawil region.

The Expedition seeks to learn from:

community elders;
local families;
cultural keepers;
historians;
spiritual leaders;
traditional knowledge holders.

The wisdom of a people is among the greatest treasures of any land.

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ARTICLE II: THE CULTURAL AND SPIRITUAL PRESERVATION MISSION

Project Osiris shall establish a Cultural Preservation Mission dedicated to recording and honoring the heritage of the peoples encountered.

With the permission and guidance of community
representatives, the Expedition seeks to document:
oral histories;
traditions;
customs;
languages;
ceremonies;
religious beliefs and practices.

The purpose of this work shall be understanding,
preservation, and respect.

The Expedition shall never seek to replace, interfere
with, or diminish the spiritual traditions of any people.

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ARTICLE III: THE IMPERIAL LANGUAGE AND ARCHIVE INITIATIVE

The Expedition shall seek, with the approval of cultural
representatives, to preserve important cultural materials
in their original languages.

Where requested and appropriate, Project Osiris shall
assist in creating:

written records;
translated documents;
cultural archives;
educational materials.

The original language and voice of the people shall
always be preserved alongside any translation.

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ARTICLE IV: THE PRINCIPLE OF COOPERATION

The Imperial Expedition approaches the region under
the principle:

NON DOMINARI, SED COOPERARI

Not to Dominate, but to Cooperate.

The foundation of all future relations shall be:

respect;

honesty;

friendship;

mutual benefit.

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ARTICLE V: THE INVITATION OF CONTINUED DIALOGUE

The Imperial Chancellery welcomes communication
regarding:

cultural exchange;

humanitarian concerns;

environmental research;

educational cooperation;

future friendship initiatives.

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ARTICLE VI: THE PROMISE OF PROJECT OSIRIS

The members of Project Osiris pledge to enter the
region with:

Courage without arrogance.

Curiosity without disrespect.

Strength with compassion.

Ambition guided by honor.

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GIVEN UNDER OUR HAND AND THE GREAT SEAL
OF THE EMPIRE.

SIGNED,

HIM Emperor Bryce L.S.P. Ivrea I

VIRTUS, CONCORDIA, AETERNITAS

VAE VICTIS

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