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Third Ballot Concluded

9th February, 2020 —His Serenity the Rector hereby gives notice that the fourth Ballot has successfully concluded, with the following results:

- The turnout of the Ballot was 100%.
- The first item, **P002-007** a.k.a. the Culture Act 2020, was **passed with** 75%, or 3 votes, in favour.
- The second item, P002-008 a.k.a. the Currency Act 2020, was passed unanimously.
- The third item, C002-009 a.k.a. the the Charter of Incorporation for the Celestial Mint, was passed unanimously.

The texts of these items are included in the following pages.

P002-007

Be it enacted by the Grand Forum of All Citizens, as follows—
PROPOSITION 002-007
CULTURE ACT 2020

An Act to establish a Magistracy for Culture, to promote the identity of the Beaconite nation and people.

Section A: Establishment of the Magistracy

- 1. There is to be a Magistracy for Culture ('the Magistracy').
- The Magistracy is to be led by a Cultural Magistrate, elected by the Grand Forum.
- 3. The Magistracy is mandated to manage the following areas of policy:
 - (a) Promotion of the Beaconite national identity;
 - (b) Encouraging participation in the Beaconite culture;
 - (c) Protecting the Beaconite culture.
- 4. The Cultural Magistrate may appoint a Deputy Cultural Magistrate.

CHAPTER II ON THE UNDERMAGISTRACY FOR EVENTS

Section A: Establishment of the Undermagistracy for Events

- 1. Within the Magistracy there is to be an Undermagistracy for Events (within this Chapter, 'the Undermagistracy').
- 2. The Undermagistracy is to be led by an Events Undermagistrate, named by the Magistrate.
- The Undermagistracy is mandated to manage the following areas of policy:
 - (a) Organising events to celebrate Beaconite culture;
 - (b) Promoting independent events to celebrate Beaconite culture.

Section B: Organisation of events

- 1. The Undermagistracy is to, where necessary and feasible, organise events to celebrate Beaconite culture.
- The Undermagistracy is to encourage and promote the organisation of independent events celebrating Beaconite culture.
- 3. The Undermagistracy is to prefer the encouragement of independent events over organising its own, where possible.
- 4. The Undermagistracy may fund the organisation of independent events.

CHAPTER III ON THE UNDERMAGISTRACY FOR CREATIVITY

Section A: Establishment of the Undermagistracy for Creativity

- 1. Within the Magistracy there is to be an Undermagistracy for Creativity (within this Chapter, 'the Undermagistracy').
- 2. The Undermagistracy is to be led by a Creative Undermagistrate, named by the Magistrate.
- 3. The Undermagistracy is mandated to manage the following areas of policy:
 - (a) Encouragement of arts, media, and the creative industries;
 - (b) Encouragement of those arts, media, and creative industries, that represent Beaconite culture.

Section B: Encouragement of creatives

- 1. The Undermagistracy is to encourage the development of the creative industries in Our Serene Republic.
- 2. To this end, the Undermagistracy may:
 - (a) Fund the creative industries;
 - (b) Promote the works of the creative industries;
 - (c) Reward particularly impressive and notable creations.
- 3. The Undermagistracy may give particular encouragement to those works that best represent or develop the Beaconite culture.

CHAPTER IV On the Undermagistracy for National Heritage

Section A: Establishment of the Undermagistracy for National Heritage

- 1. Within the Magistracy there is to be an Undermagistracy for National Heritage (within this Chapter, 'the Undermagistracy').
- 2. The Undermagistracy is to be led by a National Heritage Undermagistrate, named by the Magistrate.
- The Undermagistracy is mandated to manage the following areas of policy:
 - (a) Protecting sites of historical importance.

Section B: The Heritage Register

- 1. The Undermagistracy is to protect those sites that are of historical importance.
- 2. To this end, the Undermagistracy is to name such sites to a Heritage Register.
- Those sites on the Heritage Register are to be protected by the Undermagistracy from damage or destruction, and maintained.
- 4. Those sites that are fit for visiting, the Undermagistracy is to allow and encourage such visits to raise awareness of the history of the site.

P002-008

Be it enacted by the Grand Forum of All Citizens, as follows— PROPOSITION 002-008 CURRENCY ACT 2020

An Act to establish a currency for Our Serene Republic.

CHAPTER I ON THE BEACONITE MOON

Section A: Establishment of the Beaconite Moon

- There is to be a national currency for Our Serene Republic, known as the Beaconite Moon.
- 2. The Beaconite Moon is to be the primary currency of Our Serene Republic, and to be the currency accepted by the Inland Revenue Service for the payment of taxes and fines. The Inland Revenue Service may also choose to accept the Pound Sterling or the Euro.

Section B: Units of the Beaconite Moon

- 1. The primary unit of the Beaconite Moon is to be, naturally, the Moon.
- 2. The Moon is to be divided into thirty Suns.

CHAPTER II ON THE CREATION OF COINAGE

Section A: Creation of currency

- 1. The Celestial Mint is to produce coinage for the Beaconite Moon in the following denominations:
 - (a) 1 Sun;
 - (b) 5 Suns;
 - (c) 10 Suns;
 - (d) 1 Moon:
 - (e) 3 Moons;
 - (f) 12 Moons.
- The Celestial Mint may also produce coinage of non-standard values in small quantities, for special purposes. These may either be circulated at face value or sold at a higher price.

Section B: Appropriation of funds

1. A one-time appropriation of 30 GBP is to be made from the Grand General Fund to the Celestial Mint for this purpose.

C002-009

As proclaimed by the Grand Forum of All Citizens,

CHARTER 002-009

CHARTER OF INCORPORATION FOR THE CELESTIAL MINT

Whereas in view of the Beaconite people having the desire to have a national currency, in order to promote our economy, financial independence, and culture, and to manage such a currency in our national interest;

And whereas we believe that it would greatly promote these Objectives and be for the public benefit if a Corporation charged with these duties were created by exercise of a Charter of Incorporation,

It is so that we do by exercise of a Charter of Incorporation give and grant as follows:

INCORPORATION

- There is to be a Body Corporate, known as the Celestial Mint. As such, it is to be capable in law of holding property, filing and facing suit in a Justicial Council, and taking all actions necessary or incidental to a Body Corporate, with exception that any surplus revenue must be applied solely to other projects of the Corporation.
- 2. The Celestial Mint is to be wholly owned by Our Serene Republic.
- The Rector, the Treasurial Magistrate, (or appointed representatives thereof) and a Governor of the Celestial Mint elected by the Grand Forum are to serve on an Executive Board.
- The Executive Board is to make any decisions by a majority vote of its members.

CORPORATE OBJECTIVES

The objectives for which the Celestial Mint is established and incorporated are—

- 1. To design and produce coinage for Our Serene Republic, in accordance with P002-008.
- 2. To design and produce other coinage on paid contract.
- 3. To manage the value of the Beaconite Moon with the aims to:
 - (a) Maximise Beaconite economic performance;
 - (b) Maximise employment;
 - (c) Maintain a steady and usable currency.
- 4. To do other such things that may seem necessary or incidental to these Corporate Objectives.