



The Adrian Empire

L'Bete and Gabriele, by the Grace of God and Will of the Estates, Emperor and Empress of the Catholic and Sovereign Empire of Adria; Kings of Aleon, Navarre, and Pembroke; Dukes of Annelynrose, Brittany, Calais, Isle-de-Fleur, and Snowden; Barons of Isenwold, Grenfeld, Hanover, and Lyon; Lords of the

Outlands and Islands; and Sovereigns of all Their Other Lands and Territories, to Their Patriarch, Archbishops, Bishops, and Clerics; Kings, Princes, and Dukes; Earls, Viceroyes, and Viscounts; Champions, Masters, Premiers, and Wardens; Justicars, Sheriffs, and Governors; Knights, Masters, and Ministers; and all Their faithful subjects:

Greetings,

Be it known to all to whom these presents come that We, L'Bete and Gabriele, Emperor and Empress of all Adria, do hereby grant this Amended Charter to the Kingdom of Esperance according to Our Laws and Customs, as amended by the Imperial Estates in March anno ludus xxxi, being mxxvii in the Common Era.

We do hereby reaffirm the power of the Royal Crown to appoint Ministers necessary for the functioning of the Kingdom's government as outlined in Article VII of the Bylaws of this Empire. Said Ministers must report to their Crowns and their corresponding Imperial Minister at the intervals specified by that Imperial Minister, the Imperial Crown, or the Imperial Estates. We do hereby reaffirm the power of the Royal Crown to create local Estates in accordance with Adrian Law and Customs.

We do hereby reaffirm that the Royal Crown shall enjoy all the rights accorded to Monarchs. The Royal Crown shall remain in office until the regular Royal Crown War, the Royal Estates deem fit to replace them, Civil War is declared and the Royal Crown is defeated, the Kingdom petitions for reduction to Ducal status, the Imperial Estates reduce the Kingdom to a Duchy, the Royal Crown themselves decide to retire, or the Kingdom fails to retain membership sufficient for or otherwise meet the criteria for Kingdom status. All these conditions will be in accordance with Adrian Law and Custom.

We, according to Our Laws, do hereby fix territory of the Kingdom of Esperance to be the Counties of Orange, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, Ventura, San Bernardino, and Riverside (including any islands mundanely included therewith), in the mundane State of California, except: the lands within the boundary of I-10 from the California/Arizona border to CA-62, to CA-247, to I-15, to the Nevada border, along the Nevada border, and along the California/Arizona border, to I-10.

It is also sworn, both on Our part, and on that of the Estates, that all the aforesaid shall be observed in good faith, and without any evil intention.

By Our hand this xv day of July, anno ludus xxxi, being mxxvii in the Common Era.



*L'Bete de Acma, Emperor
Gabriele Silverhand, Empress*