

Treaty of the Tides

Preamble:

The Treaty of the Tides outlines the guidelines, protocols, and the official establishment of an Intergovernmental Organization named the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization. This treaty aims to establish a body and platform for promoting cooperation, communication, and prosperity among Member States.

Article I - Establishment of the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization:

The Treaty of the Tides brings together four nation-states to officially establish the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization. The four nation-states involved in this establishment are the United Kingdoms of Derovia, the Republic of Dostykstan, the State of Hokoria, and the Tsardom of Kaltarsia.

Article II - Communication Among Member States:

The Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization provides an effective and efficient platform for communication among all Member States. Regardless of the method used, all communication platforms provided by the organization must be accessible and visible to all Member States.

Article III - Cooperation Among Member States:

The Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization offers a platform for planning, discussing, and executing joint projects among Member States. These projects are open to all Member States, whether involving two or all members.

Article IV - Membership Application Process:

Article IV A - Application Procedure:

To initiate the process of joining the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization, a nation must complete an application provided by the organization itself. Upon submission, the application information shall be shared with all Member States.

Article IV B - First Voting Round:

Once an applicant nation submits its application, the information from the application shall be shared with all Member States. Each Member State shall review the provided information, which shall be followed by a vote between all Member States to determine whether the applicant should become a Candidate State. This vote, known as the "First Voting Round," shall require the approval of at least 60% of the Member States for the applicant nation to become a Candidate State.

Article IV C - Candidate State Status:

Upon receiving approval from 60% of the Member States, the applicant nation shall become a "Candidate State" of the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization. During this phase, the Candidate State shall engage in communication and negotiations with full Member States. However, full membership requires unanimous approval from all Member States.

Article IV D - Final Voting Round:

Once all Member States unanimously approve the Candidate State, a second vote, the "Final Voting Round," is conducted. If the Candidate State gains unanimous approval from the Member States, it becomes a full Member State of the organization. Failure to secure unanimous approval maintains the Candidate State status.

Article IV E - Attainment of Membership:

With unanimous approval from all Member States in the Final Voting Round, the Candidate State shall advance to full membership within the organization. this full Member State shall enjoy the same rights and powers as the preceding members.

Article V - Expulsion and Withdrawal of Member States:

Article V A - Withdrawal Procedure:

A Member State seeking to leave the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization must initiate a "Withdrawal Process." This involves notifying all other Member States of the intent to withdraw, and withdrawing from ongoing joint projects within a week of initiating the Withdrawal Procedure.

Article V B - Expulsion Procedure:

For expelling a Member State, an "Expulsion Process" must be initiated by a(n) initiating Member State(s). The initiating Member State(s) shall provide reasons for expulsion, leading to a vote among all Member States of the Organization, excluding the state under consideration. For the Member State to be expelled, a Unanimous agreement must be achieved.

Article VI - Modification of the Base Treaty:

The Treaty of the Tides, the founding treaty and "Base Treaty" of the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization, outlines the organization's main protocols, procedures and processes. Over time, amendments, additions and other modifications may be proposed. To proceed with any modifications, all Member States discuss the topic, commencing the "Modification Process" for the Treaty of the Tides or other Base Treaties. A unanimous vote is necessary to draft a new Base Treaty. If this fails, the Modification Process shall end. If unanimous agreement is reached, a new Base Treaty shall be drafted. Member States will then have a period of one month to unanimously ratify the new treaty. Failure to ratify the treaty within the timeframe results in the continuation of the existing treaty. With unanimous ratification, the new Base Treaty shall take effect, superseding the preceding treaty.

Signatures:

Upon the signing of all listed signatories below, the Treaty of the Tides shall go into effect, formally establishing the Global Oceanic Cooperation Organization.

High King Jakub of the United Kingdoms of Derovia

Jakub

President Daniel R. Gomez of the Republic of Dostykstan

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Representative Wack-i Aytch of the State of Hokoria

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Tsar Aaron I of the Tsardom of Kaltarsia

Aaron

Main Leader Asa Ward of the Oligarch State of Curnon

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President Eric Ljunggren of the Republic of Nilux

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