

## **CONSTANTINE IX**

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# An Act relating to the Establishment of an Organisation of Officers of the Peace

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### E IT ENACTED, by the Office of the Prime Minister of the New

Sarovian Empire and Her Colonies and Dominions, with the advice and consent of the Imperial Parliament thereof, as follows:

#### The Purpose of The Peace Officer Act

1. Whereas the necessity for a properly managed and bureaucratic institution to continue to ensure the peace of Sarovians at home and abroad has arised, the establishment of the Imperial Sarovian Constabulary (abbreviated as the ISC) shall be created. The Imperial Sarovian Constabulary is a federalized Sarovian police force that manages, patrols and has authority over all Sarovian territory including colonies and dominions, such as Carolusburg and Philippia. This institution shall have jurisdiction over all Sarovian residents and citizens, and authority to command and apprehend those suspected to have committed a crime in all Sarovian territory.

#### Definition of a Peace Officer

- 2. A Peace Officer of the Imperial Sarovian Constabulary is defined as a civil officer appointed to preserve law and order, granted jurisdiction in militarised and social Sarovia. A peace officer may hold other official titles defined in subsection a, though their official title does not differentiate their responsibilities. There are civic, standard and militarised peace officers. Their responsibilities and powers are the same, though their methodology is different. A peace officer is any of the following titles:
  - a) A civil peace officer may be a mayor, a prison warden or a governor. They are peace officers only by the necessity to command other peace officers, and though have the necessary powers as any other peace officer they are not expected to wield it more so command other peace officers to do so.
  - b) A standard peace officer may be a police officer, constable, bailiff, commissioner, any rank of the Imperial Sarovian Constabulary or any subsidiaries or any other person employed for the preservation and maintenance of the public peace or for the execution of civil process.
  - c) A militarised peace officer is any constable who is assigned to a duty to oversee and maintain peace in the Imperial Armed Forces, who are appointed or volunteer to do so.

#### The Establishment of the Imperial Sarovian Constabulary

3. Whereas the necessity for a properly managed and bureaucratic institution to continue to ensure the peace of Sarovians at home and abroad has arised, the establishment of the

Imperial Sarovian Constabulary (abbreviated as the ISC) shall be created. The Imperial Sarovian Police, also known through their predecessor's name as the Imperial Sarovian Armed Police (ISAP) are the federal police of New Sarovia and its possessions, providing law enforcement and investigative power at all levels. Some operations include: enforcing laws including internal security, border integrity, organized crime, and other related matters; providing counter-terrorism and domestic security; providing protection services for the monarch, governor generals, prime ministers, their families and residences, and other ministers of the Crown, visiting dignitaries, and diplomatic missions; and participating in various international policing efforts.

#### The Organisation of the Imperial Sarovian Constabulary

- 4. The Imperial Sarovian Constabulary will have two Task Forces, each with three Detachments. The Imperial Sarovian Police is led overall by a Commissioner, to be appointed by the Prime Minister and confirmed by the Emperor. The Commissioner shall supervise each Division of the Constabulary of which there are two and ensure it is staffed and each of its Detachments are functioning. The Commissioner may assign Constables wherever necessary within the Task Forces and Detachments depending on necessity. This organisation is:
  - a) Task Force Alpha
    - i) PMO's Detachment (For protecting the Prime Ministers of the Commonwealth)
    - ii) Training Depot Detachment (for training new peace officers)
    - iii) Anti-Terrorism Detachment (elite detachment trained for all types of scenarios)
  - b) Task Force Bravo
    - i) Northern Detachment (Provinces of Preuze/Upper Preuze/Sarholm)
    - ii) Southern Detachment (Provinces of Kiev/Vurgos)
    - iii) Philippian Detachment

#### Entrance Into the Imperial Sarovian Constabulary

5. The Commissioner shall establish an Entrance Exam, to which any Sarovian can apply - civil or military. If accepted, they shall be given an official ISC Code Name and are to equip themselves for Constabulary duties as soon as possible.

#### The Authority of a Peace Officer

6. A peace officer is granted additional authority in order to maintain law, order and peace within Sarovian territory and respond to threats as necessary where a militarised response is unlawful or unwarranted. Peace officers have the authority to:

- a) Command other peace officers of lower rank or status,
- b) Authorise operations and arrests if necessary,
- c) To conduct patrols, and to enforce border integrity and security,
- d) And to command civilians in legal situations.

#### The Powers of a Peace Officer

- 7. A peace officer is granted additional powers in order to maintain law, order and peace within Sarovian territory and respond to threats as necessary where a militarised response is unlawful or unwarranted. Peace officers have the power to:
  - a) Without a warrant, detain an individual who has committed a crime, is suspected of committing a crime, is in the act of committing a crime, is thought to have committed a crime or planning to commit a crime,
  - b) With a warrant, detain any individual for the reason of their warrant, which a warrant must be granted by a judge,
  - c) May question, interrogate, or temporarily detain an individual in which they are suspicious about within a reasonable doubt,
  - d) May recommend to a Commissioner to discharge from an organisation, guild or group.

#### Responsibilities of a Peace Officer

- 8. A peace officer has the responsibility to enforce legislation passed by the Imperial Parliament and posted on the official website. Commissioners and Superintendents may set the level of enforcement and the intensity, though no law may be overlooked. Other responsibilities include:
  - a) A duty to report any and all crimes, potential crimes, or suspected crimes or infractions,
  - b) A duty to enforce the law, by whatever means appropriate and necessary,
  - c) A duty to protect, serve and help all citizens and residents of Sarovia,
  - d) A duty to follow orders from superiors.