# **ASGARDIA**

# PARLIAMENT



# PROTOCOL 7th PARLIAMENTARY SITTING OF ASGARDIA 03-05 ARIES 0004 (28 FEBRUARY - 01 MARCH 2020)

### TYPE AND LOCATION

The 7th Parliamentary Sitting of Asgardia was held on 03-05 Aries 0004 (28 February - 01 March 2020) in the form of digital presence, using platforms ZOOM, SLACK and the electronic voting system of Asgardia.

### **REGISTRATION AND QUORUM**

Registration was carried out on the digital platform of Asgardia.

At the time of the registration, the Parliament constituted 105 members (AMPs), who were authorized to be admitted to registration and voting.

Registration, corresponding to the report of the Mandate Commission **79** parliamentarians (AMPs), was **75,24%**, exceeding the required quorum total of 50% + 1 Asgardian Members of Parliament.

The quorum was achieved.

### **A**GENDA

The agenda for the Sitting had been provisionally published on the Slack platform, and is attached to this Protocol in Annex No. 1.

### **VOTING ON ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA**

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №1:

Voted:	79
In Favour:	77
Disagree:	2
Abstain:	0
% votes «In Favour»:	97,47 %
Decision on this agenda item:	Agenda approved

### **VOTING ON AGENDA ITEMS**

# 1. Asgardia Citizens' Rights Act.

To adopt in third reading, taking into account additions and comments.

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission  $\mathbb{N}2$ :

Voted:	79
In Favour:	74
Disagree:	2
Abstain:	3
% votes «In Favour»:	93,67 %
Decision:	Approved

# 2. Asgardia Civil Servants Act.

To adopt in third reading, taking into account additions and comments.

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission  $\mathbb{N}3$ :

Voted:	79
In favour:	67
Disagree:	3
Abstain:	8
% votes «In Favour»:	84,81%
Decision:	Approved

# 3. Judiciary Law.

To adopt in first reading, taking into account additions and comments.

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №4:

Voted:	79
In Favour:	68
Disagree:	3
Abstain:	7
% votes «In Favour»:	86,07%
Decision:	Approved

# 4. National Budget for year 2019 (year 0003 on Asgardian calendar).

To take note of the national budget for year 2019.

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №5:

Voted:	79
In favour:	61
Against:	12
Abstained:	6
% votes «In favour»:	77,22%
Decision:	Approved

5. National Budget for year 2020 (year 0004 on Asgardian calendar) as a whole.

To approve the national budget for year 2020 as a whole.

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №6:

Voted:	79
In favour:	57
Against:	14
Abstained:	8
% votes «In favour»:	72,15%
Decision:	Approved

6. Amendments to Act on Acts, Section 12.

### Section 12

# Currently reads:

- 1. Parliament and its various Committees exercise the legislative powers of Asgardia.
- 2. Parliament can enact and amend acts necessary for the functioning of Asgardia, in Earth or in outer space, including matters related to:

# Proposed amended section to read as follows:

- 1. Parliament and its various Committees exercise the legislative powers of Asgardia.
- 2. Parliament can introduce, enact and amend acts adopted by itself, including on matters related to:

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №7:

Voted:	79
In favour:	72
Against:	6
Abstained:	1
% votes «In favour»:	91.13%
Decision:	Approved

### 7. Amendments to Act on Acts, Section 15.

#### Section 15

### Currently reads:

- 4. The right to submit a legislative proposal to Parliament is limited to:
- a. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- b. The collective agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- c. The Prime Minister in consultation with the Supreme Space Council;

d. The Head of Nation.

# Proposed amended section to read as follows:

- 4. The right to submit a legislative proposal to Parliament is limited to:
- a. The collective agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- b. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- c. Chair of Parliament;
- d. The Prime Minister;
- e. The Supreme Justice;
- f. The Head of Nation.

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №8:

Voted:	79
In favour:	65
Against:	9
Abstained:	4
% votes «In favour»:	82.28%
Decision:	Approved

### 8. Amendments to Act on Acts, Section 19.

### Section 19

### Currently reads:

- 2. The right to submit a legislative amendment to Parliament is limited to:
- a. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- b. The collective of agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- c. The Prime Minister in consultation with the Supreme Space Council;
- d. The Head of Nation.

# Proposed amended section to read as follows:

- 2. The right to submit a legislative amendment to Parliament is limited to:
- a. The collective agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- b. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- c. Chair of Parliament;
- d. The Prime Minister;
- e. The Supreme Justice;

### f. The Head of Nation.

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №9:

Voted:	79
In favour:	66
Against:	8
Abstained:	3
% votes «In favour»:	83.54%
Decision:	Approved

### 9. Amendments to Act on Acts, Section 21.

### Section 21

# Currently reads:

- 2. The right to submit a legislative annulment to Parliament is limited to:
- a. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- b. The collective of agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- c. The Prime Minister in consultation with the Supreme Space Council;
- d. The Head of Nation.

### Proposed amended section to read as follows:

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- b. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- c. Chair of Parliament;
- d. The Prime Minister;
- e. The Supreme Justice;
- f. The Head of Nation

In accordance with the report of the Counting Commission №10:

Voted:	79
In favour:	64
Against:	10
Abstained:	3
% votes «In favour»:	81.01%
Decision:	Approved

In accordance with the Agenda, the following issues were discussed:

- a) Accept the resignation of Government under Article 33, Section 10, subsection (f) of the Constitution of Asgardia
- b) Reports of Chairs of Committees to Parliament
- c) Schedule of debating on draft laws during next SuperZoom sitting of Parliament
  - Asgardia Business Act
  - Asgardia Companies Act
  - Asgardia Intellectual Properties Act
  - Medical Insurance Act
  - National Currency Law
- d) Forthcoming events for this year in Asgardia agenda.

The Chair of Parliament made a closing statement.

Lembit Öpik,

**Chair of Parliament** 

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# APPENDIX №1 TO PROTOCOL

7th SITTING OF PARLIAMENT OF ASGARDIA 03-05 ARIES 0004 (28 FEBRUARY - 01 MARCH 2020)

### **AGENDA**

### 28.02.2020

1. Official Opening of the sitting. Procedural issue. Recording of quorum and adoption of the agenda of the meeting.

Speaker: Lembit Öpik, Chair of Parliament

Open voting.

Open recording of quorum.

Make any announcements relevant to the Sitting.

Draft decision: Approve the agenda of the sitting of the Parliament

### 29.02.2020

Opening of second day of sitting.

1. Citizens' Rights Act (Third Reading).

Speaker: Paul Lovette

Debate on final version of legislation

Draft decision: Adopt on third reading taking into account additions and comments

2. Civil servants Act (Third reading).

Speaker: Benjamin Dell, Deputy Chair of Parliament

Debate on final version of legislation.

Draft decision: Adopt on third reading taking into account additions and comments

### 3. Judiciary Law (First Reading).

Speaker: Sotirios Mouzakitis, Justice Committee

Draft decision: Adopt on first reading, taking into account additions and comments

### 4. National Budget.

a) National budget for year 2019 (year 0003 on Asgardian calendar)

Draft decision: Take note of the national budget for year 2019

b) National budget for year 2020 (year 0004 on Asgardian calendar)

Draft decision: Approve the national budget for year 2020 as a whole

### 5. Amendments to Act on Acts.

To vote on the following amendments to Act on Acts:

### Section 12

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### Proposed amended section to read as follows:

- 1. Parliament and its various Committees exercise the legislative powers of Asgardia.
- 2. Parliament can introduce, enact and amend acts adopted by itself, including on matters related to:

Draft decision: Adopt amendment to section 12

### Section 15

### Currently reads:

- 4. The right to submit a legislative proposal to Parliament is limited to:
- a. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;

- b. The collective agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- c. The Prime Minister in consultation with the Supreme Space Council;
- d. The Head of Nation.

# Proposed amended section to read as follows:

- 4. The right to submit a legislative proposal to Parliament is limited to:
- a. The collective agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- b. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- c. Chair of Parliament:
- d. The Prime Minister;
- e. The Supreme Justice;
- f. The Head of Nation.

Draft decision: Adopt amendment to section 15

### Section 19

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- b. The collective of agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- c. The Prime Minister in consultation with the Supreme Space Council;
- d. The Head of Nation.

### Proposed amended section to read:

- 2. The right to submit a legislative amendment to Parliament is limited to:
- a. The collective agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- b. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- c. Chair of Parliament:
- d. The Prime Minister:
- e. The Supreme Justice;
- f. The Head of Nation.

Draft decision: Adopt amendment to section 19

### Section 21

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# Proposed amended section to read:

- 2. The right to submit a legislative annulment to Parliament is limited to:
- a. The collective agreement of at least 5% of the citizens of Asgardia at the time when the legislative proposal is made;
- b. A group of 30 [thirty] or more Members of Parliament;
- c. Chair of Parliament;
- d. The Prime Minister;
- e. The Supreme Justice;
- f. The Head of Nation.

Draft decision: Adopt amendment to section 21

### 6. Resignation of Government.

Draft decision: Accept the resignation of Government under Article 33, Section 10, subsection (f) of the Constitution of Asgardia

### 7. Reports by the Committees of Parliament.

Reports will be made with consideration for the following terms of operation of Committees:

- a) The main goals of the committees are:
  - Lawmaking
  - Evaluation of the proposed legislation.

- b) Every Parliamentary Committee devotes most of its attention to their specific area.
- c) Every Committee collaborates with the necessary ministries the work of which concerns its particular area, and with the Administration of the Head of Nation.
- d) Committees should coordinate their work with the according ministry.
- e) All Committees should provide a written report, not longer than 2,000 words, to the Chair

of Parliament by 12.00 UTC on 23 Pisces 0004 (20th February 2020).

Draft decision: Take note of the reports

- 8. To report that the following legislative proposals will be debated at a separate sitting of Parliament ('Superzoom'):
  - 1) Asgardia BusinessAct
  - 2) Asgardia Companies Act
  - 3) Asgardia Intellectual PropertiesAct
  - 4) Medical InsuranceAct
  - 5) National Currency Act

### 01.03.2020

1. Organizational issues of the Parliament. Summing up the results of voting on the agenda of the meeting of the Parliament.

Speaker: Lembit Öpik, Chair of Parliament

- 2. Forthcoming events for this year in the Asgardia agenda.
- 3. Closing of sitting.