# TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN THE ROYAL KINGDOM OF GOTZBORG AND THE INDEPENDENT REALM OF ERGONIA

## I. Recognition and Friendship

1. The Royal Kingdom of Gotzborg and the Independent Realm of Ergonia, hereinafter referred to as the "Treaty Parties", shall from this point forward, for as long as both continue to exist or desire this agreement to remain in-force, be in a perpetual state of mutual recognition and friendship, respecting each other's independence and sovereignty.

2. The Treaty Parties commit to the peaceful resolution of any and all disagreements that may occur to estrange or otherwise alienate them from one another.

3. The Treaty Parties shall refrain from any aggressive, belligerent, or hostile act or policy, either overtly or covertly, directed against one another.

4. The Treaty Parties commit to identifying and cooperating on issues of mutual interest with the goal of creating a closer bilateral relationship.

## **II.** Neutrality

5. The Independent Realm of Ergonia shall respect the neutrality of the Royal Kingdom of Gotzborg. It shall not seek to involve the Royal Kingdom of Gotzborg in any conflict between it and a third party and it understands that this agreement does not commit the Royal Kingdom of Gotzborg into taking any action whatsoever in support of it during any third-party conflict.

## III. Freedom of Movement

6. Each Treaty Party recognizes that its citizens, when in the other's territory, shall be subject to its laws and system of justice, and commits to a stance of non-interference where a citizen is subject to penalty for unlawful acts undertaken within the other's territory.

## **IV.** Diplomatic Immunity

7. Each Treaty Party shall grant onto the other's sovereign, and any accredited diplomatic officials, full immunity from prosecution for offences that may be committed within its jurisdiction. The immunity for diplomatic officials other than the sovereign may be waived on an individual case-by-case basis at the agreement of both Treaty Parties for certain heinous crimes.

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**His Grace Liam** Royal Chancellor The Royal Kingdom of Gotzborg **Thadeus Lange Jr** Chair of the Governing Council The Independent Realm of Ergonia

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