



# Principality of Kaharagia

Royal Decree No. 7/2022

5th April 2022

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Royal Decree No. 7/2022 of the 5th of April 2022: On Defining Kaharagian Nationality and the Process of obtaining and being considered a national and subject of the Kaharagian Crown.

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**BY THE GRACE OF GOD,  
WE MAXIMILIAN,  
PRINCE OF KAHARAGIA,  
etc., etc., etc.,**

**RECOGNIZING** the growing number of petitions being made to acquire Kaharagian Nationality;

**KNOWING** the current guidelines for Kaharagian Nationality are vague and outdated;

**DESIRING** to create a clear understanding of Kaharagian Nationality, how it is acquired, and how it is lost;

**AND TO** ensure the understanding of Kaharagian Nationality verses citizenship;

By virtue of Our Royal prerogative and of Our especial grace, certain knowledge, and mere motion have willed and ordained to DECREE;

**CHAPTER ONE - NATIONAL IDENTITY**

**Article I:** Kaharagian National is someone recognized as a part of the Kaharagian national community either by birth, naturalization, or ennoblement.

**Article II:** A Kaharagian National is:

- a. Any person born to a Kaharagian parent;
- b. Any person adopted by a Kaharagian Parent;
- c. Any person who acquires Kaharagian Nationality by Our decree;
- d. Any person ennobled a Count, or Baron of Our Realm and their spouse and children aged 17 or younger;
- e. Anyone born on Kaharagian territory to unknown parents.

## CHAPTER 2 - KAHARAGIAN NATIONALITY BY BIRTH OR ADOPTION

**Article III:** Any person born to at least one parent holding Kaharagian nationality at the time of their birth is considered a Kaharagian national.

**Article IV:** Any person aged 17 or younger adopted by a Kaharagian National receives Kaharagia nationality upon the formalization of their adoption.

**Article V:** A natural or adoptive parent is responsible for ensuring their child is registered a Kaharagian citizen. A child who is a Kaharagian national according to Articles III and IV is still a Kaharagian national if their parent fails to register them as such and may register on their own on or after their 16th birthday.

**Article VI:** A child born on Kaharagian territory to unknown parents shall be considered a natural born Kaharagian national as a Ward of the Sovereign and shall be in the care of Us as Sovereign. Territory defined in Article VI is not considering embassy, consulate, or other diplomatic legation property.

**Article VII:** A Ward of the Sovereign adopted to parents who are not Kaharagian nationals would lose their Kaharagian nationality but may petition it after their 16th birthday.

## CHAPTER 3 - KAHARAGIAN NATIONALITY BY NATURALIZATION

**Article VIII:** A foreigner who has reached the age of 16 and wishes to acquire Kaharagia nationality may petition Us as Sovereign. The prerogative of granting Kaharagian nationality is Ours alone as Sovereign.

**Article IX:** A foreigner who becomes a Kaharagian national is not considered to have lost their original nationalities or citizenships.

**Article X:** A person who is naturalized a Kaharagian transmits their citizenship to their children who have not

reached the age of 18. Article V of this decree applies to children of naturalized Kaharagians.

#### **CHAPTER 4 - KAHARAGIAN NATIONALITY BY ENNOBLEMENT**

**Article XI:** A person who is ennobled by Our Royal Decree or by inheritance, their spouse, and children who have not reached the age of 18 are endowed with Kaharagian nationality.

**Article XII:** A Kaharagian national by ennoblement, their spouse in compliance with Kaharagian custom and Law, and their children who also receive Kaharagian nationality by ennoblement shall be considered Kaharagian nationals by birth according to Kaharagian custom and law.

#### **CHAPTER 5 - LOSS OF KAHARAGIAN NATIONALITY**

**Article XIII:** The prerogative of removing Kaharagian nationality is Ours alone as Sovereign.

**Article XIV:** A person may renounce Kaharagian nationality by presenting a notarized petition in person to Us or Our authorized representative. Article XII shall be respected in all cases.

#### **CHAPTER 6 - OTHER PROVISIONS AND EXECUTION**

**Article XV:** Kaharagian nationals are considered to have rights and duties of a citizen of the Principality of Kaharagia and Subject of the Sovereign.

**Article XVI:** Kaharagian Nationality guarantees full participation in the running and governance of the Principality of Kaharagia but does not guarantee a right to residence.

**Article XVII:** The granting of right to reside in and inhabit Kaharagian territory is the solely Our prerogative and shall be established by further decree.

**Article XVIII:** The term citizenship shall be replaced by nationality to emphasize Kaharagia as a nation—not yet a country.

**Article XIX:** Our Secretary of State is responsible for executing this decree.

Done in Detroit, 5 April 2022



*Maximilian P.*