### Earth-Loving Associate

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## Meia San's Group enjoyed to the full Sapporo & Hokkaido

The ladies are from Philippine, enjoyed their stay in my HOUSE and Hokkaido, and Ms. Meia San became our friend: an ELA (Earth-Loving Associate). The ELA system is one of the best ways to promote friendship among nations without colorful differences such as nationality, language, religion, custom, political system etc.

#### Make all sorts of preparations



For duration of fourteen days, we stayed at Rikio-san's place as guests of his Earth-Loving Associate. Within these days, we attended the

Sapporo Snow Festival as well as visiting other tourist spots within the Sapporo area.





Coming from a tropical country, it was already a memorable experience being able to see snow for the first time. We arrived at the evening of January

27, four days before the start of the snow festival. During these four days, we did a short tour around Sapporo, studied the public transportation schedule, went to Asahiyama zoo, and had an activity-filled day

at North Snow Land.

We started attending the snow festival with a visit to the Tsudome site. The event site had two main areas, the indoor site filled with food stalls, souvenir shops and the outdoor site with its numerous activities, most of which are designed for children. It was windy when we came and we eventually experienced our first snow shower. The site also showcased snow sculptures and ice glass making session. The Tsudome site of the snow festival is definitely family-friendly. It had a lot of

activities for families to try together from taking a ride over its towering snow slides to making mini-snow man sculptures with the kids.



### What is the ELFO? (N. 2)

A draft Charter of the ELFO (Earth-Loving Friendly Organization) has the following 100 Articles: (Blue words are my comment.)

#### Chapter 1 Purposes and Principles

Article 1 (Purposes) The purposes of the Friendly Organization for Community of the Earth-loving Federation (hereinafter referred to as Organization or FOCEF) are:

- **a.** To contribute to development of friendly relations among nations based on respect for the principle of equal rights and self-determination of peoples;
- **b.** To contribute to maintaining international peace and security, and to that end, to propose suitable measures to interested States, organizations and individuals;
- **c.** To contribute to raising economy and the standard of living, and to that end, to propose concerning supplemental relations and betterment of economic social systems;
- **d.** To promote interchanges in the field of education, science, culture, sports and others;
- **e.** To be a center for harmonizing actions of Members in the attainment of these common ends.

Article 2 (Principles) Our Organization and Members shall act in accordance with the following Principles.

- 1 Our Organization is based on the principle of equality among the same category of its Members.
  - **2** Members shall fulfill in good faith the obligations assumed by them in accordance with the present Charter.
- **3** Member shall refrain in their relations from the threat or use of force.
  - **4** This Organization shall not intervene in matters which are within the domestic jurisdiction of any State.
- **5** ML (Mailing List) members has one vote, the right to be a candidate for staff, to join events etc, but in relations with the FOCEF they have not any duties besides those derived from international and domestic laws.

Here you see ML members' easy-going position, And it applies not only to an individual, but also a State and an autonomy (self-governing body). So ML system encourages admission of many individuals.

**Article 3 (Definitions)** By present Charter the bellow-mentioned terms are defined as follows:

- 1 'Earth-Loving' means not only to love all humanity, to respect all lives as far as possible, and to be Earth-friendly, but also to maintain cosmos beautifully.
- 2 The word 'Oasis' and 'Earth-Loving Oasis' are used as meaning such groups and communities large and small as act in accordance with purposes and principles of the Charter, sometimes implying the Organization itself.

## Chapter 2 Admission and kinds of Members

**Article 4 (Admission)** 1 Membership is open to peace-loving States, autonomies (self-governing bodies), other organization, and individuals.

2 A State may present a reservation at the time of admission, provided that it will not try to alter the essentials of Solidarity Council.

**Article 5 (Individual)** 1 Individual members consist of a special member, a common member,

and a quasi-member (namely, ML member, a member by an agreement, and corresponding member).

Although individual ML members are a quasimember, later they may become a common or special member at any time as they like, participating in some organ more positively.

- **2** A special member is a person chosen as a staff of the Organization from among common members. A quasi-member may participate in in activities of the Organization without paying annual membership fee.
- **3** A State and an autonomy can be a ML member.
- 4 A common member and a quasi-member may be without portfolio not belonging to any organ.

#### Chapter 3 Organs and Decisions

Article 6 (Principal organs) 1 There are established as the principal organs of the present Organization: President, a General Assembly, a State Heads Council; a Solidarity Council, a Religion and Morals Council; a Deputies Council; a Council of Peace, a Council of Friendship, a Council of Territories and Boundaries, an Economic Social Council, an a Finance and Industry Council, a Human Rights Defense Council, a Council for Labor and Employment, a Council of Public Welfare and Medicine, a Council of Communication and Transportation, a Council for Conservation of Resources, an Educational, Scientific and Cultural Council, a Council of Tourism and Accommodations, a Council of Sports, a Youth Council, other Councils, FOCEF Common Court of Justice and a Secretariat.

Here you notice that a Council of Tourism and Accommodations is one of the many principal organs, but I am sure that the Council will play considerable role especially at the first stage of development of the FOCEF.

- 2 Under each Council there will be established its department, door of which is open wide for those members interested in the field.
  - 3 Under the General Assembly will be set up

each national general headquarter, local headquarters, regional branches of amicable character.

- Article 7 (Decision) 1 A declaration of intention of the Organization and its members, the General Assembly and meeting may be conducted by the Internet, televisions, e-mails, faxes and so forth.
  - **2** A decision of the primary organs and the other subsidiary organs shall be adopted by affirmative votes of majority of members present.
- Article 8 (the right to vote) 1 Members poll different votes in accordance with their kinds, in principle, as follows:

The number of votes is based on population of States, autonomies, members of organizations.

- **a.** a State and an autonomy (self-governing community) have bellow-mentioned right to vote, ratio of its population being taken into account;
  - i 80 votes are given to a State or autonomy with more than 1,000,000,000; (as China & India)
  - ii 70 votes are given to a State or autonomy with the population from 100,000,000, 000 to less than 1,000,000,000; (as USA, Indonesia, Brazil, Pakistan, Neigeria, Bangladesh, Russia, Mexico, Japan, Philippine)
  - iii 60 votes are given to a State and an autonomy with the population from 10,000,000 to 100,000,000.
  - iv 50 votes are given to a State and an autonomy with population from 1,000,000 to less than 10,000, 000; (such as Sapporo-bellow photo; Hamburg;)



- v 40 votes are given to a State and an autonomy with the population from 100,000 to less than 1,000,000; (such as Furano city, cf. photo)
- vi 30 votes are given to a State and an autonomy with the population from 10,000 to

less than 100,000;

- vii 20 votes are given to a State and an autonomy with the population from 1,000 to less than 10,000;
- viii 10 votes are given to a State and an autonomy with the population less than 1,000.
- **b.** 50 votes are given to President of the Organization.
- **c.** 40 votes are given to a solidarity councilor and
  - d. 30 votes are given to Parliamentarian;
- **e.** 20 votes are given to a head of the ELO primary organs and a deputy of an autonomous assembly;
- **f.** 10 votes are given to a deputy of an autonomous assembly;
- **g.** Organizations has the bellow-mentioned right to vote in accordance with the number of its members:
- i 5 votes are given to an Organization with more than 10,000 members;
- ii 4 votes are given to an Organization with more than 10,00 to less than 10,000 members;
- iii 3 votes are given to an Organization Deputy with more than 100 to less than 1,000 members; and
- iv 2 votes are given to an Organization with more than 10 to less than 100 members; and
- v 2 votes are given to an organization with less than 100 members.
- **2** a ML member may, for a long time, entrust another member with a vote regarding all the matters.

You see, this rule is also very convenient for EL members because they will have more free time. They may entrust, for example, President, a representative of their national headquarter.

## Chapter 4 Provisional rules in the initial stage

#### Section 1

Effectuation of the Charter and Provisional rules

**Article 10 (effectuation)** Present Charter becomes effective in the following cases:

**a.** when more than 2 States exchange ratification;

**b.** when more than 10 autonomies from more than 5 States become a candidate for a member;

- **c.** when more than 20 deputies from more than 5 States, more than 200 individuals from 20 States become a candidate for a member;
- **e.** on the day after 1,000 individuals from among 20 States become a candidate for an ELO member.

It is supposed that the number of my ELAs (Earth-Loving Associates) will be around 700 persons by next New Year.

Article 11 (Friendly character) 1 In a provisional period the Organization shall attach a great importance to its friendly activities as participants in Ancient

and enjoyed games.

Olympic Games stopped war



2 Taking into account expenses, members' diversity and difficulty of early adjustment of problems, the Organization shall open an actual international meeting so as to promote international friendship and mutual understanding, conducting adjustment of difference of opinions through daily

communication by telephone, fax, Internet, etc.

3 In any case, assuming friendly and constructive attitude, a member shall refrain from emotional self-righteous speech and action.

4 Without making public an individual opinion, only Councilors' names who participated in deliberation and its results may be open to the public in such Councils as where a State is a member; Peace Council and Council of Territories and Boundaries where national emotion are apt to be stimulated; Deputies Council where interests are often conflicting; Religion Council where there may be many uncompromising matters.

#### Article 12 (Application with necessary modification)

After effectuation of the present Charter, even if some primary organ is not formed or lacks quorum, President, applying present Charter, has primary responsibility to develop the Organization harmoniously and friendly.

Article 13 (General Assembly) 1 From the first General Assembly to the fifth Assembly staffs may be elected with 1 or 2 years term.

2 During a provisional period each organization stipulated in Article 8, paragraph 2, f, has 2 votes.

Article 14 (President) 1 Taking into consideration harmonious and friendly development of the Organization, President perform functions provided for in the present Article, paragraphs 2 and 3, and primary functions provided for in Article 22.

- 2 President may enact detailed rules which is effective until the coming General Assembly.
- 3 Forthcoming President, if there is a candidate for it, shall not be of the same nationality of the current President.

Article 15 (State Heads Council) 1 In the provisional period, as for a State where a State Head is not s Councilor, a former Head of State may be a Councilor by consultation with President, a Chief Councilor and the given national General head quarter, and the Council may be opened only by Councilors of a former State Head.

The present Article 15 is a new one which I made open to the public on May 6, 2019. Up to the present time I used words Inter-State Council'. Only God knows when a State joins this Council. So now I propose to open the wider door through which not only a present State Head, but also a former State Head may be a Councilor.

2 A former State Head has 20 % of votes which a present State Head may have, and from each State 5 former State Heads may enter the Council, each of them having such votes.

This is a stipulation which would reflect multilateral opinions and interests in a given country, make more connections with its people.

3 The greatest function of the Council is to contribute to promotion of friendship and peace among nations and propose to interested persons.

#### Section 2 Solidarity Council and Deputies Council

Article 16 (General rules) 1 Election of Solidarity Councilors in the beginning term of the provisional period shall be conducted for the purpose of promotion of friendship and solidarity among nations.

- 2 Not only Parliamentarians, but also all the member of more than 18 years old may be an elector. Regarding election of Solidarity Councilors, electors have votes which Article 8 provides for.
- 3 As for an eligible person Article 36 shall be applied with necessary modifications. In order to increase equality of opportunity to be a candidate for s Solidarity Councilor a annual membership fee of a candidate under 25 years old and a certain number of candidates may be exempted if they make an application to that effect.

## Article 17 (Election in the beginning term) 1 The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Election of Solidarity Councilors may be conducted in the General Assembly.

2 Election of Solidarity Councilor may be conducted simply till 2040, and as for succeeding elections the right to vote may be given to Parliamentarians, deputies of Deputies Department.

## Article 18 (Candidate and winning) 1 In the beginning term of the provisional period conditions necessary conditions may be relaxed.

2 The best 25 persons, from each nation, who got more votes shall be made to the public as an elected person.

# Article 19 (The acting Solidarity Council) 1 The Deputies Council may execute functions provided for in Article 38 while the Solidarity Council is imperfect.

2 Not only a present deputy, but also a former deputy may be a member of the Deputies Department.

#### Article 20 (Termination of the provisional period)

'Provisional rules' provided for in present Chapter 4 may be partly or wholly abolished as the

Organization develops.

2 The Chapter 5 and downward stipulate regular form of our Organization.