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## Section One

The making of laws to determine whether or not a given action is a crime shall be the responsibility of each viceroyalty. Persons charged under the proceeding provision must be tried in the courts of the viceroyalty in which the crimes were committed.

## Section Two

If a criminal flees across viceroyalty lines to avoid arrest, transports stolen goods, funds, or captive persons across viceroyalty lines, or engages in a crime spree in more than one viceroyalty, it shall be considered a federal crime and the criminal shall be tried in federal court in the viceroyalty where the majority of the crimes were committed.

Furthermore, terrorism, espionage against the Empire, and treason shall be federal crimes. Terrorism shall be defined as: bombing or gassing a building, installation, transportation device, or public area; sabotage; hijacking a transportation device; or assassinating or attempting to assassinate an elected or appointed official or member of the Royal Family. Espionage against the Empire shall be defined as: spying in the territory of the Empire for another nation if you are not a citizen of the Empire. Treason shall be defined as: selling technology vital to the security of the Empire, unless the consent of both the Secretary of Defense and the Monarch, or Parliament has been given; spying for another country in the Empire if you are a citizen of the Empire, betraying or attempting to betray the armed forces, or leading a revolt against the Empire.

The penalty for terrorism shall be life in prison, unless the crime was only attempted assassination (the target didn't die, has all five senses, and can write and talk), in which case the penalty shall be fifty years of incarceration. The penalty for espionage against the Empire shall be determined by the court in which the criminal is tried. Minimum sentence: fifteen years of incarceration. Maximum sentence: life in prison without parole. All persons convicted of espionage against the Empire shall be immediately deported after their release from prison to their home country. The penalty for treason may include one or more of the following, depending on the severity of the crime: incarceration, life exile, or life in prison without parole. The minimum sentence for treason shall be fifteen years of incarceration.

When murder and kidnapping become a federal crime, the penalty shall be life in prison without parole. All other penalties imposed for committing a federal crime will be the same as the sentence is in the viceroyalty where the crime was committed. Should there be no statute containing the punishment for the crime in the viceroyalty, the sentence will be decided by the presiding judge and must be reasonable and logical.

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