Unto The Paid Membership of the SCA, Inc. residing within the duly defined boundaries of the SCA, Inc.--Barony of L’Ile du Dragon Dormant, within the Crown Principality of Tir Mara, within the Kingdom of the East does Lady Borujin Acilaldai Seneschal, by the Grace of the my predecessor and the Baronial Council of Officers, Tir Mara Branch Polling Deputy of our 2014 Baronial Election Process, send greetings and salutations this day!

Notice is hereby given that Their Excellencies, Sir Angus McHaley and Mistress Tadea Isabietta di Bruno, will be retiring as Baron and Baroness effective March 2015.

In accordance with Subsection 1.2.1 of the IDD constitution The Coronet shall be elected in accordance with East Kingdom Law. We hereby notify the membership that we will be accepting applications from their potential successors from April 2nd until May 10th. After that time Applications for candidacy will be processed, and if meeting requirements, recognized and announced on May 17th.

Those seeking to submit themselves for the candidacy must meet the following requirements under section VII:C of the East Kingdom Branch Polling Procedure:

A candidate for any Baronial Seat must:

a. Be at least eighteen years of age.

b. Hold a current Society membership throughout the course of the Baronial Seat selection

 process.

c. Reside within the formally approved boundaries of the branch.

d. Not hold any Baronial Office during the course of their candidacy, except at the discretion of

 The Crown.

Also, According to the Baronial Constitution 1.3

1.3.1: Candidates for the Coronet may run either as individuals or as part of a

couple, but not both.

1.3.2 It is recommended that Candidates for Coronet be conversationally

French-English bilingual.
Those wishing to submit themselves for candidacy will have until **Noon, Friday, May 9th, 2014** to do so.

The following information must be submitted by that time:

Name

Proof of membership (must be valid for the duration of the polling process)

Address (same as membership, to validate residency)

Picture to submit for candidate website

Introduction blurb for candidate website in French and English (candidates responsible for translation)

E-Mail address for candidate website

Ballots will be mailed out in early June, 2014.

Completed ballots must be **received** by the Tir Mara Branch Polling Officer **NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, July 16, 2014**. We ask that the populace please consider this when mailing their ballots.

Eligible Voters are defined in Section VII:C of the East Kingdom Branch Polling procedure.

 A gentle can participate in the polling who:

a. Holds a current Society membership. Any gentle that joins the SCA or cures a lapse in Society membership during a polling process will not be sent a ballot but may obtain one from the Officer administering the poll, if they provide proof of Society membership and residence.

b. Resides within the formally approved boundaries of the branch.

Properly executed ballots from members less than 14 years old shall count to establish the

polling validity. Only properly executed ballots from members **14 years old or more** shall count toward the preference tally.

Copies of the Baronial Election Policy and East Kingdom Polling Policy are available online at:

Constitution of the Barony of l’Ile du Dragon Dormant

<http://www.dragondormant.eastkingdom.org/documents/IDD%20Constitution%201.2.pdf>

East Kingdom Law

<http://seneschal.eastkingdom.org/docs/EKLAW.pdf>

Section VII, Sub-Section C, F

Paper copies of the Election Policy may be obtained from the undersigned Tir Mara Branch Polling Deputy upon written request including a self-addressed, stamped, envelope.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at:

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