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Introduction:

This codex, a testament to the Celestara Sultanate's commitment to justice and tradition, serves as the cornerstone of our legal system. It is designed to uphold the societal values and religious ethos that define our sultanate, guiding judges in their sacred duty of upholding the law.

Chapter 1: General Provisions

- Scope of Law: Applicable to all within Celestara Sultanate's jurisdiction.
- Equality and Fair Justice: Ensures equal treatment for all under the law.
- Legal Representation: The right to legal counsel is guaranteed for the accused.

Chapter 2: Dress Code and Public Conduct

- Dress Code Enforcement: Strict adherence is required in public spaces like Celestara Assembly Square, Palace of Justice, Marina, Mosque, and Peace Café. Violations will be judged based on intent and context.
- Public Decency Standards: Acts against public decency, including inappropriate attire, will be subject to judicial discretion.

Chapter 3: Respect for Religion and Authority

- Religious Sanctity: Disrespect towards Islamic practices, especially in the Mosque, is prohibited.
- Authority and Decorum: Offenses against officials or royalty will be taken seriously and judged accordingly.

Chapter 4: Property and Real Estate

- Property Ownership Rights: Property rights are sacrosanct but contingent on law adherence.
- Housing and Community Standards: Compliance with community and housing standards is compulsory.

Chapter 5: Devshirme and Slavery Regulations

- Devshirme System: The rights and treatment of Devshirmes are governed by specific regulations.
- Slave Trade License: Engaging in the slave trade requires a license from the Palace of Justice.

Chapter 6: Consumption of Alcohol and Drugs

- Regulation of Intoxicants: Public intoxication is punishable, with severity decided by the judge. Responsible consumption of alcohol is permitted within private residences and licensed venues including the Celestara Peace Café, Garden of Freedom, Emerald Sea Marina, and Wellness Bathhouse.

Chapter 7: Punishments and Judicial Discretion

- Foot Whipping_(Falanga/Falaka): Primarily used for various offenses, with severity determined by the judge.
- Judicial Discretion: Judges have the authority to determine the nature and severity of punishments.
- Appeal Process: Defendants may appeal to the Emir or Sultan for reconsideration of judgments deemed unfair.

Chapter 8: Sharia Law Adherence (Optional)

- Sharia Law Compliance: Residents may opt-in for Sharia Law compliance, to be enforced alongside sultanate laws.

Chapter 9: Legal Procedures and Rights

- Legal Proceedings: Outlines the conduct and procedures of trials.
- Defendant's Rights: Protection of the rights of the accused is emphasized.

