**The Kingdom of Saxony Position for the 1814 Congress of Vienna**

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**There is no doubt that the purpose of this conference was to restore the old dynasties and feudal order of Europe which wew overthrown during the Napoleonic wars, and to prevent the resurgence of France. It is also essential to repartition the territories of Europe ty the victors and balance each other and maintain peace.**

1. Question on the future of the Kingdom of Saxony

The kingdom of Saxony wanted to join the confederation of Germany. The kingdom of Saxony hoped to establish good relations with the countries of the confederacy and achieve stable development in Europe. However, the kingdom of Saxony was an independent and sovereign state, so its sovereignty could not be violated by others. In the infringe upon the sovereignty of other countries for their own interests. The war is over and the course of the war should not be used an excuse for post-war negotiations to the detriment of other countries.

Saxony supports Austria to regain its rights in Poland. The kingdom of Prussia and the Russian Empire have come to terms on Poland. If allowed to pass, the boundary between the Russian Empire and the kingdom of Prussia would be very close to Vienna, which would seriously threaten the security of The kingdom of Britain, The kingdom of Austria and the kingdom of Saxony.

2、Question on the Arbitration Principle

①The Compensation Principle

Countries that lost territory in the process of reorganizing their territories and those that had done good work for Napoleon were compensated.

②The Principle of Balance of Power

We need to make sure that in the process of redrawing the map of Europe, no country has the absolute advantage to dominate Europe like Napoleon. Our goal is to maintain peace and development in Europe, and we do not want to see another Napoleonic war.

③The Principle of Containment

It is important to build up the power of France ‘s neighbors to Tencircle France and prevent it from expanding again. It’s really essential that we stop the kind of things that threaten peace in Europe growing and leading to war.

④The Principle of Sovereignty Integrity

The kingdom of Saxony is a sovereign and independent country and we will not allow our sovereignty to be violated. No excuse should be used to the detriment of other countries in the course of negotiations.