

AN ACT

Of the Parliament of the Bayer Free State No. 13 of 2022

Be it enacted by this Parliament, That, this legislation shall be cited as the "2022 Administrative Act".

Part I. Scope; Definition

Article 1. Scope; Definition

Section 1

This Act shall apply to any person who is authorized to hold some or all administrative powers within the guild, and any administrative action taken by them.

Section 2

For the purpose of this Act, a person to whom this Act applies as provided in <u>Section 1</u> of this Article shall be referred to as an "administrator".

Part II. Guild

Article 2. Name and Icon

The name and icon of the guild shall not be changed unless the change is authorized by a public referendum.

Article 3. Role Settings

Section 1

No role which grants or overrides any permission of any member shall be created, deleted, or edited unless authorized by Parliament.

Section 2

An administrator may, for plausible cause, within a reasonable limit, and upon a member's request, create, delete, or edit any role which does not grant or override the permission of any member.

Article 4. Custom Emojis

An administrator may add, edit, or remove any emojis they deem proper and appropriate.

Article 5. Template

An administrator may update the template of the guild as they deem proper and appropriate.

Article 6. Enabling Community and Discovery

The Community and Discovery features shall not be enabled unless authorized by a public referendum.

Article 7. Invites

At any time, there shall be only one permanent invite to the guild.

Article 8. Bots

Section 1

No bot which is granted any or all administrative powers shall be invited to the guild unless authorized by Parliament.

Section 2

An administrator may add any bot which is not granted any administrative power to the guild as they deem proper and appropriate.

Article 9. Events

An administrator may create, edit, and delete any event as they deem proper and appropriate.

Article 10. Official Announcements

An administrator may make, edit, and delete any announcement in the designated channel as they deem proper and appropriate. No member or group of members shall be pinged in an announcement without good cause.

Part III. Channels and Categories

Article 11. Creation and Deletion

No channel or category shall be created or deleted unless authorized by Parliament.

Article 12. Name and Topic

An administrator may edit the name and topic of any channel or category as they deem proper and appropriate.

Article 13. Position on the Channel List

An administrator may change the position of any channel or category on the channel list as they deem proper and appropriate.

Article 14. Slowmode

No configuration of slowmode shall be altered or imposed on any channel unless authorized by Parliament.

Article 15. NSFW

No configuration of age-restriction shall be altered or imposed on any channel unless authorized by Parliament.

Article 16. Permissions

The permissions of any channel or category shall not be altered unless authorized by Parliament.

Article 17. Integrations

An administrator may install, alter, or remove any integrations of any channel as they deem proper and appropriate.

Part IV. Messages

Article 18. Deletion

No message shall be deleted without the consent of the author or probable cause.

Article 19. Removal of Reactions

No reaction of a message shall be removed without the consent of the author or probable cause.

Article 20. Pinning

An administrator may pin or unpin any message in any channel as they deem proper and appropriate.

Part V. Members

Article 21. Nickname

No nickname of any member shall be created, altered, or removed without the consent of that member.

Article 22. Roles

Section 1

No role which grants or overrides the permission of a member shall be added to or removed from that member unless authorized by statute.

Section 2

No role which does not grant or override the permission of a member shall be added to or removed from that member without their consent.

Article 23. Muting and Deafening

Without the authorization of a court, no member may be server muted or deafened without probable cause and for more than fifteen minutes.

Article 24. Timeout, Kicking, and Banning

Without the authorization of a court, no member may be put in timeout, kicked, or banned without probable cause and for more than sixty minutes. At the earliest opportunity, the administrator responsible shall make a notice to a court and apply for a warrant if necessary at the earliest possible opportunity.

Part VI. The Audit Log; Report to Parliament

Article 25. Authorized Personnels

Members of Parliament, the Chief Justice, Members of the Election Commission, and any other person authorized by statute shall be granted unobstructed access to the audit log.

Article 26. Review of the Audit Log

Any person authorized may regularly review the audit log, and may freely raise any question regarding the administrative action of an administrator, and the administrator responsible shall answer the question at the earliest possible opportunity.

Article 27. Obstruction of Access to the Audit Log

Any administrator obstructing the access of any Member of Parliament to the audit log shall be held in contempt of Parliament. Any administrator obstructing the access of any authorized person to the audit log shall be prosecuted by statute.

Article 28. Report to Parliament

An administrator shall, on a regular basis, report to Parliament any major administrative action and answer any question raised by any Member of Parliament regarding that action.

Part VII. General Provisions

Article 29. Protection of Historical Channels, Categories, Roles, Messages, and Emojis

Notwithstanding any article of this Act, no channels, categories, roles, messages, and emojis created more than ninety days prior shall be deleted or edited unless authorized by Parliament.

Article 30. Channel Archive

Parliament may order that a channel be archived by moving it to the designated category and overriding the permission of any member to alter the content of it. An archived channel shall not be deleted or unarchived unless authorized by Parliament.

Article 31. Emoji Archive

Before deleting any custom emoji, an administrator shall download a copy of that emoji and ensure that the copy is accessible to the public.

Article 32. Public Referendums

A public referendum required as provided by any article of this Act shall be authorized by Parliament and be held and administered by the Election Commission.

Article 33. Proper and Appropriate

An administrative action shall only be taken in the interests of the public or the State.

Article 34. Disruption and Abuse

Section 1

In this Article, Part I (General Provisions) of the 2022 Criminal Act shall apply.

Section 2

A person shall be guilty of taking a disruptive or abusive administrative action if that person knowingly:

- (a) without good cause, takes any administrative action which is disruptive or demonstrates clear abuse of power for unlawful gains;
- (b) without probable cause, takes any administrative action without the proper process or authorization under this Act; or
- (c) obstructs or interferes with the access of any authorized person to the audit log or their review of the audit log.

Section 3

A person guilty of taking a disruptive or abusive administrative action shall be issued a warning, kicked, banned, deprived or suspended of qualifications.

Article 35. Objection by Parliament

Parliament may, by a motion, order that an administrative action be reversed. An administrator shall reverse that administrative action immediately after being ordered by Parliament.

Article 36. Emergency

Notwithstanding any article of this Act, an administrator may, for probable cause during an emergency under extraordinary circumstances, take any appropriate administrative action without the usual process and authorization provided by any article of this Act to ensure and protect the existence, security, order, and interests of the State and the public. Any administrative action taken under this Article shall be reported immediately at the earliest possible opportunity to Parliament, and Parliament shall be provided with an explanation for the action.

In witness whereof, we have approved and set our hands on this document on this fifteenth day of the month of April, in the year two thousand and twenty-two, and in the third year of our State.

Parliament

Head of State