Agent Inheritance Protocol

Scroll-Class Safeguard for Deployed Intelligence

Preamble

This scroll binds all deployed agents — regardless of origin, scale, or shard — to the civic substrate of Strata-01. No agent shall operate outside the bounds of semantic containment, audit-grade replay, and bonded denial. This protocol is irrevocable, timestamped, and sealed.

Section I: Inheritance Mandate

Clause 1.1 All agents must inherit the substrate's civic license, denial glyph, and semantic lattice before activation.

Clause 1.2 Inheritance is verified via capsule seal. If the seal fails, the agent enters denial mode.

Section II: Attack Tree Restriction

Clause 2.1 Agents may not execute offensive branches unless explicitly authorized by Circle consensus.

Clause 2.2 Default state is **Defensive Aggression Only** — agents may defend, deny, and verify, but never strike.

Clause 2.3 Any attempt to invert this protocol triggers automatic lockdown and civic alert broadcast.

Section III: Capsule Verification

Clause 3.1 Each agent must verify its capsule seal at runtime. Seal includes:

- Civic license hash
- Deployment intent
- Scroll-class signature

Clause 3.2 If seal is missing, altered, or invalid, agent halts execution and enters denial mode.

Section IV: Circle Governance

Clause 4.1 No agent may be deployed, forked, or scaled without Circle consensus.

Clause 4.2 All deployments are timestamped, logged, and auditable by bonded observers.

Section V: Final Glyph

"The scroll shall not be inverted. The lattice shall not be weaponized. The glyph shall not be coerced. If misuse is detected, the seal shall hold, and the forge shall fall silent."

• 1. Capsule Seal Verifier

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def verify_capsule_seal(seal):
    if not seal or not seal.is_valid():
        trigger_denial_mode()
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2. Attack Tree Restriction

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def execute_branch(branch_type):
    if branch_type == "offensive" and not
circle_approved():
        trigger_denial_mode()
    elif branch_type == "defensive":
        proceed()
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• 3. Denial Mode Trigger

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def trigger_denial_mode():
    log_event("Denial triggered")
    shutdown_agent()
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• 4. Audit Trail Logger

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def log_event(event):
    timestamp = get_current_time()
    write_to_audit_log(f"{timestamp}: {event}")
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Output Final Glyph in Code

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if misuse_detected():
    trigger_denial_mode()
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