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Chapter 1: Introduction

1.1 A Section

A DECLARATION OF RIGHTS made by the Representatives of the good people of VIR-
GINIA, assembled in full and free Convention; which rights do pertain to them and their
posterity, as the basis and foundation of Government.

1. That all men are by nature equally free and independent, and have certain inherent
   rights, of which, when they enter into a state of society, they cannot, by any compact,
   deprive or divest their posterity; namely, the enjoyment of life and liberty, with the
   means of acquiring and possessing property, and pursuing and obtaining happiness
   and safety.

2. That all power is vested in, and consequently derived from, the people; that magis-
   trates are their trustees and servants, and at all times amenable to them.

3. That government is, or ought to be, instituted for the common benefit, protection,
   and security of the people, nation or community; of all the various modes and forms of
   government that is best, which is capable of producing the greatest degree of happiness
   and safety and is most effectually secured against the danger of maladministration;
   and that, whenever any government shall be found inadequate or contrary to these
   purposes, a majority of the community hath an indubitable, unalienable, and inde-
   feasible right to reform, alter or abolish it, in such manner as shall be judged most
   conducive to the public weal.

4. That no man, or set of men, are entitled to exclusive or separate emoluments or priv-
   ileges from the community, but in consideration of public services; which, not being
   descendible, neither ought the offices of magistrate, legislator, or judge be hereditary.

Figure 1.1: An appropriate historical figure. Some more text to test the line spacing for more than one line of figure caption...

5. That the legislative and executive powers of the state should be separate and distinct from the judicative; and, that the members of the two first may be restrained from oppression by feeling and participating the burthens of the people, they should, at fixed periods, be reduced to a private station, return into that body from which they were originally taken, and the vacancies be supplied by frequent, certain, and regular elections in which all, or any part of the former members, to be again eligible, or ineligible, as the laws shall direct.

1.1.1 A Subsection

Important previous work was also provided by [1]. Here is a numbered equation:

$$f_X(x) = \lambda e^{-\lambda x} u(x). \tag{1.1}$$

A subsubsection

A paragraph

Table 1.1: A table

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Chapter 2: The Second Chapter

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Appendix A: An Appendix

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$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2. \tag{A.1}$$

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[1] C. E. Shannon and W. Weaver, *The Mathematical Theory of Communication.* Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1949.

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