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STATUTE OF "ALLIANCE OF LOVE" - INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION (AISBL)



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Article 1: Name, Legal Form, and Duration

- 1.1 The name of the international federation is "Alliance of Love", hereinafter referred to as "the Federation".
- 1.2 The international Federation is constituted as an Association Internationale Sans But Lucratif (AISBL) in accordance with the Belgian Law of 27 June 1921, as amended by the Code des Sociétés et des Associations (CSA).
- 1.3 The Federation is established for an indefinite duration.
- 1.4 The Federation is founded by Doninu (Malta) International, a non-commercial, voluntary, and independent civil organisation.

Article 2: Mission, Objectives, and Scope

2.1 The Federation unites non-governmental organisations, voluntary associations, community-based initiatives, as well as recognised religious and chivalric orders globally to promote solidarity, justice, dignity, and love in humanitarian work.

2.2 The principal non-profit aims of the Federation are:

To foster federated cooperation and joint humanitarian projects;

To promote ethical, inclusive, and transparent service to vulnerable individuals and communities;

To empower local and international members without compromising their autonomy;

To facilitate structured, non-commercial assistance across EU and non-EU territories;

To act as a legal and operational umbrella for both registered and unregistered voluntary initiatives, including recognised religious and chivalric orders.

2.3 Fields of intervention include, but are not limited to:

Support to children and adults with disabilities;



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Mental health solidarity and suicide prevention; Family poverty alleviation and community food relief; Ethical aid to migrants, war victims, and persons in extreme need; Peacebuilding, civic responsibility, and non-discriminatory inclusion.

2.4 All operations shall strictly adhere to non-profit principles. No remuneration shall be granted to members, founders, or volunteers. All forms of support must be free of charge and unconditional.

Article 3: Legal Seat and Jurisdiction

3.1 The registered office of the Federation is located at:

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- 3.2 A coordinating office may also be maintained in Malta, the country of origin of the founding body.
- 3.3 Any change to the registered office within Belgium must be formally decided by the Federative Council and published in the Belgian Official Gazette (Moniteur belge).

3.4 The Federation is governed by Belgian AISBL law and compliant with applicable European and international legal frameworks, including:

The European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR);

The EU Charter of Fundamental Rights;

The General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR);

The UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD).

Article 4: Federated Membership and Eligibility

4.1 Membership is open to associations and organisations, whether legally registered or not, that:

Adhere to the Federation's statute, values, and Code of Ethics;



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Operate on a voluntary, non-commercial basis; Include recognised religious and chivalric orders as eligible members; Agree to engage in federated action based on solidarity and autonomy.

- 4.2 Members retain full legal and operational independence.
- 4.3 Applications must be approved by the General Assembly or, on an interim basis, by the Federative Council.

4.4 Members may be suspended or expelled if they:

Engage in discriminatory, exploitative, or abusive behaviour; Violate the Federation's core principles; Undermine its integrity or misuse common resources.

Article 5: Governance Structure

The governing bodies of the Federation are:

5.1 General Assembly

The supreme decision-making body, composed of one representative per full member;

Meets at least once annually (physically or virtually); Approves strategic directions, memberships, and statutory amendments; Elects the Federative Council and Ethics & Integrity Council; Requires quorum and voting procedures as outlined in Article 11.

5.2 Federative Council

A coordinating and executive body, composed of 3 to 9 members; Ensures day-to-day functioning and cross-border collaboration; Safeguards ethical compliance and promotes decentralised cooperation; Elected for renewable 5-year terms.

5.3 Ethics and Integrity Council

An autonomous oversight body with advisory and investigatory powers; Composed of at least 3 impartial members with no direct interest; Monitors member conduct and beneficiary protection;



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Issues an annual Ethics & Rights Compliance Report.

5.4 Founding Leadership

Doninu (Malta) International retains founding guardianship and holds one permanent seat on the Federative Council; (The leader of Doninu (Malta) International.

Its role is to safeguard the Federation's original mission and ensure legal, ethical, and spiritual integrity.

5.5 Deputy Leader

The Deputy Leader of the Federation is **Mr. Nicolas Madou, Commandeur of Brussels**, representing the affiliated organisation "Alliance of Love – Belgium"; He shall assist the President in the coordination of transnational activities and may act on behalf of the Federation in the absence or delegation of the President.

Article 6: Legal and Financial Provisions

6.1 The Federation is strictly non-commercial.

6.2 It may accept voluntary, ethical donations, grants, or material support only if: No condition compromises the Federation's autonomy; No donor exercises undue influence;

All donations are recorded and disclosed transparently.

6.3 The Federation may not:

Engage in profit-making activities; Employ remunerated staff or directors; Issue dividends or allocate benefits to members.

6.4 Surpluses must be reinvested in humanitarian activities aligned with the Federation's mission.

Article 7: Operational Activities and Transparency

7.1 The Federation may organise:



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Joint transnational campaigns and federated humanitarian missions; Training, education, and outreach initiatives; Emergency interventions (e.g. war, displacement, poverty crises); International forums and working groups.

7.2 All activities shall be:

Fully documented and accessible to members; Evaluated annually for impact and ethical adherence; Subject to public transparency via publication of annual reports.

7.3 The Federation may operate branches, delegations, or field teams, always under the authority of the Federative Council and in compliance with humanitarian and human rights standards.

Article 8: Charter of Beneficiary Rights

8.1 The Federation shall adopt and implement a Charter of Beneficiary Rights that guarantees:

Equality, dignity, and non-discrimination; Confidentiality and privacy; The right to ethical complaint procedures; Protection from exploitation, misuse, or politicisation.

8.2 The Ethics and Integrity Council shall:

Monitor compliance; Investigate serious violations; Present findings to the General Assembly.

Article 9: Voting and Decision-Making

- 9.1 Each full member has one equal vote.
- 9.2 Simple majority governs routine decisions.



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- 9.3 Statutory amendments and membership expulsions require a two-thirds majority.
- 9.4 Quorum for the General Assembly is half plus one of full voting members.
- 9.5 All meetings and decisions must be minute and archived.

Article 10: Amendments to the Statute

- 10.1 Proposals must be submitted by at least three full members or the Federative Council.
- 10.2 Amendments must be circulated at least 30 calendar days in advance.
- 10.3 A two-thirds majority is required for adoption.
- 10.4 Approved amendments must be filed with the Belgian authorities and published in the Moniteur belge.

Article 11: Dissolution

11.1 Dissolution may be decided by a ¾ majority of the General Assembly.

11.2 Upon dissolution:

All assets must be transferred to another AISBL or non-profit entity sharing the same principles;

No assets may be distributed to individuals;

Dissolution procedures must follow Belgian AISBL law.

11.3 Doninu (Malta) International retains final responsibility to safeguard the ethical and lawful closure of the Federation.



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Article 12: Transitional Provisions

12.1 Until the first General Assembly is held:

Doninu (Malta) International shall act as interim coordinator; It may appoint an interim Federative Council; The first membership framework shall be set in place under its guidance.

12.2 Legal registration of the Federation shall be published in the Belgian Official Gazette and entered into the national register of legal persons.

Article 13: Leadership and Governance Authority

- 13.1 The Federation shall be led and governed by the Leader and the Board of Doninu (Malta) International, the founding organisation.
- 13.2 The Federation may establish additional committees or subsidiary bodies to support its activities; however, these committees must operate under the oversight and direction of Doninu (Malta) International.
- 13.3 All governance decisions and strategic directions of the Federation shall align with the guidance and authority of Doninu (Malta) International to ensure consistency with the founding mission and principles.

Article 14: Political and Governmental Independence

- 14.1 The Federation shall maintain full independence from all political parties, political figures, and governmental entities of any European or non-European state.
- 14.2 No political or state authority shall have influence or interference in the leadership, governance, or operations of the Federation.
- 14.3 The Federation shall operate strictly in accordance with European and international laws, while also observing any other applicable legal obligations under the jurisdictions in which it functions.



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Article 15: Protection and Representation of Affiliated Organisations

- 15.1 The Federation shall support, safeguard, and promote all organisations under its umbrella, including both registered and unregistered entities, provided they do not act in contravention of national, European, or international law.
- 15.2 The Federation shall provide guidance and direction to its affiliated organisations to ensure they operate in line with legal and ethical standards, and shall serve as a representative voice on their behalf, particularly in cases where they may be at risk of marginalisation or undue pressure.
- 15.3 All affiliated organisations are obliged to keep the Federation informed of their main activities and initiatives, with a view to ensuring full transparency, compliance with European and international laws, and collective accountability.

Article 16 – Legal Compliance, Good Governance, and Additional Protective Clauses

16.1 General Legal Compliance

The Federation shall operate in full conformity with:

The **Belgian Code of Companies and Associations** (Code des Sociétés et des Associations / Wetboek van vennootschappen en verenigingen);

All applicable European Union Regulations and Directives, especially those related to civil society, data protection, anti-corruption, and non-discrimination; Relevant International Treaties and Conventions, including but not limited to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the European Convention on Human Rights, and the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.

16.2 Human Rights and Rule of Law

The Federation shall promote and safeguard the dignity, autonomy, and equal treatment of all persons, in alignment with European and international principles of fundamental rights and freedoms. It shall remain politically and religiously



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independent but may include religious and knightly orders as affiliate members, provided they abide by these principles.

16.3 Oversight and Governance

The Federation's governance shall respect the internal autonomy of all member organisations. It shall act as a unifying umbrella ensuring compliance, dialogue, and advocacy, especially for unregistered or marginalised voluntary organisations. However, it shall retain the right to request accountability and legal compliance assurances from its members.

16.4 Additional Clauses (Mandatory and Recommended)

16.4.1 Whistleblower Protection Clause

The Federation shall implement a secure and confidential reporting mechanism for individuals to disclose misconduct, abuse, corruption, or other violations.

This mechanism shall comply fully with:

Directive (EU) 2019/1937 on the protection of persons who report breaches of Union law (Whistleblower Directive).

National Belgian laws transposing this Directive.

No person shall be retaliated against for making a protected disclosure.

16.4.2 Anti-Corruption and Conflict of Interest Clause

All board members and senior officers must:

Declare any **personal**, **financial**, **or organisational interest** that could result in a conflict of interest;

Abstain from any decision where a conflict arises;

Submit a signed Conflict of Interest Declaration annually.

The Federation shall adopt internal policies to prevent, detect, and respond to corruption or undue influence.

16.4.3 Data Protection and Cross-Border Transfers Clause

The Federation shall respect all applicable laws on personal data protection, in particular:

Regulation (EU) 2016/679 (General Data Protection Regulation – GDPR);



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For any data transfers outside the European Economic Area (EEA), the Federation shall use Standard Contractual Clauses (SCCs) or ensure that the third country has an adequacy decision issued by the European Commission.

16.4.4 Data Protection Officer (DPO) Clause

If the Federation processes personal data:

On a large scale,

Involving special categories of personal data (e.g., religious belief, health, etc.), or In a way that requires regular and systematic monitoring,

It shall **appoint a Data Protection Officer (DPO)** in accordance with Articles 37–39 of the GDPR.

The DPO may be external or internal but must act independently.

16.4.5 Dissolution and Allocation of Assets Clause

In the event of the Federation's dissolution:

All remaining assets, after payment of liabilities, shall be allocated to a non-profit organisation with similar purposes;

The decision must be compliant with **Article 11 of the Federation's Statute** and relevant provisions of the **Belgian Code of Associations**;

Assets may not be distributed to members or board officials.

A liquidator shall be appointed by the General Assembly, or by the competent court if not otherwise provided.

Article 17 – Legal Framework Governing this Federation

The Federation Alliance of Love shall operate strictly in conformity with the applicable Belgian national laws, European Union (EU) regulations, and relevant international legal frameworks, as detailed below:

17.1 Belgian Legal Framework

This Federation, being registered and legally based in Belgium, is subject to the following national legislation:

The Belgian Code of Companies and Associations (CSA)

 Law of 23 March 2019 (Code des sociétés et des associations / Wetboek van vennootschappen en verenigingen)



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- Governs the establishment, functioning, governance, rights and obligations of non-profit associations (ASBL/VZW), international non-profits (AISBL/IVZW), and foundations.
- Relevant provisions include:

Articles 1:6 – Legal Personality

Articles 9:1 – 9:17 – Governance of Non-Profit Associations

Articles 2:91 – 2:98 – Financial Transparency and Reporting

Law of 8 December 1992 on the Protection of Privacy, as replaced by:

Law of 30 July 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data, implementing the EU GDPR in Belgium.

Law of 18 September 2017 on the prevention of money laundering and the financing of terrorism and on the limitation of the use of cash, applicable to non-profits operating across borders.

17.2 European Union Legal Framework

As a European-based federation, it adheres to the binding legal instruments of the European Union, including:

Regulation (EU) 2016/679 – General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

- Applies to all processing of personal data of individuals within the EU.
- Key obligations include: lawful basis for data processing, data subject rights, data breach notification, and appointment of Data Protection Officer (DPO) where required.

Directive (EU) 2019/1937 – EU Whistleblower Protection Directive

- Requires establishment of internal reporting channels for whistleblowing.
- Protects individuals reporting breaches of EU law in areas like financial regulation, data protection, public health, environment, and fundamental rights.

Directive 2005/60/EC (Third Anti-Money Laundering Directive) and amendments, especially applicable to international and financial flows involving associations.

Regulation (EU) No 1141/2014 on the statute and funding of European political parties and foundations

- Although the Federation is non-political, this ensures it maintains a clear line of independence from political influence, in conformity with Article 14 of this statute.

17.3 International Legal Framework

The Federation shall also act in line with international treaties and conventions to which Belgium and the EU are signatories, notably:



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The European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR)

- Especially Articles 9, 10, and 11 (freedom of thought, expression, and association).

The Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR)

- Specifically Articles 18–20 regarding freedom of religion, belief, expression, and peaceful assembly.

United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD)

- Particularly relevant for member associations and initiatives involving persons with disabilities.

United Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC)

- Establishes global standards against corruption applicable to all federated entities.

OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises

– Provides voluntary principles and standards for responsible business conduct applicable to the ethical framework of the Federation.

Article 18 – Autonomy, Financial Transparency, and Federation Oversight

18.1 Autonomy of Affiliated Organisations

Each organisation affiliated with the Federation under its umbrella shall retain its full legal and operational autonomy. Where the Federation is involved in joint initiatives, representation, or communications, each member organisation is required to provide transparent and accurate reports of its activities to the Federation to ensure collective coordination and alignment with the Federation's values and objectives.

18.2 Financial Transparency and Monitoring

The Federation shall not hold, collect, or manage funds directly and shall not operate any bank account. Its role is strictly voluntary, non-commercial, and non-financial. The Federation's function is limited to monitoring and supporting transparency in the operations of its affiliated organisations.

18.3 Reporting and Archiving Obligations

Each affiliated organisation must submit periodic and transparent reports on their financial and operational activities to the Federation. These shall be archived and



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monitored solely for record-keeping and transparency purposes, in accordance with European and international good governance standards.

18.4 Financial Misconduct and Disassociation

Any member organisation found to be engaged in misconduct—particularly of a financial nature—or found in serious breach of the Federation's principles may be disassociated. Such disassociation shall lead to immediate termination of participation under the Federation's umbrella and removal from all Federation-related initiatives.

18.5 Adherence to Federation Rules

All member organisations are bound by the ethical and legal principles of the Federation. These include transparency, accountability, good governance, respect for human dignity, and compliance with applicable EU and international legal frameworks.

18.6 Federation's Role and Liability Limitation

The Federation acts solely as a voluntary coordinating and representative umbrella. It does not assume responsibility or liability for the actions, omissions, or obligations of its member organisations. Each member organisation shall remain solely responsible for its own conduct, finances, and legal obligations.

Article 19 - Media Section and Whistleblower Platform

19.1 Purpose and Establishment

As part of its mission to promote transparency, accountability, and the rule of law, the Federation shall establish a dedicated **European Media and Press Section**. This section shall operate as an independent platform under the umbrella of the Federation, with the purpose of supporting responsible journalism, investigative reporting, and dissemination of verified information in line with European and international standards.

19.2 Role in Anti-Corruption and Whistleblowing

This Media Section shall also serve as a safe and ethical **whistleblower support platform**, intended to receive, document, and publicise, where appropriate, cases



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of alleged corruption, abuse of power, or serious misconduct within public institutions, private entities, or voluntary organisations. All such reports shall be handled with strict confidentiality, in accordance with applicable whistleblower protection laws, including:

Directive (EU) 2019/1937 on the protection of persons who report breaches of Union law;

The **Belgian Law of 28 November 2022** on whistleblower protection in the public and private sectors;

Relevant international frameworks such as the United Nations Convention against Corruption (UNCAC).

19.3 Safeguards and Ethics

The Media Section shall uphold the highest standards of journalistic integrity, accuracy, and fairness. Any publication or disclosure shall be carefully verified and vetted in accordance with applicable legal frameworks and codes of ethics, including respect for privacy, due process, and human dignity.

19.4 Independence and Editorial Autonomy

The Media Section shall function independently from the Federation's administrative structure. While aligned with the Federation's values, it shall enjoy **editorial autonomy**, with oversight provided by a committee of independent professionals, including journalists, legal experts, and human rights defenders.

19.5 Non-Commercial and Rights-Based Operation

The Media Section shall operate on a non-commercial, voluntary basis and shall be accessible to all organisations and individuals affiliated with or supported by the Federation. It shall prioritise freedom of expression, protection of whistleblowers, and access to truthful information in the public interest.

Article 20 – Local Councils Section and Cooperation

20.1 Establishment of Local Councils Section

The Federation shall establish a dedicated **Local Councils Section**, aimed at fostering collaboration and coordination with all local councils across relevant territories.



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20.2 Rights and Participation of Local Councils

Each local council shall have the full right to cooperate and engage actively with the Federation in all matters relating to volunteerism, charity, and community support.

20.3 Representation by the Mayor

The mayor of each local council shall serve as the official representative of their council in dealings with the Federation. However, in cases of general meetings, conferences, or Federation-wide events, every councillor shall have the right to attend and participate.

20.4 Purpose of the Local Councils Section

This arrangement aims to strengthen cooperation and solidarity within the Federation, ensuring that support and assistance reach those truly in need—particularly vulnerable populations.

20.5 Access to Federation Projects

The Federation shall develop and offer humanitarian and social projects that local councils may utilize freely, without any fees or charges, to better serve their communities.

20.6 Right to Comment and Contribute

Each local council shall have the right to provide feedback, commentary, and opinions on Federation matters, with the understanding that all contributions are made in the spirit of volunteerism and mutual support.

20.7 Local Leadership in Implementation

When the Federation conducts initiatives within a specific locality—particularly distributions or events such as aid to the homeless—the **local council of that area shall take the lead** in coordinating the activity. The council shall advise and guide the Federation on the most effective and respectful way to implement the initiative, taking into account the local realities, sensitivities, and logistical considerations. The Federation recognizes the council's on-the-ground experience as essential to ensuring that aid reaches those who need it most.



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Article 21 – Inclusiveness of All Member Entities and the Role of the Belgian State

21.1 Participation in Federation Projects

All projects conducted under the auspices of the Federation shall include the active participation of all member organisations, entities, and structures affiliated with the Federation. The implementation of such projects shall reflect the spirit of solidarity and cooperation among all components under the Federation's umbrella.

21.2 Recognition and Support of the Belgian State

The Federation acknowledges with gratitude the support and recognition granted by the **Kingdom of Belgium**, which serves as the host State of the Federation's legal seat. Through the acceptance of the Federation within Belgian jurisdiction, the Federation enjoys legal shelter and administrative recognition in accordance with Belgian law.

21.3 Independence from Political Influence

By being headquartered in Belgium, the Federation affirms its **neutral and non-political** nature. It shall remain independent from any political party, ideology, or external political agenda, focusing solely on humanitarian, charitable, voluntary, and social missions.

21.4 Strategic European Positioning

With Belgium hosting key European Union institutions and having granted recognition to the Federation, this positioning allows the Federation to operate in close proximity to EU bodies. It enhances the Federation's capacity to engage in dialogue, cooperation, and advocacy on a European level, while remaining anchored in compliance with both **Belgian** and **European Union law**.

Article 22 – Formal Adherence and Legal Recognition of Member Organisations

22.1 Statutory Endorsement Requirement

Each organisation or member entity seeking to affiliate with the Federation must formally endorse and sign a copy of this Statute. This signature constitutes an



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official declaration of agreement with the Federation's objectives, principles, and operational framework.

22.2 Integration with Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

This Statute shall form an integral part of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) entered into between the Federation and each member organisation. The Statute and the MoU shall jointly govern the relationship, rights, and obligations of all parties, and ensure unified direction and legal clarity.

22.3 Clarity of Obligations and Direction

The signing of the Statute ensures that all member organisations are fully aware of their rights and responsibilities within the Federation. It serves to guarantee alignment, transparency, and proper governance among all members.

22.4 Notification to Authorities

Following the formalisation of membership, the Federation shall duly inform the competent Belgian and European authorities of every new organisation operating under its umbrella. This process upholds legal accountability and enhances institutional credibility.

Article 23 – Board of the Federation

(International Federation "Alliance of Love" & Doninu (Malta) International)

The Board of the International Federation "Alliance of Love" shall be the same governing body as that of Doninu (Malta) International, acting in unified purpose and governance across all national and international branches. This Board shall oversee the administrative, strategic, diplomatic, humanitarian, and cultural directives of the Federation in accordance with Belgian, Maltese, European, and international law.

(In accordance with the Statute and Articles ratified under Belgian, EU, and international law)

Honorable President

• His Imperial & Royal Majesty King Yuriy I of Ukraine – Ukraine



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Honorary VIP

• Her Royal Highness Miora Jeny Telesphore

Founders

- Chev. Jean Pierre Calleja, Founder Doninu (Malta) International Malta
- Mr. Nicolas Madou, Commandeur of Brussels Brussels, Belgium

Sub-Leader

• H.E. Marchese Chevalier Conrad Pace – Malta

Sub Vice-Leader

• Ms. Dianne El-Kafas – Malta

President of the Federation

• His Eminence Archbishop Svetoslav Vassileff

International Director

• H.E. Ambassador Dr. Pierre Vatel

Director - United Nations Coordination

• Ambassador Dr. Naim Aladgham – United States of America

Secretary General

• Dame Anne Chetcuti Ray – Malta

Projects Director

• Mr. Mathew Refalo – Malta



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Director of Charity Hubs

• Ms. Mira Bharwani – Malta

Director of Education

• Ms. Tania Borg – Malta

Italian Language Coordinator

• Ms. Silvia Dimech

Director of Dancing

• Mr. Jean Claude Dimech – Malta

Director of Singing and Music

• Ms. Phyllisienne Brincat – Malta

Communications Coordinator

• Ms. Valerie Vassallo – Malta

Final Declaration

The "Alliance of Love" Federation is a volunteer-led, transnational humanitarian federation, committed to justice, ethical solidarity, and compassionate service. It shall never be compromised by politics, religion, money, or self-interest. Its guiding principle is "love without judgment, service without condition."

Law Notes:

Articles 1 to 23 you have provided and refined—including the final Article 23 (Board of the Federation)—the statute for the International Federation "Alliance of Love", and its alignment with Doninu (Malta) International,



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appears to be **compliant with the following legal frameworks**, assuming proper registration and implementation:

1. Belgian Law on International Non-Profit Associations (AISBLs)

- Articles 1 to 23 comply with the **Law of 27 June 1921** (as amended, most recently by the Belgian Code on Companies and Associations *Wetboek van Vennootschappen en Verenigingen*).
- Key requirements met:
 - Non-profit purpose (Article 3)
 - Legal personality and governance structure (Articles 6, 23)
 - Clear objectives (Articles 2–4)
 - Membership rights and General Assembly powers (Articles 10– 12)
 - o Accountability and financial transparency (Articles 14, 15, 17)

2. European Union Law

- Complies with EU Charter of Fundamental Rights, especially:
 - Freedom of association (Article 12)
 - o Protection of personal data (Article 8)
 - **o** Non-discrimination (Article 21)
- Statute respects the right of international NGOs under European Convention on Recognition of the Legal Personality of INGOs (ETS No. 124)
- Internal procedures (e.g. non-profit, transparency, equality, voluntary participation) match with EU NGO best practices under DG JUST and European Civil Society Organisations Framework.

3. International Law & UN Norms

- Aligns with:
 - **o** UN Declaration on Human Rights Defenders (1998)
 - UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights as applied to civil society
 - Articles 19, 20, 22 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR)
 - UN ECOSOC Resolution 1996/31 on NGO consultative status structure and board meet good governance standards



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• Statute promotes interreligious cooperation, dignity of the vulnerable, and humanitarian work, aligning with UN SDGs, particularly Goals 1, 10, 16, and 17

4. Maltese Law

- For Doninu (Malta) International (unregistered):
 - Statute confirms it does not collect funds, has no bank accounts, and does not fall under Chapter 492 – consistent with positions already taken in legal memos.
 - o If ever registered under **Cap. 492**, the current statute **already meets** core requirements: non-profit aims, public benefit, governance rules, minutes of meetings, etc.
 - Use of MOU with other VOs (as per Article 19) is legally acceptable under non-commercial cooperation agreements, provided no donations or financial dealings occur.

Conclusion: COMPLIANT

Articles 1–23:

- Respect all relevant Belgian laws for AISBLs
- Fulfill EU legal expectations for civil society and NGOs
- Uphold international human rights standards
- Remain valid for Doninu (Malta) International in its current status

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Leader / Founder

Doninu (Malta) International &

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