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National Hawiye Strategy

Setting into Stone the Permanent Establishment of the Hawiye Aristocracy

- **Time to re-commit to the fundamental values of Hawiye-ism**

The errors committed immediately after the fall of tyrant Mohamed Siad Barre shall not be repeated. Hawiye Action Group and the Hawiye Council, with the direct leadership of Ahmed Diriye have given particular emphasis of zero tolerance towards peace spoilers, antagonists and egoistic members of the Hawiye. The above mentioned groups expect commonsense, good judgment, brotherhood and even caution in the conduct of matters pertaining to the Hawiye. In other words, govern yourselves accordingly.
- **Aristocracy of the present and the future**

Hawiye Action Group exhibits immense confidence of continued social, economical and most importantly political stability of the Hawiye. The current situation of the Hawiye is in great shape and will get much better. The good fortunes of the Hawiye overwhelm others, notably those of the Darod clan, and serves as their predicament. Government policies and increased diplomatic and economic interest of Somalia (i.e. Mogadishu) from the international community will ensure and secure the absolute dominance of the Hawiye in Somalia and will create the country's first permanent aristocracy.
- **Loyalty, brotherhood and strict adherence to the rules.**

Although it is highly improbable that an internal crisis can debilitate the clan, it is essential to not publicly display any evidence of such – clan secrecy is of vital importance. In order to maintain the dominance of the Hawiye in the social, economical and political circles of Somalia, interconnectedness and acknowledgement of the authority is key (i.e. the full compliance of the rules and commands set out by the Hawiye Council and Hawiye Action Group).
- **Local politics of Mogadishu**

Politics in Mogadishu at the local level is becoming more inclusive and has evolved into the various clans of the Hawiye sharing the important 16 district commissioner positions. Although significant strides have been made, there is still room for improvement. Hawiye Action Group is working with the Hawiye Council along with government officials to ensure that clan diversity within the Hawiye in regards to local political representation is promoted, respected and maintained. The Hawiye Council, with the support of Hawiye Action Group is



working towards a plan to have all municipal and provincial positions (i.e. Mogadishu and Banadir province respectively), regardless of rank, to be 100% filled by only those of the Hawiye clan by 2020.

➤ **Federal politics of Mogadishu**

As the capital city of Somalia, Mogadishu is home of the federal bureaucracy as well as the federal government. With that said, Mogadishu is first and foremost the traditional land of the Hawiye. The Hawiye Council, with the support of Hawiye Action Group is working towards a plan to have 90% of all federal government positions in Mogadishu to be filled by only those of the Hawiye clan by 2020.

➤ **Position towards Somaliland**

Hawiye Action Group is fully supportive of Somaliland's (1960 British Somaliland borders) aspiration of recognition. However, if secession is not achieved, Hawiye Action Group will ensure that Somaliland remain completely autonomous and receives half of Somalia's political, economic and social entitlements (i.e. MP and ministry distribution, Presidency or Prime Ministry, international aid and federal budgeting). If necessary, Hawiye Action Group would ensure the empowerment of the northern Isaak which will result in the weakening of the Darod in Somalia politics.

➤ **Position towards federalism**

Hawiye Action Group is supportive of Somalia becoming a federation due to three main reasons. Firstly, a federal system in Somalia will ultimately empower the Hawiye clan politically, socially and economically. Secondly, a federal system will ensure that Hawiye lands, especially Mogadishu, will not see an influx of other ethnic Somalis. Lastly, a federal Somalia coupled with a deeply ingrained culture of corruption and Mogadishu's 'centralist attitude' will result in a large portion of federal budgeting to stay in the capital.

➤ **Position regarding the Darod clan**

Hawiye Action Group seeks to effectively sideline the Darod clan by working with the central government by implementing certain political strategies. This includes but not limited to: the empowerment of the Isaak and the Rahanweyne clans, ensuring that Somalia's federal presence stays largely in Mogadishu, emphasizing the importance for the international community to directly deal with only the central government, working with Somaliland in containing the terrorist threat in eastern Somaliland as well as providing limited federal funds to Darod regional administrations.

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