

SHOSJJ Sovereign Organizational Statute — Institutions and Licensing Delegates

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Purpose: Establish chartered institutions as the primary organizational form and functional sovereign departments as licensing routing equivalents.

Legal effectiveness originates from publication in the Gazzetta Ufficiale dell'Ordine Sovrano Militare di Malta (GUOSMM). This Statute confirms the Order uses **institutions**, not conventional national ministries, while defining department equivalents for licensing delegation under GUOSMM-A-2026-002.

Article 1 — Organizational model

1.1 The Order exercises sovereign administrative authority through **chartered institutions** and **affiliated juridical persons** under SHOSJJ mandate — not through conventional national **cabinet ministries** claiming extraterritorial equivalence.

1.2 For licensing, appeals, public verification, and portal presentation, the Order maintains **functional sovereign departments** mapped to institution owners. These departments are **administrative routing labels** under Order law; they do not assert recognition as foreign ministries.

1.3 Legal effectiveness of organizational authority originates from **GUOSMM** publication. External notice serves transparency — not creation.

Article 2 — Parent sovereign authority

2.1 **Sovereign Hospitallers Order of St. John of Jerusalem (SHOSJJ)** is the parent sovereign authority for all affiliated institutions, licensing delegates, and Complete Credential tenant programmes.

2.2 The **Grand Chancellor** signs Tier 1 constitutional and organizational instruments. Day-to-day licensing coordination rests with the **SHOSJJ Licensing Authority** established under GUOSMM-A-2026-002.

Article 3 — Chartered institutions

Institution	Role	Primary licensing domains
XOM programmes	Hospitaller, humanitarian, diplomatic affairs	Diplomatic, medical, NGO, government liaison
Digital Bank of International Settlements (DBIS)	Settlement, supervision, treasury operations	Financial institutions, banks, exchanges, trust companies, insurance
International Commerce Courts (ICCC)	Adjudication, enforcement, commercial compliance	Judicial, commercial enterprise, defense contractor (enforcement leg)
Organisation Mondiale du Numérique (OMNL)	Digital standards, identity, ledger operations	Technology providers, professional, technical, academic, digital identity
Diplomatic Security Services (DSS)	Travel documents, credential integrity, security screening	Diplomatic credentials, security, border-adjacent licensing
Complete Credential	Platform operator for issuance, registry, verification	Workflow execution; not a licensing owner except platform attestations

Article 4 — Functional sovereign departments

The following **functional departments** route licensing matters to institution owners:

Department ID	Functional equivalent	Institution owner	Entity pack
dept-chancellery	Executive / constitutional coordination	SHOSJJ / XOM	pack-order-xom
dept-diplomatic-protocol	State / Foreign Affairs	XOM + DSS	pack-order-xom
dept-monetary-treasury	Treasury / Finance / Central banking	DBIS + OMNL	pack-dbis, pack-omnl
dept-judicial-compliance	Justice / Commercial enforcement	ICCC	pack-iccc
dept-digital-identity	Digital / Technology / Standards	OMNL	pack-omnl
dept-hospitaller-misericordia	Health / Humanitarian / Welfare	XOM	pack-order-xom
dept-security-credentials	Internal/Security (credentials)	DSS (via XOM)	pack-order-xom

Full license-class routing: `shosjj-ministerial-routing.v1.json`.

Article 5 — Licensing delegation

5.1 The **SHOSJJ Licensing Authority** may delegate issuance, renewal, suspension, and verification functions to institution packs listed in Article 4, subject to the routing matrix.

5.2 Each delegate must:

- Maintain affiliation with SHOSJJ in tenant metadata
- Expose a public verification contact and portal registry URL
- Route appeals per the appeals ladder in the routing config
- Use Complete Credential platform services for audit trail and credential registry

5.3 **Complete Credential** (`pack-complete-credential`) operates as **platform delegate** only — not as a licensing class owner.

Article 6 — Appeals ladder

6.1 Default appeals path (unless a license class specifies otherwise):

1. **Issuing delegate** — primary institution pack
2. **Functional department review** — department head or designated officer
3. **SHOSJJ Licensing Governance Board** — policy, standards, appeals
4. **Grand Chancellor** — final administrative review on constitutional or sovereign matters

6.2 Judicial license appeals involving ICCC proceedings follow ICCC chamber rules in addition to this ladder.

Article 7 — Public verification

7.1 Each licensing delegate shall publish:

- Public registry or institutional profile URL
- Licensing verification endpoint or contact (`licensing@...`)
- GUOSMM cross-reference where applicable

7.2 Master public verification index: <https://xom.d-bis.org/legal/institutional-registry> (parent Order).

Signing authority: Sovereign Military Order of Malta