

# Charter for the Order of the Sword Bearers of Aarquelle

- I. There shall exist in the Barony of Aarquelle an Order, known as the Sword Bearers of Aarquelle, which may be given by the Coronet, at the pleasure of the Crown, to those in the Art Martial of Armored Combat who have continued to improve their prowess and have used their skills to serve the Barony of Aarquelle. A sitting Baron(ess) shall be the patron of the Order. A citation of precedence: there was a medieval order, circa 1147, called the Sword Bearers of Livonia
- II. The holders of this award shall be styled as Companions of the Sword Bearers of Aarquelle and shall be entitled to place the initials CBA after their names.
- III. The insignia of the Order shall consist of Azure, in fess three broadswords inverted Or, a bordure wavy argent.
- IV. Arms and Precedence
  - A. The award shall carry with it an Award of Arms. Companions of the Order shall take precedence before a simple award of arms
  - B. If the award is given to a person who bears an award carrying higher precedence than given above, their precedence shall remain unchanged.
  - C. If the award is given to a person who has previously received an Award of Arms, their precedence shall date from their election to the Order.
- V. Amendments to this charter shall be made by the Coronet with the approval of the Crown of the Outlands.

By Our hands this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January, A.S. 54, being 2020 ~~2019~~ Gregorian.

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