



**Uniform Military Code of Justice of
the United Kingdom of
Lillo-Mabruenia (UKLMMCJ)**

Category: Military

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PREAMBLE

In order to preserve the discipline, ensure Justice, maintain the honor of the Armed Forces of Lillo-Mabruenia, protect the rights of all who serve, the Parliament hereby establishes this Uniform Military Code of Justice, binding upon all branches of the Armed Forces.

Title I — General Provisions

1. This code applies to all members of:
 - The Royal Army
 - The Royal Air Corps
 - The Royal Navy
 - The Royal Cyber Defense Authority
 - The State Armed Reserve Agency
 - Cadets of the Royal Military Academies.
 2. This code applies during:
 - Peacetime
 - Wartime
 - States of Emergency
 - Training, drills, and ceremonial operations.
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Article 2 — Definitions

- **Service Member** — Anyone enlisted, commissioned, or serving under military authority,
 - **Commanding Officer (CO)** — The officer in lawful command of a unit.
 - **Court-Martial** — A military tribunal empowered to adjudicate violations of this Code.
 - **Royal Judge Advocate (RJA)** — Military legal officers overseeing prosecution and defense.
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Article 3 — Principles of Military Justice

1. All service members are entitled to due process.
2. No one shall be deprived of liberty without lawful charge.
3. Discipline shall be maintained fairly and without prejudice.

4. The military shall uphold the honor and reputation of the Crown and the Kingdom.
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Article II — Duties & Obligations of Service Members

Article 4 — Oath of Service

All service Members shall take an oath to

- The Monarch
 - The President of Lillia
 - The Constitution
 - The people of Lillo-Mabruenia
 - The lawful chain of Command.
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Article 5 — Duty to obey lawful orders

Failure to obey a lawful command constitutes misconduct; obeying an unlawful order is prohibited.

Article 6 — Conduct and Discipline

Service members must:

- Maintain professionalism
 - Uphold honor
 - Avoid disgraceful acts
 - Protect civilians
 - Safeguard government property
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TITLE III — OFFENSES

Below is a structured list of offenses modeled after the UCMJ of America, and the UK Armed Forces Act.

CHAPTER 1 — Crimes Against the Crown and State

Article 7 — Treason

Acts including:

- Joining an enemy
 - Betraying military secrets
 - Attempting to overthrow the government
- Penalty:** Life imprisonment or dismissal with dishonor.

Article 8 — Mutiny

Any concerted refusal to obey orders or attempt to overthrow authority.

Penalty: Imprisonment, demotion, or dishonorable discharge.

Article 9 — Desertion

Leaving service with intent not to return.

Penalty: Imprisonment up to 10 years; dishonorable discharge.

Article 10 — Absence Without Leave (AWOL)

Absence without authorization.

Penalty: Reduction in rank, confinement, forfeiture of pay.

CHAPTER 2 — Crimes Against Military Authority

Article 11 — Disobedience of Lawful Orders

Willful refusal to follow legal orders.

Penalty: Confinement, demotion, reprimand.

Article 12 — Disrespect Toward Superiors

Insulting, threatening, or undermining the authority of a superior officer.

Penalty: Reprimand to confinement (severity varies by context).

Article 13 — Neglect of Duty

Failure to perform assigned responsibilities.

Penalty: Suspension, demotion, confinement up to 6 months.

Article 14 — Insubordination

Open challenge to lawful authority, verbal or physical.

Penalty: Court-martial, confinement.

CHAPTER 3 — Crimes Related to Operations

Article 15 — Misuse of Weapons or Vehicles

Includes unsafe operation or unauthorized firing/testing.

Penalty: Confiscation of equipment, training suspension, confinement.

Article 16 — Cowardice in the Face of the Enemy (wartime only)

Penalty: Severe punishment; dishonorable discharge.

Article 17 — Unauthorized Use of Classified Materials

Penalty: Confinement up to 15 years.

HAPTER 4 — Crimes Against Persons & Property**Article 18 — Assault**

Any violence against fellow service members or civilians.

Penalty: Confinement or discharge.

Article 19 — Theft, Fraud, Embezzlement

Especially involving government property.

Penalty: Repayment, confinement.

Article 20 — Harassment, Discrimination, or Abuse

Zero tolerance for discrimination based on ethnicity, creed, or identity.

Penalty: Discharge or confinement.

TITLE IV — COURTS-MARTIAL

Article 21 — Types of Courts-Martial

1. Summary Court-Martial

- Minor offenses
- Single judge advocate
- Maximum 30 days confinement

2. Special Court-Martial

- Intermediate offenses
- 3 officers + judge advocate
- Maximum 1 year confinement

3. General Court-Martial

- Serious crimes (treason, desertion, assault, espionage)
- 5 officers, including at least 1 of equal or higher rank to the accused
- Can impose any lawful sentence

Article 22 — Rights of the Accused

- Right to legal counsel (RJA provides defense counsel)
 - Right to remain silent
 - Right to examine evidence
 - Right to call witnesses
 - Right to appeal
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TITLE V — PUNISHMENTS

Article 23 — Authorized Sentences

- Written reprimand
 - Reduction in rank
 - Forfeiture of pay
 - Extra duty
 - Restriction to barracks
 - Confinement (various degrees)
 - Dishonorable discharge
 - Lifetime prohibition from military service
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TITLE VI — COMMAND RESPONSIBILITIES

Article 24 — Duty of Commanding Officers

COs must:

- Maintain discipline
- Report violations
- Ensure fairness
- Protect subordinates

Negligence or abuse of authority is punishable.

Article 25 — Role of the Royal Judge Advocate General (RJAG)

The RJAG:

- Oversees legality within the Armed Forces
- Advises the Monarch and Parliament

- Supervises courts-martial
 - Ensures independence of the military judiciary
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TITLE VII — AMENDMENTS AND INTERPRETATION

Article 26 — Amendments

Amendments require:

- Majority vote in House of Representatives
 - Majority vote in House of Lords
 - Royal Assent
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Article 27 — Interpretation

If ambiguity exists, interpretation follows:

1. The Constitution
2. Acts of Parliament
3. This Code
4. Military regulations

