



## **The Sovereign Military Order of The Temple of Jerusalem**

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### ***Grand Chancellor's Office***

The OSMTH Grand Priory of Germany is today Appointed as "Mentor" for Croatia. It is the Grand Prior of OSMTH Germany who personally takes on the responsibility as Mentor. It is within his authority to nominate a "Coordinator" who is running the from day to day business.

As Mentor, GP Germany is responsible for rendering all kinds of assistance to OSMTH activities in Croatia, and assist and support in formalities connected with an elevation to become an autonomous OSMTH Grand Priory. The Grand Prior Germany is obliged to serve and support all Christian denominations in Croatia within the Order's true ecumenical objectives and tradition. This includes any requirement to establish entities; Commandery or Priory, where the Grand Prior shall do his utmost to support such initiatives.

The Mentor institute is established to serve as a first line of communication between Templar groups and OSMTH, and to be responsible for quality assurance of all formal documents and petitions to be sent to the OSMTH Grand Magisterium for presentation to the OSMTH Grand Magistral Council.

The Grand Prior of OSMTH Germany will serve in this role until such time as the thus developed OSMTH presence in Croatia will have satisfied all the requirements for being recognized by the OSMTH Grand Magistral Council as an independent body within OSMTH.

In order to obtain membership in OSMTH, all individuals in Croatia ought to be personal members of GP Germany and subject to follow GP Germany Rules and Regulations, Insignia Protocol etc. Entities in Croatia subject to said mentorship shall communicate with and through the Mentor in all matters, and not directly with the OSMTH Grand Magisterium or its Officers. In the role as Mentor for Croatia, the Grand Prior Germany will report to the Grand Chancellor.

Until the entity in Croatia has achieved a Formal Status with OSMTH, it is allowed to use the reference "Entity (Commandery) seeking affiliation with OSMTH through the Mentor OSMTH Grand Priory Germany". The entity may use the Croix Patee as its symbol, but is not allowed to use the registered OSMTH Logo or any seals, or the acronym OSMTH, except in the reference to the affiliation, and not to use any reference to the UN status. It is imperative that the Mentor fully explains this to the Croatian entity and controls a correct execution.

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