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Unit 4: Laws Explanation

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“If we desire respect for the law, we must first make the law respectable” Louis D. Brandeis.

Law is the cement foundation of the house that is our nation, it accentuates a nation's collective values, and sets the parameter for excellent citizenship. Law comes in all shapes and sizes; business, construction, human welfare, etc. Each have their own importance in shaping a country and its morals.

My country's law was inspired mostly by American law. American law is stable and progressive which are two qualities I felt would be beneficial for my country. An example of America's progressive laws would be gay and lesbian marriage. I also created some laws based off of my personal opinions for example; I banned all tobacco products because they have no medical aspects, and made marijuana federally legal for medicinal purposes such as reducing the effects of chemotherapy on cancer patients, and reducing weight loss in people with HIV and/or AIDS. I was inspired by American law in terms of schooling as well as the children in my country have to complete grades 1-12 in order to graduate high school.

I was also inspired by American law because I feel American law is fair for all people considering we the people vote for the laws ourselves. For this reason I aspired to include a general sense of free will such as freedom of the press and freedom of speech, however, disallowed anything that hindered others rights such as murder. American law didn't only inspire those laws it also inspired animal welfare laws.

I felt that violent criminal acts should be the most harshly punished whether against animal, child, or otherwise anything living. Violent criminal acts display an extreme lack of morality in the eyes of my country, and my country strives for morality and safety among its

people. We do not have a death penalty, however, we do have a purge day to keep population under control as we believe that in purging the earth we ultimately keep it clean.

The law enforcement in Mephistopheles consists of police officers, sheriffs, and federal agents. The police officers take care of ticketing, arresting, questioning, and otherwise securing crime scenes if necessary. The sheriffs assist with the same, however, they also communicate to the federal agencies and help with private investigations. The federal agents deal with major criminals like drug traffickers, mass murders, and human traffickers. All three also clean up the mess after purge day and tally deaths.

I decided to incorporate a “purge day” because humanity has the problem of breeding like rabbits and killing everything in its path to provide for its expanding race. Therefore, I decided to take action and eliminate that problem by allowing a day where we can engage our deepest darkest desires. Not to mention, the purge is thought to decrease crime rates every other day of the year because people can contain themselves until the designated purge day.

In reference to my original point of why law is important, law is a set of guidelines as there is always an exception to the rules. However, for the most case law is set in order to protect the people, the animals, and the earth. To preserve humanity, and to set expectations for citizenship. Laws teach us to be better human beings, and create safe environments. Laws are very important parts of governments, because without law there is anarchy.

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