

HOUSE LANGMUIR: THE REGULATORS

Background and Goals: The ancient and honorable House of Langmuir traces its history back to the earliest days of Verbobonc, when the land was part of the great Vice Royalty of Ferrond. Founded by Diptherius Langmuir, a distaff scion of the family that now rules the Viscounty of the Reach in Furyondy, House Langmuir has increased in influence under the wise leadership of its noble rulers. The current heads of the house—Baron Ludovic Langmuir and the Dowager Baroness Golediva Langmuir—have lead the house to great prosperity.

However, much of the greatness of House Langmuir is obscured or, worse—slandered, by those that envy the majesty and puissance of her founders and heads. Many would seek to supplant House Langmuir or depose them from the Viscounty. Viscount Langard himself felt threatened by House Langmuir, and the House is considered by some to have a greater claim to station of Viscount than those of Wilfrick's descent.

The slander has reached even the ears of the peasants and tenants that farm House Langmuir's land, and both Baron Ludovic and Baroness Golediva have been obliged to put down uprisings that were fermented by slanderous rumor. It is these rumors that have given Baroness Golediva the epithet of "Iron Lady" - no doubt a testament to her strength of will and decisive nature.

The current voice of slander seems to be coming from those adherents of the Church of Trithereon, who seem to feel it is their duty to tarnish the reputation of anyone that has money or is profitable.

Members: House Langmuir and its small parcel of land are situated right in the heartland of the Viscounty, befitting the status of such a noble and regal house. A Regulator of House Langmuir is expected to put the well being of the house before all interests. Regulators perform their duties with extreme diligence, whether due to the generous monetary compensation or fear of disappointing Baron Ludovic or Baroness Golediva.

Membership Criteria: Membership in the Regulators of House Langmuir is limited to Verbobonc regional characters.

Type: Noble [Verbobonc]

Scale: 10 (regional [Verbobonc])

Benefits and Duties: As a member of the Regulators of House Langmuir, you receive the following benefits and duties:

❖ **In Our Lady's Name:** You are expected to further the interests of House Langmuir—whether in business, politics, society, or adventuring. You receive a +2 circumstance bonus to Bluff, Gather Information, Intimidate, and Sense Motive skill checks.

❖ **Per Diem:** You receive a stipend for lifestyle costs. Adventure Lifestyle costs are reduced by 50% during all Verbobonc regional adventures.

❖ **Eyes and Ears:** As a dutiful servant of House Langmuir, you are required to report any and all dealings with other organizations (noble houses, religious establishments, and so forth) to your superiors.

❖ **Bounty of the House:** Lord Ludovic and Lady Golediva are very generous with their favors to those that serve them well. Because of the great bounty of goodness and provisions, gleaned from years of wise investment and judicious planning, you receive access to the following items.

- ◆ Blowgun, greater ^{CW}
- ◆ Bolt Cutters ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Book, false ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Boots, Smuggler's ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Brigandine armor ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Candle, restful ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Cutlass ^{SW}
- ◆ Catstink ^{CA}
- ◆ Dart, greater blowgun ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Hacksaw ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Lantern, fog cutter ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Lucerne hammer ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Maul ^{CW}
- ◆ Moneybelt ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Rapier, Quickblade ^{CV}
- ◆ Quiver scabbard ^{A&EG}
- ◆ Sheath, Boot ^{CV}
- ◆ Sheath, Wrist ^{CA}
- ◆ Shoes, Silent ^{A&EG}

❖ **Necessity of the Job:** Your duties at times are questionable at best, but sometimes the diligence required of a Regulator requires that they adopt the guise of wrong to accomplish what is right for their House. Regulators have access to the prestige classes Avenging Executioner and Spymaster ^{CV}

❖ **Alternate Class Features:** Regulators have access to the following alternate class features Distracting Attack ^{PH2}, Disruptive Attack ^{PH2}, Spell Reflection ^{CM}.

❖ **Oath of Service:** You have sworn an oath to serve House Langmuir to the best of your ability.



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