ON AGENCY FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF MEMORIAL COMPLEXES OF KOSOVO

Assembly of Republic of Kosovo,

Based on Article 65 (1) of the Constitution of the Republic of Kosovo,

Approves

LAW ON AGENCY FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF MEMORIAL COMPLEXES OF KOSOVO

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 1
Purpose

1. By this law shall be established the Agency for Management of Memorial Complexes of Kosovo (hereinafter – the Agency) as an independent body.

2. This law shall define the status, organization, functioning, duties, responsibilities and financing of the Agency.
Article 2
Definitions

1. Terms used in this Law shall have the following meaning:

1.1. **Agency** - Agency for the Management of Memorial Complexes of Kosovo;

1.2. **Area of Special Interest** - area announced in accordance with the Law on Spatial Planning;

1.3. **Complex** - space of the Area with Special Interest, which in its frame besides the memorial includes other facilities of the cultural-historic heritage;

1.4. **Memorial** – a space of the complex which serves as a memory center of any personality or certain historical event;

1.5. **Administration** - governance, management and organization of works in a field based on the rules and relevant laws;

1.6. **Management** - coordinated activities to lead, manage and control Complexes and Memorials;

1.7. **Investments** - the amount of funds allocated for realization of the Agency projects;

1.8. **WEB Page** - electronic page of the Agency for Memorial Complexes;

1.9. **Links** - electronic data for Memorial Complexes;

1.10. **Magazine** – weekly magazine for activities of the Agency.

BASIC PROVISIONS

Article 3
Status of the Agency

1. Agency is an independent body for designing, constructing, administration and management of Memorial Complexes.

2. Agency is a legal person and for its work shall report in written once a year, until 31 March, to the Assembly of Republic of Kosovo.

3. The official of the Agency shall have the status of civil servant.
4. Agency has its logo, which shall be determined with sub-legal act.

**Article 4**

**Competencies of the Agency**

1. Agency is responsible for management of memorial complexes announced by decision of the Assembly as Areas of Special National Interest and with historic character.

2. Agency is responsible for:

   2.1. designing, constructing, administration and management of Memorial Complexes, in compliance with applicable legislation and with local and international standards;

   2.2. determining research–scientific programs, activities and other events, concerning the areas and their history;

   2.3. cooperation with governmental institutions and organizations emerged from the KLA war, respective municipalities, tourism agencies, for projects dealing with these areas;

   2.4. creating WEB Page and maintaining special links for Memorial Complexes and also for publishing the weekly magazine;

   2.5. initiating the procedure for announcing areas of special interest and prepares draft decision for approval in the Assembly;

   2.6. drafting spatial, urban and regulatory plans for the areas of special interest, concerning the memorial complexes;

   2.7. drafting plans for management of memorial complexes;

   2.8. proposing announcement of the areas with special national interest and with historic character.

3. Determination of the criteria for memorial complexes, shall be regulated with sub-legal act.

**Article 5**

**Director of the Agency**

1. Agency shall be headed by the Director, who shall be responsible for administration, operation and management of the Agency.

2. The Director of the Agency shall be responsible for:
2.1. administration and management of the Agency;

2.2. organization and employment of the staff, issuing administrative instructions and making decisions on the matters concerning functions of the Agency;

2.3. effective and efficient management of resources entrusted to the Agency;

2.4. management of the Agency budget and for the way of spending it;

2.5. agency representation within the country and abroad;

2.6. entering into cooperation agreements with other local and international institutions in accordance with the laws in force;

2.7. engagement of experts outside the Agency;

3. Director of the Agency performs, also, other duties defined by this law.

**Article 6**

**Procedure for Election of Director of the Agency**

1. Respective parliamentary Committee, six (6) months prior to expiry of the mandate of Director of the Agency shall notify President of the Assembly for beginning the procedure for election of a new Director.

2. The Committee shall announce public competition for position of Director of the Agency. Term for application of candidates shall be fifteen (15) days.

3. Candidate for Director of the Agency should fulfill the following conditions:
   
   3.1. should be citizen of Republic of Kosovo;

   3.2. should have at least four (4) year university diploma or master degree;

   3.3. should not have been convicted for criminal offence, with over six (6) months of imprisonment;

   3.4. should have high moral integrity;

   3.5. should have at least three (3) years of managerial experience.

4. After expiry of the foreseen term in paragraph 2. of this Article, the Committee within thirty (30) days shall hold interview with each candidate who fulfills the conditions foreseen in paragraph 3. of this Article, to be elected as Director of the Agency and based on the results of the interview prepares short list with two (2) candidates for voting in the Assembly.
5. The Assembly, by secret vote, shall elect one of the two (2) candidates proposed by the Committee for Director of the Agency, with majority votes of the deputies of the Assembly present.

6. Director of the Agency shall be elected for a period of five (5) years, without the right of reelection.

7. Director of the Agency, during its mandate, cannot exercise political activities.

8. Director of the Agency, during its mandate, cannot exercise other public duties, for which receives payment.

**Article 7**

**Dismissal of Director of the Agency**

1. Director of the Agency may be dismissed by the Assembly, upon proposal of the respective parliamentary committee, for failing to fulfill the given mandate by this law.

2. Dismissal of Director of the Agency shall be done with majority votes of the deputies present in the Assembly.

**Article 8**

**End of Mandate of the Director of the Agency**

1. Mandate of Director of the Agency ends up:
   1.1. when the mandate described with this law ends up;
   1.2. with loss of permanent ability to perform its functions;
   1.3. if by court decision is convicted for criminal offence, with over six (6) months of imprisonment;
   1.4. if he exercises functions that are not in accordance with his function pursuant to the law in force.

**Article 9**

**Budget of the Agency**

1. Agency is budgetary organization and has its own budget code.

2. The Agency prepares and manages the budget in accordance with the Law on Public Financial Management and Accountability.
Article 10  
Salary of Director of the Agency

1. Level of salary for Director of the Agency, shall be assigned with the Law on Salaries of High Public Officials.

2. Until approval of the Law on Salaries of High Public Officials, the level of salary for Director of the Agency, shall be assigned by the Assembly.

Article 11  
Organizational Structure of the Agency

The structure and organization of the Agency shall be regulated with sub-legal act.

Article 12  
Memorial Complexes

1. Integral part of this law is Annex 1- the List of Memorial Complexes.

2. The List of Memorial Complexes, may be supplemented by the Assembly of Republic of Kosovo, by proposal of the institutions of the municipal and central level.

FINAL PROVISIONS

Article 13  
Issuance of Sub-legal Acts

The sub-legal acts foreseen by this law, shall be issued by Director of the Agency, in terms of six (6) months from day of entry into force of this law.
Article 14
Entry into force

This law shall enter into force fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Kosovo.

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President of the Assembly of the Republic of Kosovo

Jakup KRASNIQI
ANNEX 1

List of Memorial Complexes

1. Municipality Suharekë:
   - Memorial of Civilian Victims Suharekë
   - Place of Massacre of Berisha family in center of Suharekë
   - Cemetery of Martyrs in Suharekë, Bllace, Grajqec, Papaz, Dardhishtë e Epërme and e Ulet, Budakovë, Mohlan, Reqan, Baksh, Vraniq, Mushtishtë, Maçitevë, Grejkoc, Sopij, Dubravë, Shirokë, Leshan, Samodrezh, Studenqan, Rashtan, Peqan, Sllapuzhan, Gallushë e Peqanit, Nishor, Biraqë, Stravucin, Luzhnicë, Suharekë, Bukogllavë and Qafë të Duhlës.
   - Cemetery of Martyrs and KLA Monolith - Dobërdolan.

2. Municipality Prizren:
   - Memorial “KLA Martyrs” - Landovicë, Prizren
   - Memorial of” Martyrs” - Krushë e Vogël
   - Cemetery and Monoliths - Lez, Kushnin, Jeshkovë, Lubiqevë, Kabash, Piranë, Zojz, Hoçë e Qytetit, Vërmicë,
   - Memorial of Martyrs - Korishë.
   - Memorial of 22 Martyrs - Randobravë

3. Municipality Obiliq:
   - Memorial of Martyrs of Freedom – Obiliq
   - Bust of KLA Commander “Adem Jashari” – Obiliq
   - Statue of Patriot Aziz Zhilivoda, and Bust of Martyr Fahri Fazliu – Obiliq
- Monument – Obelisk of Martyr Ferid Curri – Mazgit i Ulët
- Monument of KLA Martyrs – Hade
- Monolith of Freedom – Hamidi
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs – Siboc
- Monument of KLA War - Shipitullë

4. Municipality Hani i Elezit:
- Complex of Cemetery of KLA Martyrs in Puset e Nikës – Hani i Elezit
- Memorial in Domjak, of Massacre in 1912 by Gjeneral Jankovic.
- Memorial of KLA Martyrs Feriz Guri – commander Shpata and Xhevdet Guri
- Memorial of “Ilaz Thaqi and of British Journalist- Karem Lewton” - Krivenik

5. Municipality Viti:
- Memorial “Mehdi Korrani”- Pozharan
- Busts of ” Njazi Azemi and Bafti Hagjiu” - Viti
- Memorial “Gursel and Bajram Sylejmani” - village Sadovinë
- Memorial “Martyrs of Smira and Gjylekar”.
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - Viti
- Memorial “Massacre of year 1912”
- Monolith of Activist and Eminent Fighter “Hysen Tërpeza” – Tërpezë
- Monolith of “Karem Lewton” British Journalist - Viti

6. Municipality Skënderaj:
- Memorial Complex “ Adem Jashari “ - Prekaz
- Memorial Center “KLA Martyrs” - Marinë
- Memorial ” Massacre of Likoshan” - Likoshan, Çirez
- Memorial “Massacre of Izbica”- Izbicë
- Memorial “Dëshmorëve dhe Martirëve” - Rezallë
- Memorial “Tahir Meha”- Prekaz
- Memorial Complex in Likoc, with Headquarters and KLA Ambulance and Cemetery of KLA Martyrs
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - Polac

7. Municipality Dragash:
- Commemorative Center of Cemetery of KLA Martyrs – Dragash
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - village Buçe
- Cemetery of Martyrs fallen in the battle of 1912 - village Brodosanë

8. Municipality Kamenicë:
- Memorial Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - Kamenicë
- Memorial Center of KLA Headquarters, “Brigade 172” Hogosht – Bujnoc
- Cemetery of the Martyr of three Wars (Kosovo, Preshevë –Medvegjë - Bujanoc, Maqedoni) Rahim Beqiri - Kopërnicë.
- Memorial of Eminent National Activist “Metush Krasniqi” – Dajkoc
- Memorial of Martyr of the Nation “Kadri Zeka” - Poliçkë
- Memorial Square of LNDSH- Topanicë and Shipashnica e Epërme
- Memorial “House Museum of Isa Kastrati”- Hogosht
9. Municipality Rahovec:
- Memorial “KLA Martyrs” - Xërëxë
- Cemetery of Martyrs of Rahovec
- Cemetery of Martyrs - village Pastasellë, Celinë,
- Cemetery of Martyrs - villages Dejnë, Ratkoc, Gradishë, Fortesë, Nagavc, Opterushë, Brestoc.
- Memorial of” Martyrs” - Krushë e Madhe.
- Memorial “Hoçë e Vogël “.

10. Municipality Lipjan:
- Memorial Complex of Special Area “General Headquarters of KLA Kleçkë and Divjakë” – Malet e Berishës.
- Memorial of Martyrs - villages Sllovi, Ribare i Vogël, Hallaq i Vogël, Dobrajë e Madhe,
- “Memorial and Monumental Center of Rambouillet”- village Shalë -Sadllar
- Cemetery of Martyrs Vërshhec - Blinajë.
- Memorial of Martyrs of the Nation “Grackë e Vogël”.
- Memorial of the Massacre “Massacre of Bujan” - Lipjan.
- Memorial “Martyrs of Krojmir”.

11. Municipality Podujevë:
- Complex “Kulla e Zahir Pajazitit” – village Orllan.
- Complex of Cemetery of Martyrs – village Penuh.
- Obelisk “Afrim Zhitia” – village Llugë.
- Cemetery of Martyrs – village Dyz.
- Square “Qëndresa” and monument “Xhemajl Mustafa” – village Gllamnik.
- Cemetery of Martyrs and Memorial – “Tabet e Llapashticës”.

12. Municipality Pejë:
- Cemetery of Martyrs – village Jabllanicë e Ulët.
- Memorial “Massacre of Martyrs” – village Çyshk
- Memorial “Massacre of Martyrs” – village Lybeniq.

13. Municipality Ferizaj:
- Cemetery of Martyrs -Ferizaj.
- Memorial “Epopee of Jezerc” – village Jezerc.
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - village Pleshinë.
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs – village Greme.

14. Municipality Shtime:
- Memorial “Massacre of Raçak” – village Raçak.
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs – Shtime.
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs – village Mollopolcë.
15. Municipality Junik:
- Square and Monument of the Hero “Edmond Hoxha” – Center of Junik.

16. Municipality Gllogoc:
- Memorial “Massacre of Likohan”- Likohan
- Memorial “Massacre of Abri” – to the family Delijaj - Poklek të Vjetër.
- Cemetery of Martyrs in Çikatovë e Vjetër, Çikatovë e Re, Gllobar, Llapushnik.

17. Municipality Prishtinë:
- Memorial “Ibrahim Rugova” and Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - Prishtinë
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - villages Mramor, Marec.
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - village Makoc.

18. Municipality Vushtrri:
- Memorial of KLA Martyrs - Vushtrri.
- Memorial of KLA Martyrs - Bletajë.
- Memorial “Martyrs of Freedom” - Vushtrri,
- Cemetery of Martyrs - Vushtrri, Studime.

19. Municipality Kline:
- Memorial of Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - Grabanicë.
- Memorial of Cemetery of KLA Martyrs and of Mujë Krasniqi - Klinë.
- Memorial of Cemetery of KLA Martyrs and Martyrs in Drenoc, Rigjevë, Zabërgjë, Çabiç.
- Memorial “Marie Shllaku and Imer Berisha” - Dobërdol.
- Memorial of “Azem Bejta” next to highway Prishtinë – Pejë.

20. Municipality Deçan:
- Memorial Complex KLA Headquarters and Cemetery of KLA Martyrs Gillogjan – Deçan.
- Memorial of Martyrs – Strelle i Epërëm, Lëbushë, Isniç, Ratish e Ultë, Gramaçel, Baballoq, Prilep, Beleg, Carrabreg i Epërëm, Carrabreg i Ultë, Pobergj, Rizniq, Sllup.
- Monolith of Martyrs of the Nation in Deçan “Luan Haradinaj, Salih Çeku, Mentor Tolaj”.
- Memorial of Heroes of the Nation- Vëllezërit Gërvalla – Dubovik.
- Memorial Complex – Reconciliation of Feuds and Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - Lumbardh.
21. Municipality Gjilan:
- Memorial of KLA Martyrs - Gjilan,
- Square and Bust “Idriz Seferi” - village Zhegër,
- Cemeteries of civil victims – Lladovë and Llashticë,
- Memorial of all KLA Martyrs - Zhegoc,
- Square and Monolith of Freedom for Martyrs from year 1912 until 1999 - Bresalc.

22. Municipality Malishevë:
- Complex Special Area “General KLA Headquarters Kleçkë and Divjakë” – Malet e Berishës.
- Cemetery of Martyrs - Malisheve.
- Cemetery of Martyrs - Malishevë.
- Cemetery of Martyrs of different periods of our history.
- Cemetery of Massacre of Burimi – Dragobil.
- Area of functioning the military hospital of KLA - Gajrak and Kravasari.

23. Municipality Gjakovë:
- Complex, Special Area “Battle of Koshare” – Koshare.
- Memorial “KLA Martyrs” – Jabllanicë.
- Cemetery of “Martyrs” - Çabrat.
- Memorial of ”Martyrs” - Meje.

24. Municipality Mitrovicë Jugore:
- Memorial of Cemetery “KLA Martyrs”- Shipol.
- Memorial Square of Jashari family and Square of Fehmi and Xhevë Lladrovci.
- Memorial House in Mazhiq.
- Memorial House “Lagja e Boshnjakeve”.
- Cemetery of Martyrs – Mazhiq.
- Memorial Monuments of Heroes – Mitrovice.
- Memorial House of “Isë Boletini” – Boletin.

25. Municipality Istog:
- Memorial of Martyrs - Vrellë.
- Memorial of Martyrs - Istog.
- Cemetery of Martyrs - Trubuhoc.
- Cemetery of Martyrs - Sushicë.

26. Municipality Fushë Kosovë:
- Cemetery of Martyrs - Fushë Kosovë.

27. Municipality Kaçanik:
- Cemetery of KLA Martyrs - Kaçanik.
- Cemetery of Martyrs - Kaçanik.
- Memorial “Village Museum Struzhë” burned and destroyed three times, during the two world wars and for the third time during the last war, on 1999.