

Cularin Emergency Announcement

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This signal feed comes over every official Holonet source out of Coruscant and is seen all over the Republic. Transmission quality is less than perfect in many places, but the message is clear enough to be understood.

[Image of a dignified and attractive Human woman, mid-thirties by apparent age, dressed in a dark jacket. Her expression is very serious, as is her tone.]



"Citizens of the Republic and fellow Senators, it is with a heavy heart that I file this motion in absentia, but circumstances do not allow otherwise. Effective from this moment on, the Cularin system respectfully withdraws from the Republic and establishes itself as a sovereign system with no ties to any larger governmental body.

"I would like to make it clear that we are neither joining nor have any interest in joining the Separatist movement currently at war with the Republic. We also do not wish to influence any other system's decision on whether they can bear the oppression of that continuing war and its constant erosion of our rights and freed --"

The transmission ends before its conclusion. While the motion could not be denied or rebuked after its announcement, however unorthodox, the Grand Chancellor was swift to ban all further Holonet transmissions of Senate meetings as a matter of Republic security.

Living Force Game Notes

Effective immediately, the Cularin system is an independent star system under its own governmental and military control. All Republic presence is withdrawn from its worlds, and all alliances and agreements of support and protection against Separatist incursion are repealed.

"I am sorry, Cularin. You are on your own. Good luck."
-- Ai-Ari Kuldi , Fifth Fleet Commander and Republic Jedi