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The following is the text of the Constitution of the National Council of Resistance of Iran (NCRI) adopted unanimously by [NCRI](#) in 1982 and updated afterward.

Constitution of the National Council of Resistance of Iran

Article 1: *The National Council of Resistance has been formed to overthrow the Provisional Government.*

Article 2: Until the formation of the National Legislative and Constituent Assembly assume its responsibilities, this Council will undertake temporary duties of the administration of the country's affairs.

Article 3: Every personality or political current (whose membership of the vote.

Article 4: The Council's decisions are reached through a simple majority of n

Article 5: Acceptance to the Council of any member requires the application to the Council and the Provisional Government, of the Provisional Government's approval of the Council. It must be accompanied by the written application for membership to the president of the NCRI. This application will be set forth in the earliest acceptance is approved (in accordance with article 4 laid above) the applicant will be a member of the Council thereafter.

Article 6: All members of the Council and the Provisional Government must be approved by the Council.

Article 7: The responsibilities to form the Provisional Government and to appoint its members upon Mr. Massoud Rajavi, who is representative of the People's Mojahedin Organization, to act in accordance with the program and the immediate tasks assigned to it in accordance with the Council's future ratification.

Article 8: Within the framework of the Council's ratification, the right to question the Provisional Government, or any of its members, is reserved for every member of the Council.

Article 9: Personality members of the Council attend the Council's sessions in person or by their representatives or deputies instead.

Article 10: The expenses of the Council are met by means of membership fees. Those who wish to see a free and independent Iran. With the agreement of the Council, it will determine the amount of financial contribution each member undertakes to the Council.