

Dear Marian Król, Grand Master of the Chapter
Co-founder of a new organization under the
name of "Royal *) Order of St. Stanislaus"

I am very grateful to you for inviting me to participate in your new organization and for offering me to be elected Grand Master in this organization, which has its roots in the Order of the Holy Stanislaus Bishop and Martyr but has nothing more to do with it.

I understand that like the Ladies and Knights appointed and approved by Juliusz Nowina – Sokolnicki, you got the experience to establish a basis for its autonomous organization. It is, however, far apart from the organization of the Order of Saint Stanislaus Bishop and Martyr. Your ideas differ significantly from the content of its Constitution, the one that was vowed. I do not want to call it a betrayal of the Constitution and Juliusz Nowina - Sokolnicki. I can understand that you have come to the conclusion that by signing their new constitution you voluntarily resign from the Order of St. Stanislaus Bishop and Martyr, but this is your choice and your own decision.

Again, thank you for remembering my person, and for inviting me to go with you on your path, however, I must declare that I will not follow you, that I remain faithful to the Constitution, the Constitution I vowed, which I will lead to changes until 2014, according to the agreements at the Conference at Gniezno.

I shall remain together with the Dames and Knights, for whom the Constitution of 1999 - amended in 2004 and 2006 - is of uttermost importance.

In addition to my loyalty to the Order of St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr it obliges me that I was adopted by Juliusz Nowina- Sokolnicki, and that I was appointed his successor and heir. I would also like to emphasize that I am grateful for your decision Marian, to move away from us only after the expiry of your mandate as Grand Prior of Poland. I have no regret that the "Royal*) Order of St. Stanislaus" assigns high functions, this is now your as well as the other members of your new organization's case.

But count on a possible cooperation in the future with your new organization. Only after the fulfillment of our conditions we will be able to sit at the negotiating table. One of the conditions is the recognition of the Constitution of 1999 with existing amendments and changes to which I committed the III World Conference in Gniezno, which protocols and resolutions you also signed. Remember, for the right decision it is never too late, but you need a fair sense for this.

I must admit that to me the reasons that influenced your decision to break the regulations and resolutions of the Conference of Gniezno are incomprehensible, perhaps you thought about the creation of your royal*) organization for a longer time. I do not dare citing rumors and believe that you were guided by own business interests and own benefits furthermore it is very difficult for me to believe that Juliusz made the mistake in bestowing you confidence.

So I decided to believe that the main reason for starting a new royal *) organization is the desire to commemorate his name forever.

In an effort to respond to your letter Marian, I decided as above.

Yours sincerely
Grand Master Count Waldemar Wilk
04.12.2012
Signed and sealed

comments by the translator:

*) pl.: królewski = 1) royal , 2) Królish; owned by Król (A pun in Polish)