



**GRANDE LOGE RÉGULIÈRE DE BELGIQUE  
REGULIERE GROOTLOGE VAN BELGIË  
REGULAR GRAND LODGE OF BELGIUM**

**SUSPENSION OF THE RECOGNITION OF  
THE GRANDE LOGE NATIONALE FRANCAISE**

By virtue of article 50 of the General Regulations,  
By virtue of the Grand Committee's decision in its meeting of the 19th of May 2011,

the Regular Grand Lodge of Belgium suspends, with immediate effect, its recognition of the Grand Loge Nationale Française.

In accordance with Article 33 of the General Regulations all visits are strictly forbidden. This interdiction means that of this date and as long as the suspension lasts, the Brethren members of the RGLB may not take part in the ritual meetings of the lodges of the GLNF, and the Brethren of the GLNF, whatever attitude they may have towards the internal conflict within their Obedience, will not be allowed to the ritual meetings of the lodges of the RGLB.

Each affiliation of a brother of the Grande Loge Nationale Française to a lodge of the Regular Grand Lodge of Belgium will from now on, have to comply with the dispositions of Article 29 of the General Regulations, concerning the not recognised Obediences.

Brethren of the Regular Grand Lodge of Belgium also being a member of the Grande Loge Nationale Française have to notify as soon as possible their Worshipful Master of their choice concerning the Obedience they wish to continue to work in and thus excluding the other.

This choice has to be communicated to the RWB Grand Secretary of the Regular Grand Lodge of Belgium, by the secretary of the Lodge within 10 working days of this communication.

Brussels, the 19th of May.

Communication to all the Lodges of the Regular Grand Lodge of Belgium, the Belgian masonic Bodies and to the recognised Grand Lodges

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