

Highlights of the Constitution of the Democratic Federation of Northern Syria

Article 3

The democratic federalism of northern Syria draws its legitimacy from the will of peoples and groups through free and democratic elections.

Article 4

All languages in northern Syria are equal in all areas of life, including social, educational, cultural, and administrative dealings. Every people shall organize its life and manage its affairs using its mother tongue.

Article 9

The democratic, environmental, and societal life are the basis for building an ecological democratic society in order not to harm, abuse, and destroy nature.

Article 10

Coexistence shall be established within a fair, free and democratic society system according to the principles of the democratic nation, which are full of the spirit of fraternity between all peoples and groups in northern Syria.

Article 13

Women's freedom and rights and gender equality shall be guaranteed in society.

Article 20

Peoples, groups, and societal segments shall have the right to organize themselves freely. Cultural oppression and fusion, extermination, and occupation shall be considered a crime against humanity; resistance against these practices shall be considered legitimate.

Article 22

Freedom of faith, conscious, and thought and the right to self-organization and self-expression shall be guaranteed for all people.

Article 24

No one shall be insulted or excluded on the basis of difference in colour, gender, race, religion, or belief.

Article 37

Freedom of media, press, and publishing shall be guaranteed.