

to all present and to come, whom  
these letters shall see or hear, we,  
otto and elisee, baron and baroness  
of al-barat, greet you and  
all humble commendations equity  
wills and reason ordains that  
fighters virtuous and of noble  
courage be — for their merits by  
renown rewarded whereas bardolf  
gundwaldsson has long pursued  
feats of arms and as well in this  
and in other matters has carried  
himself valiantly and honorably  
governed himself so that he has  
well deserved and is worthy that  
henceforth forever be in all places  
counted, received, acknowledged and  
admitted into the order of the  
scorpions stiȝt, we accord all  
privileges of this station including  
the right to bear the badge of the  
order, to wit: a scorpion statant  
brandishing a scimitar within an  
annulet or that all may know  
of the esteem in which he is  
held, in testimony whereof, we  
set our hand this 26th day of may  
anno societatis xlvi being 2012  
in the common era.

otto  
baron

elisee  
barone ss

