

QUEEN MURDERED! HEIR NOT FOUND!

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Palace sources have risked their lives to report that Queen Iris has been murdered. News of her death has been silenced by the 3 remaining queens as there is no apparent heir to the throne of Archia. It seems her body was discovered by her handmaiden in the queen's private garden yesterday after court. Her throat had been violently cut open. The murderer is still at large.

Events at the palace unfolded after court had been held. The governor of Archia had requested electricity which was flatly refused by Queen Iris. "The Archian governor seemed displeased with this result. Right after this heated discussion Queen Iris left court," a source said. A few hours later her lifeless body was discovered in her garden. Eonist doctors were unable to save her.

Little seems to have been done to discover the murderer. It appears the palace officials are more concerned

about upholding Queenly Law before announcing Queen Iris' death in the Queenly Report. "The fact that Queen Iris has died without a female heir is unusual. But Queenly Law states that a female relative is allowed to take the throne in the absence of a female offspring," said an expert in Queenly Law.

It is likely that in the coming days the people of Archia will receive palace officials and investigators searching for any female relatives of Queen Iris.

Despite their grief, it is said that the queens are giving commands to palace guards and officials on how to recover from this tragic situation. The palace is in shut down as an external inspector from Eonia was seen to arrive at palace gates.