

Amendment 119/rev
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on behalf of the ECR Group

Report **A9-0223/2022**
Charles Goerens, Rainer Wieland
Statute and funding of European political parties and European political foundations
(COM(2021)0734 – C9-0432/2021 – 2021/0375(COD))

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 41

Text proposed by the Commission

(41) European political parties should not fund, directly or indirectly, other political parties and, in particular, national parties or candidates. European political foundations should not fund, directly or indirectly, European or national political parties or candidates. ***The prohibition of indirect funding should however not prevent European political parties from publicly supporting and engaging with their member parties in the Union on issues of relevance for the Union, or to support political activities in the common interest, to be able to fulfil their mission under Article 10(4) TEU. Moreover, European political parties and their affiliated European political foundations should only finance activities in the context of national referendum campaigns when they concern the implementation of the TEU and the TFEU.*** These principles reflect Declaration No 11 on Article 191 of the Treaty establishing the European Community annexed to the Final Act of the Treaty of Nice.

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Or. en

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Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(d) it observes , in particular in its programme and in its activities, the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, namely respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, the rule of law and respect for human rights, including the rights of persons belonging to minorities . It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I ;

(d) it observes , in particular in its programme and in its activities, the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, namely respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, the rule of law and respect for human rights, including the rights of persons belonging to minorities; ***any assessment of such observance should employ transparent and objective methodology that reflects only facts and guarantees the equal treatment of political parties***. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I ;

Or. en

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Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

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(c) it observes , in particular in its programme and in its activities, the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, namely respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, the rule of law and respect for human rights, including the rights of persons belonging to minorities . It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I ;

(c) it observes , in particular in its programme and in its activities, the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, namely respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, the rule of law and respect for human rights, including the rights of persons belonging to minorities; ***any assessment of such observance should employ transparent and objective methodology that reflects only facts and guarantees the equal treatment of political foundations***. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I ;

Or. en

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Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

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9. Contributions from members of a European political party that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State ***or from member parties that have their seat in a country belonging to the Council of Europe*** shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40 % of the annual budget of a European political party. ***The value of contributions from member parties that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 10% of the total contributions from members.***

9. Contributions from members of a European political party that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40 % of the annual budget of a European political party.

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Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

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2. *The funding of European political parties and European political foundations from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source may be used to finance referendum campaigns when those campaigns concern the implementation of the Treaties of the Union.* *deleted*

Or. en