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Draft report
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The statute and funding of European political parties and European political foundations (recast)

Proposal for a regulation
Amendment 75
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment

(2a) Article 8 TFEU establishes the principle of gender mainstreaming by which the Union should aim to eliminate gender inequalities and to promote gender equality in all its activities.

Or. en

Amendment 76
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment

(3a) Article 21 of the Charter establishes the right to gender equality in all areas.

Or. en

Amendment 77
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 5

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment

(5) Truly transnational European political parties and their affiliated European political foundations have a key role to play in articulating the voices of citizens at European level by bridging the gap between politics at

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gap between politics at national level and at Union level.

Amendment 78
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 11 a (new)

_text proposed by the Commission_  
(11a) A political alliance should also be recognised as a European political party when it has received at least one per cent of the votes cast in the EU-wide constituency at the most recent elections to the European Parliament as it fulfils the conditions to contribute to forming European political awareness and to expressing the will of citizens of the Union.

Amendment 79
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 12

_text proposed by the Commission_  
(12) European political parties and their affiliated European political foundations wishing to obtain recognition as such at Union level by virtue of European legal status and to receive public funding from the general budget of the European Union should respect certain principles and fulfil certain conditions. In particular, it is necessary for European political parties, their affiliated European political
foundations and their respective members in the Union to observe the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU. *European political parties and their affiliated European political foundations should also ensure that their member parties and member organisations observe such values.*

Or. en

**Amendment 80**  
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation  
*Recital 12*

*Text proposed by the Commission*

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Or. hu

**Amendment 81**  
Gabriele Bischoff, Cyrus Engerer, Giuliano Pisapia, Domèneç Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation  
*Recital 12 a (new)*
(12a) Differentiated levels of affiliation and a category of research partners should be recognised for European political foundations, in order to allow for more flexibility and facilitate freedom of research.

Or. en

Justification

To concretize the requests from paragraphs 19 and 33 of the European Parliament resolution of 11 November 2021 on the application of Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 on the statute and funding of European political parties and European political foundations and allow specific and sui generis type of research partnerships, like with well established researchers or centres of expertise.

Amendment 82
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 13

(13) For the purpose of its decisions to register, in order to ascertain that a European political party or a European political foundation complies with its obligations to observe the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, and that it ensures that its members observe such values, the Authority should rely on a written declaration to be issued by the European political party or European political foundation by using a template attached to this Regulation. The power of the Authority, upon request from the European Parliament, the Council or the Commission, to verify the compliance with such values should however not extend to possible breaches of those values by member parties or member
organisations.

Justification

The standard declaration form in Annex I is not considered to be an instrument that has any real use or that will have significant effects once implemented, and is instead an additional burden on the parties concerned.

Amendment 83
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domèneq Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 13

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Amendment 84
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 13

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment

Amendment 85
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 13

Text proposed by the Commission

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The Authority should carry out its competences in a fully transparent manner and should refrain from applying the values enshrined in Article 2 TEU in an instrumental or politically expedient way.

Or. en

Amendment 86
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 13

(13) For the purpose of its decisions to register, in order to ascertain that a European political party or a European political foundation complies with its obligations to observe the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, and that it ensures that its members observe such values, the Authority should rely on a written declaration to be issued by the European political party or European political foundation by using a template attached to this Regulation. The power of the Authority, upon request from the European Parliament, the Council or the Commission, to verify the compliance with such values should however not extend to possible breaches of those values by member parties or member organisations.

Or. hu
Amendment 87
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 14

Text proposed by the Commission

(14) Decisions to de-register a European political party or a European political foundation on the ground of non-compliance with the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, should be taken only in the event of a manifest and serious breach of those values. When taking a decision to de-register, the Authority should fully respect the Charter.

Amendment

(14) Decisions to de-register a European political party or a European political foundation should be taken in the event of a breach of the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU. When taking a decision to de-register, the Authority should fully respect the Charter.

Or. en

Amendment 88
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 15

Text proposed by the Commission

(15) In order to protect the financial interests of the Union, and to align this Regulation with Article 297 TFEU, the decisions to de-register should take effect upon notification.

Amendment

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Or. hu

Amendment 89
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 17
(17) The Authority should regularly verify that the conditions and requirements relating to the registration of European political parties and European political foundations continue to be met. Decisions relating to the respect for the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, should only be taken in accordance with a procedure specifically designed to that effect, following consultation of the committee of independent eminent persons established by Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 and of the competent national authorities.

Or. it

Justification

Si propone di prevedere, unitamente alla consultazione degli esperti, anche quella delle autorità nazionali competenti, come ulteriore garanzia per i partiti politici europei e le fondazioni politiche europee nei casi in cui venga attivata la procedura ad hoc per l'adozione di una decisione connessa al rispetto dei valori di cui all'art. 2 TUE. La consultazione delle autorità nazionali competenti appare infatti necessaria al fine di tenere in debita considerazione nel procedimento anche il rispetto della legislazione e delle norme costituzionali nazionali applicabili al partito politico europeo o alla fondazione politica europea interessata.

Amendment 90
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 18

Text proposed by the Commission

(18) The independence and transparency of the committee of independent eminent persons should be guaranteed.

Amendment

(18) The independence and transparency of the committee of independent eminent persons should be guaranteed by ensuring, inter alia, that their members do not have a political affiliation.
Amendment 91
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 21

**Text proposed by the Commission**

(21) Where the Authority imposes a sanction on a European political party or foundation [in accordance with the verification procedure], it should take due account of the ne bis in idem principle, whereby sanctions cannot be imposed twice for the same offence. The Authority should also ensure that the principle of legal certainty is respected and that the European political party or European political foundation concerned has been given the opportunity to be heard.

**Amendment**

(21) Where the Authority imposes a sanction on a European political party or foundation [in accordance with the verification procedure], it should take due account of the ne bis in idem principle, whereby sanctions cannot be imposed twice for the same offence. The Authority should also ensure that the principle of legal certainty is respected and that the European political party or European political foundation concerned has been given the opportunity to be heard. An internal appeals system should also be put in place to give the European political party or European political foundation concerned the opportunity to request a review of the decision imposing the sanction and to submit any additional documents.

**Justification**

Given the new measures provided for under the Regulation and the resulting burdens on European political parties and European political foundations, the Authority should have an internal appeals system for the sanctioned parties. This would help to reduce litigation and safeguard the principles of sound administration. The system should incorporate a review of the decision giving the parties the opportunity to be heard and to submit exculpatory documents not previously submitted due to excusable error or for reasons not attributable to the parties concerned.

Amendment 92
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 23

Text proposed by the Commission

(23) The European legal status granted to European political parties and their affiliated foundations should provide them with legal capacity and recognition in all the Member States. Such legal capacity and recognition do not entitle them to nominate candidates in national elections or elections to the European Parliament. Any such or similar entitlement remains under the competence of Member States.

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Or. en

Amendment 93
Nikolaj Villumsen

Proposal for a regulation
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Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment

(23) The European legal status granted to European political parties and their affiliated foundations should provide them with legal capacity and recognition in all the Member States. Such legal capacity and recognition do not entitle them to nominate candidates in national elections or elections to the European Parliament or to participate in referendum campaigns. Any such or similar entitlement remains under the competence of Member States.

Or. en

Amendment 94
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison
Proposal for a regulation

Recital 24

Text proposed by the Commission

(24) The activities of European political parties and European political foundations should be governed by this Regulation, and, for matters not governed by this Regulation, by the relevant provisions of national law in the Member States. The legal status of a European political party or of a European political foundation should be governed by this Regulation and by the applicable provisions of national law in the Member State where it has its seat ('Member State of the seat'). The Member State of the seat should be able to define ex ante the applicable law or to leave optionality for European political parties and European political foundations. The Member State of the seat should also be able to impose requirements other than, or additional to, those laid down in this Regulation, including provisions on the registration and integration of European political parties and foundations as such into national administrative and control systems and on their organisation and statutes, including on liability, provided that such provisions are not inconsistent with this Regulation.

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Or. it

Justification

Le attivita' e lo status giuridico dei partiti politici europei e delle fondazioni politiche europee sono disciplinate dal presente regolamento e, per le materie non coperte da quest'ultimo, dalle disposizioni pertinenti del diritto nazionale. Non dovrebbe essere possibile "lasciare la scelta" sull'individuazione del diritto applicabile ai partiti politici europei e alle fondazioni politiche europee per esigenze di certezza del diritto: la legge nazionale applicabile dovrebbe rimanere quella dello Stato membro in cui il partito politico europeo o la fondazione politica europea stabilisce la propria sede.

Amendment 95

Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 27

**Text proposed by the Commission**

(27) If a European political party or a European political foundation seriously fails to comply with relevant national law and if the matter relates to elements affecting respect of the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 TEU, the Authority should decide, upon request by the Member State concerned, to apply the procedures laid down by this Regulation. Moreover, the Authority should decide, upon request from the Member State of the seat, to remove from the Register a European political party or European political foundation which has seriously failed to comply with relevant national law on any other matter.

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Or. en

Amendment 96
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 28

**Text proposed by the Commission**

(28) Eligibility for funding from the general budget of the European Union should be limited to European political parties and their affiliated European political foundations that have been recognised as such and have obtained European legal status. While it is crucial to ensure that the conditions applicable to becoming a European political party are not excessive but can readily be met by organised and serious transnational alliances of political parties or natural persons or both, it is also necessary to lay down proportionate criteria in order to

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allocate limited resources from the general budget of the European Union which criteria objectively reflect the European ambition and genuine electoral support of a European political party. Such criteria are best based on the outcome of elections to the European Parliament, in which the European political parties or their members are required to participate under this Regulation, **providing a precise indication of the electoral recognition of a European political party**. These should reflect the European Parliament's role of directly representing the Union's citizens, assigned to it by Article 10(2) TEU, as well as the objective for European political parties to participate fully in the democratic life of the Union and to become actors in Europe's representative democracy, in order effectively to express the views, opinions and political will of the citizens of the Union. Eligibility for funding from the general budget of the European Union should therefore be limited to European political parties which are represented in the European Parliament by at least one of their members and to European political foundations which apply through a European political party that is represented in the European Parliament by at least one of its members.

**Justification**

Deletion of this wording is proposed as 'indication of the electoral recognition' tends to suggest that such European political parties might enjoy greater legitimacy than others based solely on the percentage of electoral votes received, even though this is the criterion used to allocate resources from the general budget of the EU.

**Amendment 97**
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 30
European political parties and their member parties should lead by example in closing the gender gap in the political domain. If they wish to benefit from EU funding, European political parties should have internal rules promoting gender equality, including a gender equality plan and a protocol to prevent, detect and
on gender balance and on their member parties’ gender representation as regards candidates to and Member of the European Parliament. The European political parties are also encouraged to provide information in relation to their member parties’ on inclusiveness and representation of minorities.

combat sexual harassment and harassment on the grounds of gender. In addition, European political parties should be transparent about the gender balance of their member parties and should provide evidence on their member parties’ gender representation as regards candidates to and Member of the European Parliament. European political parties and European political foundations should also provide evidence on their internal policy on gender equality by means of an annual report. The European political parties are also encouraged to provide information in relation to their member parties’ on inclusiveness and representation of minorities.

Amendment 99
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 30

Text proposed by the Commission

(30) European political parties and their member parties should lead by example in closing the gender gap in the political domain. If they wish to benefit from EU funding, European political parties should have internal rules promoting gender balance and they should be transparent about the gender balance of their member parties. European political parties should provide evidence on their internal policy on gender balance and on their member parties’ gender representation as regards candidates to and Member of the European Parliament. The European political parties are also encouraged to provide information in relation to their member parties’ on inclusiveness and representation of minorities.

Amendment

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Amendment 100
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 30

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Or. en

Amendment 101
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 33

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment

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**Amendment 102**
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 34

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(34) The co-financing rate should be lowered to 0% in the year of the elections to the European Parliament. Eliminating the co-financing obligation in the year of the elections to the European Parliament should help European political parties increase the number and intensity of their campaign activities and, therefore, also increase their visibility at national level.

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**Amendment 103**
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 34

*Text proposed by the Commission*

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*Amendment*

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Amendment 104  
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield  
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group  
Proposal for a regulation  
Recital 34 a (new)  

**Text proposed by the Commission**  

**Amendment**  

(34a) In order to ensure that gender equality requirements are implemented appropriately, European political parties and European political foundations should dedicate at least 5% of the financial contributions or grants they receive from the general budget of the European Union to gender equality measures.

Amendment 105  
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield  
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group  
Proposal for a regulation  
Recital 36  

**Text proposed by the Commission**  

**Amendment**  

(36) A due diligence mechanism should be introduced to improve the transparency of large donations and to minimise the risk of foreign interference from this source. To that end, European political parties and
European political foundations should request detailed identification information from their donors. The Authority should be empowered to request additional information from donors where it has grounds to believe that a donation has been granted in breach of this Regulation.

Amendment 106
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 37

Text proposed by the Commission

(37) In order to enhance cooperation with long-standing members sharing EU values, contributions from member parties having their seat in a country outside the Union but in the Council of Europe, should be allowed. However, such contributions should be subject to a cap in relation to total contribution, to limit the risk of foreign interference.

Or. hu

Amendment 107
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 37

Text proposed by the Commission

(37) In order to enhance cooperation with long-standing members sharing EU values, contributions from member parties having their seat in a country outside the Union but in the Council of Europe, should be allowed. However, such contributions should be subject to a cap in relation to total contribution, to limit the risk of foreign interference.

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Amendment 108
Nikolaj Villumsen

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 37

Text proposed by the Commission  
Amendment

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Or. en

Amendment 109
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 37

Text proposed by the Commission  
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(37) In order to enhance cooperation with long-standing members sharing EU values, contributions from member parties having their seat in a country outside the Union but in the Council of Europe, should be allowed. However, such contributions should be subject to a cap in relation to total contribution, to limit the risk of foreign interference.

(37) In order to enhance cooperation with long-standing members sharing EU values, contributions from member parties having their seat in candidate countries for accession to the Union, in countries from the European Free Trade Association, from EU neighbourhood countries and from former Member States, should be allowed. However, such contributions should be subject to a cap in relation to total contribution, to limit the risk of foreign interference.
Amendment 110
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
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Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment

(37) In order to enhance cooperation with long-standing members sharing EU values, member parties and member organisations having their seat in a country outside the Union but in the Council of Europe, in candidate countries or potential candidates for EU membership, should be allowed, as well as their contributions. However, such contributions should be subject to a cap in relation to total contribution, to limit the risk of foreign interference.

Amendment 111
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 37

Text proposed by the Commission

(37) In order to enhance cooperation with long-standing members sharing EU values, contributions from member parties having their seat in a country outside the Union but in the Council of Europe, should be allowed. However, such contributions should be subject to a cap in relation to total contribution, to limit the risk of foreign interference.

Amendment

(37) In order to enhance cooperation with long-standing members sharing EU values, contributions from member parties or organisations having their seat in a country outside the Union but in the Council of Europe or a candidate country, should be allowed. However, such contributions should be subject to a cap in relation to total contribution, to limit the risk of foreign interference.
Amendment 112
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 38

Text proposed by the Commission

(38) Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 acknowledges only two categories of revenues for European political parties and foundations apart from contributions from the budget of the European Union, namely contributions from members and donations. A number of revenue sources generated from own economic activities (such as sales of publications or conference fees) fall outside the scope of these two categories, creating accounting and transparency problems. A third category of revenues (‘own resources’) should therefore be created. The proportion of own resources in the total budget of a European political party or foundations should be capped at 5% to avoid that it becomes overdimensioned in relation to the overall budget of these entities.

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Amendment 114
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 38

Text proposed by the Commission

(38) Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 acknowledges only two categories of revenues for European political parties and foundations apart from contributions from the budget of the European Union, namely contributions from members and donations. A number of revenue sources generated from own economic activities (such as sales of publications or conference fees) fall outside the scope of these two categories, creating accounting and transparency problems. A third category of revenues (‘own resources’) should therefore be created. The proportion of own resources in the total budget of a European political party or foundations should be capped at

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5% to avoid that it becomes overdimensioned in relation to the overall budget of these entities. should be capped at 10% to avoid that it becomes overdimensioned in relation to the overall budget of these entities.

Or. en

Justification

This amendment is required by pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text.

Amendment 115
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 39

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(39) In order to reach out to their members and constituencies across the Union, European political parties should have the right to use their funding for cross-border political campaigns. The funding and limitation of election expenses for parties and candidates in those campaigns should be governed by the rules applicable in each Member State.

Or. it

Justification

This risks leading to unequal treatment of candidates and parties that must observe national laws in states where public funding is not allowed.

Amendment 116
Charles Goerens, Helmut Scholz, Sandro Gozi, Gabriele Bischoff, Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 39

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment 117
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 39

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment

(39) In order to reach out to their members and constituencies across the Union, European political parties should have the right to use their funding for cross-border political campaigns conducted in the context of elections to the European Parliament, including the setting up of union-wide lists and referendum campaigns. The funding and limitation of election expenses for parties and candidates in those campaigns should be governed by the rules applicable in each Member State.

Or. en

Amendment 118
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 39

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

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Amendment 119
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

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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Justification

The training of candidates before elections should remain outside of the scope. The current interpretation of the regulation results in the fact that even a person that might become a candidate at a later stage is excluded from the foundation’s educational activities. Empowering citizens to take an active part in the European political sphere is a core component of the work of European political foundations.

Amendment 121
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

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when they concern the implementation of the TEU and the TFEU. European political foundations should also be allowed to organise activities financed from the general budget of the European Union to support these campaigns. 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.

Or. en

Amendment 122
László Trócsányi

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Charles Goerens, Sandro Gozi, Helmut Scholz, Gabriele Bischoff, Domèneq Ruiz Devesa

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Amendment 124
Nikolaj Villumsen

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Amendment 125
Gabriele Bischoff, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 41

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Amendment 126
Rainer Wieland
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 45

Text proposed by the Commission

(45) It is necessary to provide for a clear, dissuasive and proportionate system of sanctions in order to ensure effective, proportionate and uniform compliance with the obligations regarding the activities of European political parties and European political foundations. Such a system should also respect the ne bis in idem principle whereby sanctions cannot be imposed twice for the same offence. It is also necessary to define the respective roles of the Authority and of the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament in controlling and verifying compliance with party activities.
this Regulation as well as the mechanisms for cooperation between them and the Member States' authorities.

It is also necessary to define a structured appeal process that enables European political parties and political foundations to appeal any sanctions or decisions taken by the Authority that they may feel is unjust.

Amendment 127
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 46

Text proposed by the Commission

(46) Political advertising plays an important role for political parties to communicate to citizens and interact with them on political issues. It can take many forms and be disseminated through many media, from television and radio, to print and online social media. It is an important part of the electoral process and represents an important part of the amounts spent by political parties and candidates. While it brings important benefits, it also entails potential risks to electoral processes and democracy. Those risks can arise from opaque practices and the use of political advertising as a vector for disinformation including when the advertising does not disclose its political nature, and where it is funded and targeted covertly.

Amendment 128
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 47

Text proposed by the Commission

(47) A high level of transparency should therefore be provided by European political parties in their political advertising to support a fair political debate and free and elections including to combat disinformation. It should support citizens’ understanding of the nature, source and context of political advertising, including its funding and the amounts spent, and regarding whether and how it was targeted to them. It should also promote accountability and contribute to reducing the incidence of the misuse of political advertising, including connected to disinformation and other types of interference in the democratic debate. The transparency requirements should support the European dimension of elections to the European Parliament including the cross border dimension.

Amendment 129
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 48

Text proposed by the Commission

(48) Member States should ensure adequate enforcement of the transparency obligations applicable to political advertising laid down in this Regulation. Member States should entrust competent authorities with the necessary powers to supervise compliance with those transparency obligations. In order to avoid undue interferences, such national regulatory authorities or bodies should exercise their powers impartially and
transparently and be legally distinct from the government and functionally independent of their respective governments and of any other public or private body. Citizens and other interested parties should be able to know which regulatory authorities are competent in each Member State, which should be achieved by providing an obligation for the Authority to publish on its website and keep updated a list of Member States’ national regulatory authorities. Decisions of national regulatory authorities should be subject to effective legal remedies, in full compliance with Article 47 of the Charter. This should include ensuring that appropriate redress can be sought and obtained in due time, upon request of any interested party, requiring the European Political Party to put an end to any violation of the transparency requirements laid down in this Regulation.

Amendment 130
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 49

Text proposed by the Commission

(49) European political parties often rely on external service providers, including advertising publishers, for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of their political advertisements. Such service providers are bound by Regulation 2022/XX of the European Parliament and of the Council on the transparency and targeting of political advertising. Where entering into a contractual relationship on the provision of services related to political advertisements, European political parties

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should ensure that the providers of political advertising services, including advertising publishers, comply with their obligations under Regulation 2022/XX [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising]. They should ensure that the contractual arrangements specify how the relevant provisions of this Regulation are taken into account. Where appropriate, the political advertisement may include the European political party’s political logo.


Amendment 131
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 50

Text proposed by the Commission

(50) It is necessary to establish a common repository for the disclosures of European political parties. Given its specific role in the implementation of this Regulation, the Authority should establish and manage such repository as a part of the Registry for European political parties. The information contained in the repository should be transmitted by European Political Parties to the Authority using a standard format and may be automated. European political parties should make available in the Authority’s repository information to enable the wider context of the political advertisement and its aims to be understood. The information on the amount allocated to political advertising

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in the context of a specific campaign to be included in the repository may be based on an estimated allocation of funding. The amounts to be mentioned in the repository include donations for specific purposes or benefits in kind.

Amendment 132
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 51

Text proposed by the Commission

(51) European political parties should implement and regularly update their policy on their use of political advertising. This policy and an annual report on its implementation should be available on the European Political Party's website.

Amendment

Amendment 133
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 52

Text proposed by the Commission

(52) Regulation (EU) 2022/XX [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising] establishes obligations for data controllers using targeting or amplification techniques in the context of political advertising. When using targeting or amplification techniques for political advertising, European political parties should ensure compliance with Article 12 of that Regulation. Supervisory authorities within the meaning of Article 12.

Amendment
4, point (21) of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council\(^{29}\) should be competent to monitor compliance with this Regulation.


Amendment 134
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 53

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission} \quad \textit{Amendment}

(53) \textit{Information concerning compliance by European political parties with the transparency requirements established in this Regulation should be available at Union level. In order to facilitate this, the Authority should prepare and publish a factual and descriptive report on any decisions of national regulatory authorities or supervisory authorities pursuant to this Regulation.}

Amendment 135
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 54
In view of the need to protect the integrity of the European democratic process, European political parties should prove compliance with transparency rules applicable to political advertising in order to be eligible for funds coming from the budget of the European Union.

Amendment 136
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Recital 56

In compliance with the principle of proportionality, the obligation to publish the identity of donors who are natural persons should not apply to donations equal to or below EUR 1500 per year and per donor. Furthermore, such obligation should not apply to donations the annual value of which exceeds EUR 1500 and is below or equal to EUR 3000 unless the donor has given prior written consent to the publication. These thresholds strike an appropriate balance between, on the one hand, the fundamental right to the protection of personal data and, on the other hand, the legitimate public interest in transparency regarding the funding of European political parties and foundations, as reflected in international recommendations to avoid corruption in relation to the funding of political parties and foundations. The disclosure of donations exceeding EUR 3000 per year and per donor should allow effective public scrutiny and control over the relations between donors and European political parties. Also in compliance with the principle of proportionality, information on donations should be published annually, except during election campaigns to the European Parliament or for donations exceeding EUR 1000, in respect of which publication should take place expeditiously.
political parties. Also in compliance with the principle of proportionality, information on donations should be published annually, except during election campaigns to the European Parliament or for donations exceeding EUR 12000, in respect of which publication should take place expeditiously.

Amendment 137
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 61

Text proposed by the Commission:  
(61) In order to facilitating the monitoring of the implementation of this Regulation, single points of contact in charge of coordination with the European level should be designated by each Member State. Such contact points should be adequately resourced to be able to ensure effective coordination, including on issues related to the monitoring of political advertising.

Amendment

Or. hu

Amendment 138
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Recital 66

Text proposed by the Commission:  
(66) To further align the evaluation of this Regulation with the elections to the European Parliament cycle, the dates of the proposed comprehensive review should be adapted. Moreover, to avoid
duplication, the provisions on transparency and targeting of political advertising should be evaluated as part of the Commission’s report following the elections to the European Parliament.

Amendment 139
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 1 – point b

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Amendment 140
Gabriele Bischoff, Cyrus Engerer, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 4 – point d

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Justification

To concretize the requests from paragraphs 19 and 33 of the European Parliament resolution of 11 November 2021 on the application of Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 on the statute and funding of European political parties and European political foundations and allow specific and sui generis type of research partnerships, like with well established researchers or centres of expertise.

Amendment 141
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment 142
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 7

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(7) 'donation' means any cash offering or by bank transfer, any offering in kind, the provision below market value of any goods, services (including loans) or works, and any other transaction which constitutes an economic advantage for the European political party or the European political foundation concerned, with the exception of contributions from members, association fees, ancillary own resources |
voluntary basis by individuals; and usual political activities carried out on a voluntary basis by individuals;

Or. en

Justification

This amendment is required by pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text

Amendment 143
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 8 – point i (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

i) "association fees" means payments by bank transfer, when provided to the European political party or to the European political foundation by a party or organisation associated to it and having its seat outside the EU but within the limits set out in this regulation

Or. en

Justification

This amendment aims to protect EU democracy against undue foreign interference by ensuring that the acceptance of resources from non-EU parties would not impact governance of EU parties. More particularly, this amendment avoids that European political parties would have to equalize the status of EU member parties and non-EU parties as full members in their governance structure

Amendment 144
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 9

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(9) ‘own resources’ means income generated by own economic activities, such as conference fees and sales of

(9) ‘ancillary own resources’ means income generated by own economic activities, such as contributions from joint
publications; \textit{activities}, sales of publications, \textit{participation fees for conferences or workshops or other activities directly linked to political action};

\textit{Justification}

This amendment is justified by pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text.

\textbf{Amendment 145}
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 9

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission} \hspace{1cm} \textit{Amendment}

(9) ‘\textit{own resources’} means income generated by own economic activities, such as conference fees and sales of publications;

(9) ‘\textit{self-generated resources’} means income generated by own economic \textit{activities exercised within the framework of their political activities}, such as conference fees and sales of publications;

\textit{Or. en}

\textbf{Amendment 146}
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 9

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission} \hspace{1cm} \textit{Amendment}

(9) ‘\textit{own resources’} means income generated by own economic activities, such as conference fees and sales of publications;

(9) ‘\textit{ancillary own resources’} means income generated by own economic activities, such as conference \textit{or workshop fees}, sales of publications;

\textit{Or. en}
Amendment 147
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 10

Text proposed by the Commission

(10) ‘indirect funding’ means funding from which the member party derives a financial advantage, even where no funds are directly transferred; this should include cases which allow the member party to avoid expenditure which it would otherwise have had to incur for activities, other than political activities in the common interest, organised for its own and sole benefit;

Amendment

(10) ‘indirect funding’ means funding from which the member party derives a financial advantage, even where no funds are directly transferred; this should include cases which allow the member party to avoid expenditure which it would otherwise have had to incur for activities, other than joint events co-financed to the extent they concern issues of relevance for the Union’s fields of activities, organised for its own and sole benefit;

Or. en

Amendment 148
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 16

Text proposed by the Commission

16. ‘political advertising’ means advertising within the meaning of Article 2, point (2), of Regulation 2022/xx [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising];

Amendment

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Or. hu

Amendment 149
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 17
Text proposed by the Commission

17. ‘political advertisement’ means advertisement within the meaning of Article 2, point (3) of Regulation 2022/xx on the transparency and targeting of political advertising;

Amendment

deleted

Or. hu

Amendment 150
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 18

Text proposed by the Commission

18. ‘political advertising services’ means services within the meaning of Article 2, point (5) of Regulation (EU) 2022/xx on the transparency and targeting of political advertising.

Amendment

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Or. hu

Amendment 151
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group
Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 1 – point b – point ii a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

(iiia) it has received at least one per cent of the votes cast in the EU-wide constituency at the most recent elections to the European Parliament;

Amendment

Or. en

Amendment 152
Rainer Wieland

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

Text proposed by the Commission
(c) its member parties are not members of another European political party;

Amendment
(c) its member parties are not members of another European political party, and their political programme and activities are consistent with the provisions of the political alliance’s political programme as included in its statutes in accordance with Article 4 (1) (c)

Amendment 153
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

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

Text proposed by the Commission
(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;

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 yearly written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Amendment 154
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 1 – point e
Text proposed by the Commission

(e) it also ensures that its member parties having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member parties having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Amendment

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Or. hu

Amendment 155
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

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

Text proposed by the Commission

(e) it also ensures that its member parties having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member parties having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Amendment

(e) it also declares that its member parties having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Or. en

Amendment 156
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

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

Text proposed by the Commission

(e) it also ensures that its member parties having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member parties having their seat outside the Union observe
equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

equivalent values. It provides a **yearly** written declaration using the template in Annex I;

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**Amendment 157**

**Rainer Wieland**

**Proposal for a regulation**  
**Article 3 – paragraph 1 – point e**

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(e) it also ensures that its member parties having **their seat in the Union** observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member parties having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

*Amendment*

(e) it also ensures that its member parties observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU **as well as that** parties having their seat outside the Union **and that pay association fees** observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

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**Amendment 158**

**Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield**  
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

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

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(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;

*Amendment*

(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 **yearly** written declaration using the template in Annex I;
Amendment 159
László Trócsányi

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

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

(d) it also ensures that its member organisations having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Or. hu

Amendment 160
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

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

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

(d) it also ensures that its member organisations having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

(d) it also declares that its member organisations observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Or. en

Amendment 161
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 3 – paragraph 2 – point d
(d) it also ensures that its member organisations having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Amendment

(d) it also ensures that its member organisations having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU as well as that organisations having their seat outside the Union and that pay association fees observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Or. en

Amendment 162
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

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

Text proposed by the Commission

(d) it also ensures that its member organisations having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Amendment

(d) it also ensures that its member organisations having their seat in the Union observe the values expressed in Article 2 TEU and that its member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values. It provides a yearly written declaration using the template in Annex I;

Or. en

Amendment 163
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point h

Text proposed by the Commission

(h) its internal rules governing the use of political advertising;

Amendment

(h) its internal rules governing the use deleted
Amendment 164  
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation  
Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point i

Text proposed by the Commission  

(i) a requirement that member parties display the European political party’s logo in a clearly visible and user-friendly manner, specifying that it is to be located in the top section of the front page of the member party’s website and in an equally visible manner as the member party’s own logo;

Amendment
(i) a requirement that member parties display the European political party’s logo in a clearly visible manner specifying that it is to be located in the top section of the front page of the member party’s website.

Amendment 165  
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation  
Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission  

(j) its internal rules regarding gender balance.

Amendment
deleted

Or. en

Or. hu

Amendment 166  
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation  
Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission  

(j) its internal rules regarding gender

Amendment
(j) its internal rules regarding equal
balance. opportunities for men and women.

Amendment 167
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point j

Text proposed by the Commission
(j) its internal rules regarding gender balance.
Amendment
(j) its internal rules regarding gender equality.

Or. en

Amendment 168
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 4 – paragraph 2 – point e a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission
(ea) its minimum documentation standards and internal control mechanisms for accepting donations
Amendment

Justification

This amendment is justified by pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text.

Amendment 169
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5

Text proposed by the Commission

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Amendment 170  
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield  
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group  

Proposal for a regulation  
Article 5 – paragraph 2  

Text proposed by the Commission  

2. Each European political party shall transmit within five working days of the first dissemination to the Authority information concerning each political advertisement that it sponsors or publishes directly to enable the wider context of the political advertisement and its aims to be understood by citizens. That information shall include at least the information listed in point 1 of Annex II.

Or. hu

Amendment  

2. Each European political party shall transmit within fifteen working days of the first dissemination to the Authority information concerning each political advertisement that it sponsors or publishes directly to enable the wider context of the political advertisement and its aims to be understood by citizens. That information shall include at least the information listed in point 1 of Annex II. The Authority shall, once relevant legislation obliges platforms to publish online registers containing the before mentioned information, provide for automatic forwarding of information while requiring European political parties to take or decline responsibility for listed advertisements.

Or. en

Amendment 171  
Rainer Wieland  

Proposal for a regulation  
Article 5 – paragraph 2  

Text proposed by the Commission  

2. Each European political party shall transmit within five working days of the first dissemination to the Authority

Amendment  

2. Each European political party shall transmit within five working days of the first dissemination to the Authority
information concerning each political advertisement that it sponsors or publishes directly to enable the wider context of the political advertisement and its aims to be understood by citizens. That information shall include at least the information listed in point 1 of Annex II.

Amendment 172
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The Authority shall immediately publish the information referred to in paragraph 2 in the repository provided for in Article 8. The information shall be presented in a form which is easily accessible, clearly visible and user friendly, and using plain language.

Amendment

3. The Authority shall immediately, and in any case no later than five working days from receiving it, publish the information referred to in paragraph 2 in the repository provided for in Article 8. The information shall be presented in a machine-readable format as well as in a form which is easily accessible, clearly visible and user friendly, and using plain language.

Amendment 173
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The Authority shall immediately publish the information referred to in

Amendment

3. The Authority shall publish the information referred to in paragraph 2 in
paragraph 2 in the repository provided for in Article 8. The information shall be presented in a form which is easily accessible, clearly visible and user friendly, and using plain language.

Amendment 174
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 5 – paragraph 6

Text proposed by the Commission

6. Member States shall designate one or more national regulatory authorities competent to supervise compliance with paragraphs 1, 2 and 4 and notify the Authority thereof. Such national regulatory authorities or bodies shall exercise their powers impartially and transparently and be legally distinct from the government and functionally independent of their respective governments and of any other public or private body. The Authority shall publish on its website and keep updated a list of Member States’ national regulatory authorities. Decisions of national regulatory authorities shall be subject to effective legal remedies. Member States shall ensure that upon request of any interested party appropriate redress can be sought requiring the European Political Party to put an end to any violation of the obligations laid down in paragraphs 1, 2 or 4.

Amendment

6. Member States shall designate one or more national regulatory authorities competent to supervise compliance with paragraphs 1, 2 and 4 and notify the Authority thereof. Such national regulatory authorities or bodies shall exercise their powers impartially and transparently and be legally distinct from the government and functionally independent of their respective governments and of any other public or private body. The Authority shall publish on its website and keep updated a list of Member States’ national regulatory authorities. Decisions of national regulatory authorities shall be subject to effective legal remedies. Member States shall ensure that upon request of any interested party appropriate redress can be sought requiring the European Political Party to put an end to any violation of the obligations laid down in paragraphs 1, 2 or 4. The supervision and enforcement of any rules and obligations related to the processing of personal data, including for targeting political advertising, shall remain the competence of the supervisory authorities established pursuant to Regulation (EU) 2016/679.

Or. en
Amendment 175
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 – paragraph 1 – point i a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Text proposed by the Commission

(ia) its internal rules regarding gender equality.

Or. en

Amendment 176
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Article 6 a

Requirements for gender equality rules

1. European political parties shall publish on their website information on the gender representation among the candidates at the last elections to the European Parliament and on the evolution of gender representation among their Members of the European Parliament.

2. European political parties and its member parties shall ensure that, in the lists they submit for the elections to the European Parliament in constituencies in which the list system is used, the difference between male and female candidates is not greater than one and lists alternate candidates by gender.

3. Collegiate governing bodies of European political parties and European political foundations shall be composed by
at least 50% of women.

4. European political parties and European political foundations shall adopt a gender equality plan including mechanisms to guarantee the active participation of women in all their diversity.

5. European political parties and European political foundations shall have a protocol to prevent, detect and combat sexual harassment and harassment on the grounds of gender. For the implementation of subparagraph 1, European political parties, its member parties and European political foundations shall:

(a) ensure the independence and expertise on gender equality and sexual harassment of the experts conducting investigations related to sexual harassment or harassment on the grounds of gender;

(b) ensure due diligence;

(c) take the necessary interim measures;

(d) provide counselling and support services to victims;

(e) ensure appropriate reparation measures.

6. European political parties and European political foundations shall incorporate the prohibition of acts of sexual harassment and harassment on the grounds of gender into their internal rules and shall take appropriate measures to suspend or withdraw membership of perpetrators of these acts.

7. European political parties and European political foundations shall disseminate their protocol to prevent, detect and combat sexual harassment and harassment on the grounds of gender, take action to raise awareness among their members and employees, and periodically evaluate and review the procedures established by the protocol.
Amendment 177
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. An Authority for European political parties and European political foundations (‘Authority’) is established for the purpose of registering, controlling and imposing sanctions on European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with this Regulation.

Amendment

1. An Authority for European political parties and European political foundations (‘Authority’) is established for the purpose of registering and controlling European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with this Regulation.

Amendment 178
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 7 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The Authority shall decide on the registration and de-registration of European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with the procedures and conditions laid down in this Regulation. In addition, the Authority shall regularly verify that the registration conditions laid down in Article 3 and the governance provisions set out in accordance with Article 4(1), points (a), (b), (d), (e) and (f), and in Article 6(1), points (a) to (e), and (g), continue to be complied with by the registered European political parties and European political foundations.

Amendment

The Authority shall act in full transparency and decide on the registration and de-registration of European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with the procedures and conditions laid down in this Regulation. In addition, the Authority shall regularly verify that the registration conditions laid down in Article 3 and the governance provisions set out in accordance with Article 4(1), points (a), (b), (d), (e) and (f), and in Article 6(1), points (a) to (e), and (g), continue to be complied with by the registered European political parties and European political foundations.
Amendment 179
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 1

**Text proposed by the Commission**

1. An application for registration shall be filed with the Authority. An application for registration as a European political foundation shall be filed only through the European political party with which the applicant is formally affiliated.

**Amendment**

1. *The process of registration of a European political party or a European political foundation should be fully transparent and based on using templates and following clear instructions.* An application for registration shall be filed with the Authority. An application for registration as a European political foundation shall be filed only through the European political party with which the applicant is formally affiliated.

Amendment 180
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 2 – point a

**Text proposed by the Commission**

(a) documents proving that the applicant satisfies the conditions laid down in Article 3, *including a standard formal declaration in the form set out in Annex I;*

**Amendment**

(a) documents proving that the applicant satisfies the conditions laid down in Article 3;

**Justification**

*The standard declaration form in Annex I is not considered to be an instrument that has any real use or that will have significant effects once implemented, and is instead an additional burden on the parties concerned. The amendment is consistent with the deletion of recital 13.*
Amendment 181
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 9 – paragraph 2 – point b a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

(b a) the gender equality plan and the protocol to prevent, detect and combat sexual harassment and harassment on the grounds of gender of the party or foundation.

Or. en

Amendment 182
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 10 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The standard formal declaration referred to in Article 9(2), point (a), shall be considered sufficient for the Authority to ascertain that the applicant complies with the conditions specified in Article 3(1), points (d) and (e), or Article 3(2), points (c) and (d), whichever is applicable.

Amendment

3. A standard formal declaration shall be considered sufficient for the Authority to ascertain that the applicant complies with the conditions specified in Article 3.

Or. it

Justification

The standard declaration form in Annex I is not considered to be an instrument that has any real use or that will have significant effects once implemented, and is instead an additional burden on the parties concerned. The amendment is consistent with the deletion of recital 13 and the amendment of Article 9(2), point (a).

Amendment 183
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group
Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. If the Authority finds that any of the conditions for registration or governance provisions referred to in paragraph 1, with the exception of the conditions in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c), are no longer complied with, it shall notify the European political party or foundation concerned.

Amendment

2. If following a verification conducted under paragraph 1, the Authority considers that one of the deregistration grounds under Article 19(1), point (a), points (i) or (ii), might apply to a European political party or a European political foundation, or the Authority has knowledge of circumstances indicating that one of the deregistration grounds under Article 19(1), point (a), points (iii) or (iv), or under Article 19(2) might apply to a European political party or to a European political foundation, the Authority shall inform the party or foundation concerned without undue delay of those deregistration grounds, and invite the party or foundation concerned to submit observations within one month.

Or. en

Amendment 184
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. If the Authority finds that any of the conditions for registration or governance provisions referred to in paragraph 1, with the exception of the conditions in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c), are no longer complied with, it shall notify the European political party or foundation concerned.

Amendment

2. If the Authority finds that any of the conditions for registration or governance provisions referred to in paragraph or the conditions in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c), are no longer complied with, it shall notify the European political party or foundation concerned.

Or. it
Justification

Given the significant impact of de-registration under the new measures introduced by the reform of the Regulation, the Authority should in all cases notify the European political party or European political foundation concerned if any of the conditions referred to in the Regulation are not complied with, so that they are made aware of the situation in good time and, where possible, allowed to remedy it.

Amendment 185
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 3 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The European Parliament, acting on its own initiative or following a reasoned request from a group of citizens, submitted in accordance with the relevant provisions of its Rules of Procedure, or the Council or the Commission may lodge with the Authority a request for verification of compliance by a specific European political party or European political foundation with the conditions laid down in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c). In such cases, and in the cases referred to in Article 19(3), point (a), the Authority shall ask the committee of independent eminent persons referred to in Article 14 for an opinion on the subject. The committee shall give its opinion within two months.

Amendment

3. In case of non-compliance with Article 3(1), points (a) to (g), Article 3(2), points (a), (b) to (g) or the governance provisions mentioned in paragraph 1, the Authority shall give the European political party or European political foundation concerned the opportunity to introduce the measures required to remedy the situation within the time limit provided for by paragraph 2.

Justification

This amendment is necessary for pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text or because the amendments are inextricably linked to other admissible amendments.

Amendment 186
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 3 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

3. The European Parliament, acting on its own initiative or following a reasoned request from a group of citizens, submitted in accordance with the relevant provisions of its Rules of Procedure, or the Council or the Commission may lodge with the Authority a request for verification of compliance by a specific European political party or European political foundation with the conditions laid down in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c). In such cases, and in the cases referred to in Article 19(3), point (a), the Authority shall ask the committee of independent eminent persons referred to in Article 14 for an opinion on the subject. The committee shall give its opinion within two months.

Amendment

3. The competent national authorities or the European Parliament, following a reasoned request from a group of citizens, submitted in accordance with the relevant provisions of its Rules of Procedure, or the Council or the Commission may lodge with the Authority a request for verification of compliance by a specific European political party or European political foundation with the conditions laid down in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c) and with the applicable national law. In such cases, and in the cases referred to in Article 19(3), point (a), the Authority shall ask the committee of independent eminent persons referred to in Article 14 for an opinion on the subject. Once the parties concerned have been allowed to exercise their right to be heard, the committee shall give its opinion within two months.

Or. it

Justification

L'iniziativa di presentare all'Autorità una richiesta di verifica del rispetto, da parte di uno specifico partito politico europeo o di una specifica fondazione politica europea, delle condizioni di cui all'articolo 3, paragrafo 1, lettera d), e all'articolo 3, paragrafo 2, lettera c) dovrebbe essere demandata alle autorità nazionali competenti o al Parlamento europeo, solo a seguito di una richiesta motivata da parte di un gruppo di cittadini presentata conformemente alle disposizioni pertinenti del suo regolamento, oppure al Consiglio o alla Commissione. Il Parlamento europeo, in qualità di organo in cui siedono i rappresentanti eletti in quota ai partiti politici europei, non dovrebbe avere un'iniziativa diretta. Questo permetterebbe di garantire che la procedura rimanga il meno condizionata possibile da meccanismi politici, a tutela dei soggetti interessati. La legislazione nazionale applicabile al partito europeo o alla fondazione politica europea interessato/a dovrebbe essere considerata e il contraddittorio e la possibilità di essere auditi garantiti nella fase di consultazione del comitato degli esperti.

Amendment 187
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa
Proposal for a regulation

Article 11 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Where the Authority becomes aware of facts which may give rise to doubts concerning compliance by a specific European political party or European political foundation with the conditions laid down in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c), it shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission with a view to allowing any of them to lodge a request for verification as referred to in the first subparagraph. Without prejudice to the first subparagraph, the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission shall indicate their intention within two months of receiving that information.

Amendment

Where the Authority becomes aware of facts which may give rise to doubts concerning compliance by a specific European political party or European political foundation with the conditions laid down in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c), it shall start the verification process and inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission.

Amendment 188
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation

Article 11 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

A decision of the Authority to de-register on grounds of non-compliance with the conditions set out in Article 3(1), point (d), or Article 3(2), point (c), may only be adopted in the event of manifest and serious breach of those conditions. It shall be subject to the procedure set out in paragraph 4.

Amendment

A decision of the Authority to de-register on grounds of established non-compliance with the conditions set out in Article 3(1), point (d), or Article 3(2), point (c), may only be adopted in the event of manifest and serious breach of those conditions. It shall be subject to the procedure set out in paragraph 4.

Justification

Given the significant impact of de-registration under the new measures introduced by the reform of the Regulation, non-compliance with the conditions set out in Article 3(1), point (d),
or Article 3(2), point (c) must be proven and established, even after all remedies have been exhausted.

Amendment 189
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

A decision of the Authority to de-register on grounds of non-compliance with the conditions set out in Article 3(1), point (d), or Article 3(2), point (c), may only be adopted in the event of manifest and serious breach of those conditions. It shall be subject to the procedure set out in paragraph 4.

Amendment

A decision of the Authority to de-register on grounds of non-compliance with the conditions set out in Article 3(1), points (d) or (e), or Article 3(2), points (c) or (e), shall only be adopted in the event of breach of those conditions. It shall be subject to the procedure set out in paragraph 4.

Or. en

Amendment 190
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 4 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

4. A decision of the Authority to de-register a European political party or foundation on the ground of a manifest and serious breach as regards compliance with the conditions set out in Article 3(1), point (d), or Article 3(2), point (c), shall be communicated to the European Parliament and the Council. The decision shall enter into force only if no objection is expressed by the European Parliament and the Council within a period of three months of the communication of the decision to the European Parliament and the Council or if, before the expiry of that period, the

Amendment

4. A decision of the Authority to de-register a European political party or foundation on the ground of an established breach as regards compliance with the conditions set out in Article 3(1), point (d), or Article 3(2), point (c), shall be communicated to the European Parliament and the Council. The decision shall enter into force only if no objection is expressed by the European Parliament and the Council within a period of three months of the communication of the decision to the European Parliament and the Council or if, before the expiry of that period, the
European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Authority that they will not object. In the event of an objection by the European Parliament and by the Council, the European political party or foundation shall remain registered.

The European Parliament shall adopt a procedure to enable minority groups to exercise their right to raise objections, adapting their internal rules as necessary.

In the event of an objection by the European Parliament and by the Council, the European political party or foundation shall remain registered.

Or. it

Justification

Given the significant impact of de-registration under the new measures introduced by the reform of the Regulation, a mechanism should be put in place to ensure that minority groups in the European Parliament have the opportunity to raise objections, adapting their internal rules as necessary.

Amendment 191
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 4 – introductory part

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Amendment 192
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 4 – subparagraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission
The European Parliament and the Council shall adopt a position in accordance with their respective decision-making rules established in conformity with the Treaties. Any objection shall be duly reasoned and shall be made public.

Amendment
The European Parliament and the Council shall adopt a position in accordance with their respective decision-making rules established in conformity with the Treaties, without prejudice to the above-mentioned right that must be guaranteed for minority groups. Any objection shall be duly reasoned and shall be made public.

Or. it

Justification
Given the significant impact of de-registration under the new measures introduced by the reform of the Regulation, a mechanism should be put in place to ensure that minority groups in the European Parliament have the opportunity to raise objections, adapting their internal rules as necessary (see proposal on this same paragraph).

Amendment 193
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 11 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission
(5) A decision of the Authority to de-

Amendment
(5) A decision of the Authority to de-
register a European political party or a European political foundation, to which no objections have been raised under the procedure laid down in paragraph 4, together with the detailed grounds for de-registration, shall be notified to the European political party or foundation concerned and published in the Official Journal of the European Union. The decision shall take effect upon notification in accordance with Article 297 TFEU.

The decision shall take effect upon notification in accordance with Article 297 TFEU. and the decision shall take effect three months after the date of its publication.

Amendment 194
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 12 – paragraph 2

Amendment

2. The Authority shall be informed of any decision of a national supervisory authority within the meaning of Article 4, point (21), of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 finding that a natural or legal person has infringed applicable rules on the protection of personal data. If it follows from that decision, or if there are otherwise reasonable grounds to believe, that the infringement is linked to political activities by a European political party or a European political foundation in the context of elections to the European Parliament, the Authority shall refer this matter to the committee of independent eminent persons referred to in Article 14 of this Regulation. The Authority may, if necessary, liaise with the national supervisory authority concerned.

Justification

This is a technical amendment aiming to clarify that national authorities shall notify the
Authority on their own initiative of relevant data protection infringements, so as to ensure
effectiveness of this provision which seeks to protect European elections against interference.
It is necessary for pressing reasons of internal logic of the text and is consistent with the aim
of the Commission as laid down in point 1, p. 2 of the explanatory memorandum
accompanying the proposal

Amendment 195
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 13 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The Authority shall annually prepare and publish a report on the political advertising activity of European political parties. This report shall include the reports for the relevant reporting year published by European political parties according to Article 5(4), as well as any decisions of the national regulatory authorities designated under Article 5(6) or of the supervisory authorities referred to in Article 5(7) finding that a European political party has violated Article 5 of this Regulation.

Or. hu

Amendment 196
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 13 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The Authority shall annually prepare and publish a report on the political advertising activity of European political parties. This report shall include a factual summary of the reports for the relevant reporting year published by European political parties according to Article 5(4), as well as any
decisions of the national regulatory authorities designated under Article 5(6) or of the supervisory authorities referred to in Article 5(7) finding that a European political party has violated Article 5 of this Regulation.

Amendment 197
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

1. The committee of independent eminent persons established by Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 shall consist of six members, with the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission each appointing two members. The members of the committee shall be selected on the basis of their personal and professional qualities. They shall neither be members of the European Parliament, the Council or the Commission, nor hold any electoral mandate, be officials or other servants of the European Union or be current or former employees of a European political party or a European political foundation.

Amendment

1. The committee of independent eminent persons established by Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 shall consist of six members, with the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission each appointing two members of which at least one shall be a woman. The members of the committee shall be selected on the basis of their personal and professional qualities. They shall neither be members or former members of the European Parliament, the Council or the Commission, nor hold any electoral mandate, belong to a national or regional party in the European Union, be officials or other servants of the European Union or be current or former employees of a European political party or a European political foundation.

Amendment 198
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 1 – introductory part
Text proposed by the Commission

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Or. it

Justification

The proposal aims to introduce additional criteria for choosing the experts on the committee of independent eminent persons to further ensure their independence.

Amendment 199
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 14 – paragraph 3 – point a

Text proposed by the Commission

(a) any possible manifest and serious breach of the values on which the Union is founded, as referred to in Article 3(1), point (d), and Article 3(2), point (c), by a European political party or a European political foundation;

Amendment

(a) any possible breach of the values on which the Union is founded, as referred to in Article 3(1), points (d) and (e), and Article 3(2), points (c) and (d), by a European political party or a European political foundation;

Or. en
Amendment 200
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 17 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. For matters not regulated by this Regulation or by the applicable provisions pursuant to paragraph 2 or, where matters are only partly regulated by them, for those aspects which are not covered by them, European political parties and European political foundations shall be governed by the provisions of their respective statutes.

Amendment

3. For matters not regulated by this Regulation or by the applicable provisions pursuant to paragraph 2 or, where matters are only partly regulated by them, for those aspects which are not covered by them, European political parties and European political foundations shall be governed by the provisions of their respective statutes that comply with the constitutional principles of the Member State where they have their seat.

Or. it

Justification

Le attivita’ e lo status giuridico dei partiti politici europei e delle fondazioni politiche europee sono disciplinate dal presente regolamento e, per le materie non coperte da quest’ultimo, dalle disposizioni pertinenti del diritto nazionale. Non dovrebbe essere possibile ”lasciare la scelta” sull’individuazione del diritto applicabile ai partiti politici europei e alle fondazioni politiche europee per esigenze di certezza del diritto: la legge nazionale applicabile dovrebbe rimanere quella dello Stato membro in cui il partito politico europeo o la fondazione politica europea stabilisce la propria sede. Alla luce di questo, anche ove vi siano aspetti non contemplati dalle disposizioni delle fonti citate e che sono, pertanto, regolati dalle norme statutarie, i principi costituzionali dello Stato membro in cui si trova la loro sede devono essere rispettati.

Amendment 201
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. A European political party or a European political foundation shall lose its

Amendment

1. A European political party or a European political foundation shall lose its
European legal personality upon the notification of a decision pursuant to Article 11(5).

European legal personality upon removal from the Register by a decision of the Authority:

(a) if, in the context of the procedure laid down in Article 11, the Authority finds that

(i) one of the conditions for registration laid down in Article 3(1), points (a), (b), (c), (f) or (g), or in Article 3(2), points (a), (b), (e), (f) or (g), is not complied with by the party or foundation in question;

(ii) one of the governance provisions set out Article 4(1), points (a), (b), (d), (e), (f) or (j), or in Article 6(1), points (a) to (e), (g) or (ia), is not complied with by the party or foundation in question;

(iii) the party or foundation in question is in one of the situations of exclusion referred to in Article 136(1) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046;

(iv) the decision to register the party or foundation in question is based on information decisive for the registration decision that was incorrect or misleading and, or where the decision has been obtained by deceit;

(b) if, in the context of the procedure laid down in Article 11a, the Authority finds that the conditions for registration laid down in Article 3(1), points (d) or (e), or Article 3(2), points (c) or (d), concerning respect for the values expressed in Article 2 TEU, have been breached by the European political party in question or by its member parties or by the European political foundation in question or its member organisations;

(c) at the request of the European political party or European political foundation concerned; or

(d) at the request of a Member State that fulfils the requirements laid down in Article 11b(1) and (3).
Amendment 202
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission
(1) A European political party or a European political foundation shall lose its European legal personality upon the notification of a decision pursuant to Article 11(5).

Amendment
(1) A European political party or a European political foundation shall lose its European legal personality upon the entry into force of a decision of the Authority to remove it from the Register as published in the Official Journal of the European Union. The decision shall enter into force three months after such publication unless the European political party or the European political foundation concerned requests a shorter period.

Or. hu

Justification

The proposed amendment includes the original text.

Amendment 203
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission
1. A European political party or a European political foundation shall lose its European legal personality upon the notification of a decision pursuant to Article 11(5).

Amendment
1. The process of de-registration of a European political party or a European political foundations shall be fully transparent and based on using templates and following clear instructions. A European political party or a European political foundation shall lose its European legal personality upon the notification of a decision pursuant to Article 11(5).

Or. en
Amendment 204
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 3 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

3. If a European political party or a European political foundation has **seriously** failed to fulfil relevant obligations under national law applicable by virtue of **the first subparagraph of Article 17(2)**, the Member State of the seat may address to the Authority a **duly reasoned** request for de-registration **which** shall identify precisely and exhaustively the illegal actions and the specific national requirements that have not been complied with. **In such cases, the Authority shall:**

Amendment

3. If a European political party or a European political foundation has failed to fulfil relevant obligations under national law applicable by virtue of Article 17(2), **and if, in the light of the fundamental right of freedom of association enshrined in Article 12 EU Charter of Fundamental Rights and the need to ensure pluralism of political parties in Europe, that failure is serious enough to justify its de-registration**, the Member State of the seat may address to the Authority a request for de-registration. **This request shall be duly reasoned. In particular, it** shall identify precisely and exhaustively the illegal actions and the specific national requirements that have not been complied with.

Or. en

Amendment 205
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 3 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) for any other matter, **and when the reasoned** request of the Member State concerned confirms that all national remedies have been exhausted, **decide to remove** the European political party or European political foundation concerned

Amendment

(b) for any other matter, **where, in its request pursuant to paragraph 1**, the Member State confirms that all national remedies **concerning such a request** have been exhausted, **the Authority shall, after hearing the representative of the European**
from the Register.

political party or European political foundation concerned, **assess whether the de-registration ground under Article 19(1), point (d), applies to the European political party or European political foundation concerned**

Or. en

Amendment 206
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 3 – point b

*Text proposed by the Commission*  

(b) for any other matter, and when the reasoned request of the Member State concerned confirms that all *national* remedies have been exhausted, decide to remove the European political party or European political foundation concerned from the Register.

*Amendment*

(b) for any other matter, and when the reasoned request of the Member State concerned confirms that all remedies have been exhausted, decide to remove the European political party or European political foundation concerned from the Register.

Or. it

*Justification*

*Given the significant impact of de-registration under the new measures introduced by the reform of the Regulation, all remedies must be exhausted, including any appeal to the Court of Justice.*

Amendment 207
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield  
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 3 – subparagraph 2

*Text proposed by the Commission*  

In all cases, the Authority shall act without undue delay. The Authority shall inform the Member State concerned and the

*Amendment*  

In all cases, the Authority shall act without undue delay and, in any case not later than two months. The Authority shall
European political party or European political foundation concerned of the follow-up given to the reasoned request for de-registration. inform the Member State concerned and the European political party or European political foundation concerned of how the reasoned request for de-registration has been followed-up.

Or. en

Amendment 208
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 19 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

4. The Authority shall fix the date of the publication referred to in paragraph 1 after consultation with the Member State in which the European political party or European political foundation has its seat.

Amendment

4. The decision on the removal shall be addressed and notified to the European political party or European political foundation concerned. The decision shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union. It shall take effect upon notification and in any event at the latest by the time of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.

Or. en

Justification

This amendment builds upon Amendment 41 of the draft report. It aims to avoid ineffectiveness of the Authority's decision in case of absence of workable postal address of the European political party or European political foundation.

Amendment 209
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 20 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

(4) Financial contributions or grants from the general budget of the European Union shall not exceed 95 % of the annual

Amendment

(4) Financial contributions or grants from the general budget of the European Union shall not exceed 95 % of the annual
reimbursable expenditure indicated in the budget of a European political party and 95 % of the eligible costs incurred by a European political foundation. European political parties may use any unused part of the Union contribution awarded to cover reimbursable expenditure within the financial year following its award. Amounts unused after that financial year shall be recovered in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046.

**Financial contributions in the year of elections to the European Parliament may cover 100% of the reimbursable expenditure incurred by a European political party.**

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**Amendment 210**

Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield

on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

**Proposal for a regulation**

**Article 20 – paragraph 4**

**Text proposed by the Commission**

4. Financial contributions or grants from the general budget of the European Union shall not exceed 95 % of the annual reimbursable expenditure indicated in the budget of a European political party and of the eligible costs incurred by a European political foundation. European political parties may use any unused part of the Union contribution awarded to cover reimbursable expenditure within the financial year following its award. Amounts unused after that financial year shall be recovered in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046.

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**Amendment**

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Financial contributions in the year of elections to the European Parliament may cover 100% of the reimbursable expenditure incurred by a European political party.
political party or a European political foundation.

Amendment 211
Charles Goerens, Sandro Gozi, Helmut Scholz

Proposal for a regulation
Article 20 – paragraph 4

Text proposed by the Commission

4. Financial contributions or grants from the general budget of the European Union shall not exceed 95 % of the annual reimbursable expenditure indicated in the budget of a European political party and of the eligible costs incurred by a European political foundation. European political parties may use any unused part of the Union contribution awarded to cover reimbursable expenditure within the financial year following its award. Amounts unused after that financial year shall be recovered in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046. Financial contributions in the year of elections to the European Parliament may cover 100% of the reimbursable expenditure incurred by a European political party.

Amendment

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Amendment 212
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 20 – paragraph 4 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

4a. At least 5 % of the financial

Amendment

4a. At least 5 % of the financial
contributions or grants from the general budget of the European Union shall be used to implement the measures laid down in Article 6a.

Amendment 213
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The European political party and the European political foundation shall, at the time of its application, comply with the obligations listed in Article 26. From the date of its application until the end of the financial year or of the action covered by the contribution or grant, it shall remain registered in the Register and shall not be the subject of any of the sanctions provided for in Article 30(1) and in Article 30(2), points (a) (v) to (ix).

Amendment

2. The European political party and the European political foundation shall, at the time of its application, comply with the obligations listed in Article 26. From the date of its application until the end of the financial year or of the action covered by the contribution or grant, it shall remain registered in the Register and shall not be the subject of any of the sanctions provided for in Article 30(2), points (a) (v) to (ix).

Amendment 214
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

3a. A European political party shall include in its application an annual report on the implementation of its rules regarding gender equality demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j).

Amendment

3a. A European political party shall include in its application an annual report on the implementation of its rules regarding gender equality demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j).
Amendment 215
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 4

*Text proposed by the Commission*  
(4) A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j), and that its member parties have continuously published on their websites, during 12 months preceding the moment at which the application is made, information on the gender representation among the candidates at the last elections to the European Parliament and on the evolution of gender representation among their Members of the European Parliament.

*Amendment*

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 216
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 4

*Text proposed by the Commission*  
4. A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j), and that its member parties have continuously published on their websites, during 12 months preceding the moment at which the application is made, information on the gender representation among the candidates at the last elections to the European Parliament and on the

*Amendment*

4. A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating that it has continuously published on its website, during 12 months preceding the moment at which the application is made, information on the gender representation among the candidates at the last elections to the European Parliament and on the evolution of gender representation among their
evolution of gender representation among their Members of the European Parliament.

Amendment 217
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 4

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission}

4. A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j), and that its member parties have continuously published on their websites, during 12 months preceding the moment at which the application is made, information on the gender representation among the candidates at the last elections to the European Parliament and on the evolution of gender representation among their Members of the European Parliament.

\textit{Amendment}

4. A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j), and that its member parties apply gender equality and have continuously published on their websites, during 12 months preceding the moment at which the application is made, information on the gender representation among the candidates at the last elections to the European Parliament and on the evolution of gender representation among their Members of the European Parliament.

Amendment 218
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 4

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission}

4. A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j), and that its member parties have continuously published on their websites, during 12 months preceding the moment at which the application is made, information on the gender representation among the candidates at the last elections to the European Parliament and on the evolution of gender representation among their Members of the European Parliament.

\textit{Amendment}

4. A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating its compliance with Article 4(1), point (j), and that its member parties have continuously published on their websites, during 12 months preceding the moment at which the application is made, information on the gender representation among their Members of the European Parliament.
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Amendment 219
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 5

Text proposed by the Commission

(5) A European political party shall include in its application evidence demonstrating its compliance with Article 5, that it maintains an up to date policy for the use of political advertising and that it has implemented it throughout the 12 months preceding the final date for submission of applications.

Amendment
deleted

Or. hu

Amendment 220
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 21 – paragraph 6 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

6 a. A European political foundation shall include in its application its an annual report on the implementation of its rules regarding gender equality demonstrating its compliance with Article 6(1), point (ia).

Amendment

6 a. A European political foundation shall include in its application its an annual report on the implementation of its rules regarding gender equality demonstrating its compliance with Article 6(1), point (ia).

Or. en
Amendment 221
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. European political parties and European political foundations may accept donations from natural or legal persons of up to a value of EUR 18000 per year and per donor.

Amendment

1. European political parties and European political foundations may accept donations from natural persons or non-profit organisations of up to a value of EUR 18000 per year and per donor.

Or. en

Amendment 222
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 2 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

2. European political parties and European political foundations shall, at the time of the submission of their annual financial statements in accordance with Article 26, also transmit a list of all donors with their corresponding donations, indicating both the nature and the value of the individual donations. This paragraph shall also apply to contributions made by member parties of European political parties and member organisations of European political foundations.

Amendment

2. European political parties and European political foundations shall, at the time of the submission of their annual financial statements in accordance with Article 26, also transmit a list of all donors with their corresponding donations, indicating both the nature and the value of the individual donations. This paragraph shall also apply to contributions made by members of European political parties and member organisations of European political foundations.

Or. en

Amendment 223
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group
Proposal for a regulation  
Article 23 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

For donations from natural persons the value of which exceeds EUR 1500 and is below or equal to EUR 3000, the European political party or European political foundation concerned shall indicate whether the corresponding donors have given their prior written consent to publication in accordance with Article 36(1), point (e).

Amendment

3. Donations received by European political parties and European political foundations within six months prior to elections to the European Parliament shall be reported on a weekly basis to the Authority in writing and in accordance with paragraph 2.

Amendment 224
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation  
Article 23 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

3. Donations received by European political parties and European political foundations and expenditure funded from those donations within six months prior to elections to the European Parliament shall be reported on a weekly basis to the Authority in writing and in accordance with paragraph 2.

Amendment 225
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation  
Article 23 – paragraph 3

Text proposed by the Commission

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\textit{Justification}

\textit{Deleted as reporting expenditure would significantly increase the administrative burden.}

\textit{Amendment 226}
\textbf{Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield}
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

\textbf{Proposal for a regulation}
\textbf{Article 23 – paragraph 4}

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission}

4. Single donations the value of which exceeds EUR 12000 that have been accepted by European political parties and European political foundations shall be immediately reported to the Authority in writing and in accordance with paragraph 2.

\textit{Amendment}

4. Single donations the value of which exceeds EUR 1000 that have been accepted by European political parties and European political foundations shall be immediately reported to the Authority in writing and in accordance with paragraph 2 \textit{and no later than five working days.}

\textit{Amendment 227}
\textbf{Jacek Saryusz-Wolski}

\textbf{Proposal for a regulation}
\textbf{Article 23 – paragraph 5 – introductory part}

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission}

5. For all donations \textit{the value of which exceeds EUR 3000}, European political parties and European political
foundations shall request donors to provide the necessary information for their proper identification. European political parties and European political foundations shall transmit the information received to the Authority upon its request.

Amendment 228
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 5 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

5. For all donations the value of which exceeds EUR 3000, European political parties and European political foundations shall request donors to provide the necessary information for their proper identification. European political parties and European political foundations shall transmit the information received to the Authority upon its request.

Amendment

5. For all donations, European political parties and European political foundations shall request donors to provide the necessary information for their proper identification. European political parties and European political foundations shall transmit the information received to the Authority upon its request.

Amendment 229
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 5 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

(5) For all donations the value of which exceeds EUR 3000, European political parties and European political foundations shall request donors to provide the necessary information for their proper identification. European political parties and European political foundations shall

Amendment

(5) For all donations the value of which exceeds EUR 1500, European political parties and European political foundations shall request donors to provide the necessary information for their proper identification. European political parties and European political foundations shall
transmit the information received to the Authority upon its request.

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Or. hu

Amendment 230
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 5 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

5. For all donations the value of which exceeds EUR 3,000, European political parties and European political foundations shall request donors to provide the necessary information for their proper identification. European political parties and European political foundations shall transmit the information received to the Authority upon its request.

Amendment

5. For all donations the value of which exceeds EUR 1,500, European political parties and European political foundations shall request donors to provide the necessary information for their proper identification. European political parties and European political foundations shall transmit the information received to the Authority upon its request.

Or. it

Justification

In the light of the changes introduced by the reform of the Regulation, the proposal aims to enhance transparency in relation to funding received by European political parties and European political foundations.

Amendment 231
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 6 – point c

Text proposed by the Commission

(c) donations from any public authority from a Member State or a third country, or from any undertaking over which such a public authority may exercise, directly or indirectly, a dominant influence by virtue of its ownership of it, its financial

Amendment

(c) donations from any public authority from a Member State or from outside the Union, or from any undertaking over which such a public authority may exercise, directly or indirectly, a dominant influence by virtue of its ownership of it,
participation therein, or the rules which govern it; or its financial participation therein, or the rules which govern it; or

Or. en

Justification

This amendment is necessary for pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text or because the amendments are inextricably linked to other admissible amendments.

Amendment 232
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 6 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission
(d) donations from any private entities based in a third country or from individuals from a third country who are not entitled to vote in elections to the European Parliament.

Amendment
(d) donations from any private entities based in a third country or from non-EU citizens resident in a third country.

Or. en

Amendment 233
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 6 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission
(d) donations from any private entities based in a third country or from individuals from a third country who are not entitled to vote in elections to the European Parliament.

Amendment
(d) donations from any private entities based outside the Union or from individuals from outside the Union who are not entitled to vote in elections to the European Parliament.

Or. en
Justification

This amendment is necessary for pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text or because the amendment is inextricably linked to other admissible amendments.

Amendment 234
Rainer Wieland
Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 8

Text proposed by the Commission

8. The Authority shall carry out verifications where it has grounds to believe that any donation has been granted in breach of this Regulation. It may for that purpose request additional information from the European political party or European political foundation and its donors.

Amendment

8. The Authority shall carry out controls where it has grounds to believe that any donation has been granted in breach of this Regulation. It may for that purpose request additional information from the European political party or European political foundation and its donors.

Or. en

Amendment 235
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

(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.

Amendment

(9) Contributions to a European political party from its members shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40% of the annual budget of a European political party.
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.
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.

Or. en

Amendment 238
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

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.

Amendment

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 candidate countries for accession to the

Or. en

Amendment 239
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

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

Amendment

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 candidate countries for accession to the
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.

Union, in countries from the European Free Trade Association, in EU neighbourhood countries and in former Member States 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.

Amendment 240
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

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.

Amendment

9. Contributions from members of a European political party that have their seat in, or are citizens or permanent residents of, a Member State or from member parties that have their seat in a country belonging to the Council of Europe, in candidate countries or potential candidates for EU membership 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 20% of the total contributions from members.

Amendment 241
Nathalie Colin-Oesterlé

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 9

Text proposed by the Commission

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.

Amendment

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. 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.

Or. fr

Amendment 242
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 9 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

9a. Association fees from political parties that have their seat outside the Union but in a country belonging to the Council of Europe shall be permitted, under condition that the respective country has full voting rights in the Council of Europe. The value of association fees from such parties that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 20% of the total contributions from members.

Amendment

9a. Association fees from political parties that have their seat outside the Union but in a country belonging to the Council of Europe shall be permitted, under condition that the respective country has full voting rights in the Council of Europe. The value of association fees from such parties that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 20% of the total contributions from members.

Or. en

Amendment 243
László Trócsányi
Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 10 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

(10) Contributions from members of a European political foundation that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State or from member organisations that have their seat in a country belonging to the Council of Europe, and from the European political party with which it is affiliated, shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40 % of the annual budget of a European political foundation and shall not derive from funds received by a European political party pursuant to this Regulation from the general budget of the European Union.

The value of contributions from member organisations that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 10% of the total contributions from members.

Or. hu

Justification

This deletion is necessary to ensure that the text is coherent.

Amendment 244
Nikolaj Villumsen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 10 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

10. Contributions from members of a European political foundation that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State or from member organisations that have their seat in a country belonging to the Council of Europe, and from the European political party with which it is affiliated, shall be permitted. The total

Amendment

10. Contributions to a European political foundation from its members, and from the European political party with which it is affiliated, shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40 % of the annual budget of a European political foundation and shall not derive from funds received by a European political party pursuant to this Regulation from the general budget of the European Union.
value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40% of the annual budget of a European political foundation and shall not derive from funds received by a European political party pursuant to this Regulation from the general budget of the European Union. The value of contributions from member organisations that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 10% of the total contributions from members.

Amendment 245
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 10 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission
10. Contributions from members of a European political foundation that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State or from member organisations that have their seat in a country belonging to the Council of Europe, and from the European political party with which it is affiliated, shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40% of the annual budget of a European political foundation and shall not derive from funds received by a European political party pursuant to this Regulation from the general budget of the European Union. The value of contributions from member organisations that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 10% of the total contributions from members.

Amendment 246

Or. en
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènech Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 10 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

10. Contributions from members of a European political foundation that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State or from member organisations that have their seat in a country belonging to the Council of Europe, and from the European political party with which it is affiliated, shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40 % of the annual budget of a European political foundation and shall not derive from funds received by a European political party pursuant to this Regulation from the general budget of the European Union. The value of contributions from member organisations that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 10% of the total contributions from members.

Amendment

10. Contributions from members of a European political foundation that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State or from member organisations that have their seat in a country belonging to candidate countries for accession to the Union, countries from the European Free Trade Association, EU neighbourhood countries and to former Member States and from the European political party with which it is affiliated, shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40 % of the annual budget of a European political foundation and shall not derive from funds received by a European political party pursuant to this Regulation from the general budget of the European Union. The value of contributions from member organisations that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 10% of the total contributions from members.

Or. en

Amendment 247
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 10 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

10. Contributions from members of a European political foundation that have their seat in, or are citizens of, a Member State or from member organisations that have their seat in a country belonging to

Amendment

10. Contributions from members of a European political foundation that have their seat in, or are citizens or permanent residents of, a Member State or from member organisations that have their seat
the Council of Europe, and from the European political party with which it is affiliated, shall be permitted. The total value of contributions from members shall not exceed 40% of the annual budget of a European political foundation and shall not derive from funds received by a European political party pursuant to this Regulation from the general budget of the European Union. The value of contributions from member organisations that have their seat in a country outside the Union shall not exceed 10% of the total contributions from members.

Amendment 248
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 13

Text proposed by the Commission

13. The value of own resources of a European political party or of a European political foundation generated from own economic activities shall not exceed 5% of the annual budget of that European political party or European political foundation.

Amendment

13. The value of ancillary own resources of a European political party or of a European political foundation generated from own economic activities shall not exceed 10% of the annual budget of that European political party or European political foundation.

Justification

This amendment is necessary for pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text or because the amendments are inextricably linked to other admissible amendments.

Amendment 249
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 23 – paragraph 13

Text proposed by the Commission

13. The value of own resources of a European political party or of a European political foundation generated from own economic activities shall not exceed 5% of the annual budget of that European political party or European political foundation.

Amendment

13. The value of ancillary own resources of a European political party or of a European political foundation generated from own economic activities shall not exceed 5% of the annual budget of that European political party or European political foundation.

Or. en

Amendment 250
Charles Goerens, Sandro Gozi, Helmut Scholz, Gabriele Bischoff, Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Subject to the second subparagraph, the funding of European political parties from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source may be used to finance campaigns conducted by the European political parties in the context of elections to the European Parliament in which they or their members participate as required by Article 3(1), point (f).

Amendment

1. Subject to the second subparagraph, the funding of European political parties from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source may be used to finance campaigns conducted by the European political parties in the context of elections to the European Parliament in which they or their members participate as required by Article 3(1), point (f) including setting up union-wide lists.

Or. en

Amendment 251
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 2
Text proposed by the Commission

(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.

Amendment

252
Nathalie Colin-Oesterlé

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

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.

Amendment

253
Nikolaj Villumsen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

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.

Amendment 254
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski
Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

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.

Amendment

deleted

2. The funding of European political parties 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.

European political foundations shall be allowed to organise activities financed from the general budget of the European Union to support these campaigns.

Amendment 255
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group
Proposal for a regulation
Article 24 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

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.

Amendment

2. The funding of European political parties 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. European political foundations shall be allowed to organise activities financed from the general budget of the European Union to support these campaigns.
Amendment 256  
Gabriele Bischoff, Domènec Ruiz Devesa  
Proposal for a regulation  
Article 24 – paragraph 2  

Text proposed by the Commission  
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.

Amendment  
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 issues directly related to the European Union.

Amendment 257  
László Trócsányi  
Proposal for a regulation  
Article 24 – paragraph 3  

Text proposed by the Commission  
(3) Expenditure linked to the campaigns referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 shall be clearly identified as such by the European political parties in their annual financial statements.

Amendment  
(3) Expenditure linked to the campaigns referred to in paragraph 1 shall be clearly identified as such by the European political parties in their annual financial statements.

Amendment 258  
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa  
Proposal for a regulation  
Article 25 – paragraph 1
Text proposed by the Commission

1. Notwithstanding Article 24(1), the funding of European political parties from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source shall not be used for the direct or indirect funding of other political parties, and in particular national parties or candidates. Those national political parties and candidates shall continue to be governed by national rules.

Amendment

1. Notwithstanding Article 24(1), the funding of European political parties from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source shall not be used for the direct or indirect funding of other political parties, and in particular national parties or candidates except for political activities in the common interest of European and national parties and capacity building to support the formation of future political leadership in the Union. Those national political parties and candidates shall continue to be governed by national rules.

Or. en

Justification

As a matter of coherence, the exceptions introduced by the European Commission to the benefit of European political foundations or relating to the common interest, in the articles 2 (4) b and 2 (10) respectively, should also apply to European Political parties.

Amendment 259

Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation

Article 25 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The funding of European political foundations from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source shall not be used for any other purpose than for financing their tasks as listed in Article 2, point (4), and to meet expenditure directly linked to the objectives set out in their statutes in accordance with Article 6. It shall in particular not be used for the direct or indirect funding of elections, political parties, or candidates or other foundations.

Amendment

2. The funding of European political foundations from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source shall not be used for any other purpose than for financing their tasks as listed in Article 2, point (4), and to meet expenditure directly linked to the objectives set out in their statutes in accordance with Article 6. It shall in particular not be used for the direct or indirect funding of elections, political parties, or candidates in the six months before national or European elections or other foundations.
The training of candidates before elections should remain outside of the scope. The current interpretation of the regulation results in the fact that even a person that might become a candidate at a later stage is excluded from the foundation’s educational activities. Empowering citizens to take an active part in the European political sphere is a core component of the work of European political foundations.

Amendment 260
Nikolaj Villumsen

Proposal for a regulation
Article 25 – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  
Amendment

2a. The funding of European political parties and European political foundations from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source shall not be used to finance referendum campaigns.

Justification

This amendment is inextricably linked to my amendment on art. 24(2). My intention is to return the text to its current form.

Amendment 261
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 25 – paragraph 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission  
Amendment

2a. The funding of European political parties and European political foundations from the general budget of the European Union or from any other source shall not be used to finance referendum campaigns.
Amendment 262
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 26 – paragraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

1. At the latest within six months following the end of the financial year, European political parties and European political foundations shall submit to the Authority, with a copy to the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament and to the competent National Contact Point of the Member State of their seat:

Amendment

1. At the latest within six months following the end of the financial year, European political parties and European political foundations shall submit to the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament with a copy to the Authority and to the competent National Contact Point of the Member State of their seat in an open, machine readable format:

Or. en

Justification

This suggestion is necessary for pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text, since the Commission proposes in Article 36 that the Authority and the Authorising officer of the European Parliament should publish in open, machine readable format certain datasets stemming from these submissions.

Amendment 263
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 27 – paragraph 2 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

2. The Authority shall control compliance by European political parties and European political foundations with their obligations under this Regulation, in particular in relation to Article 3, Article 4(1), points (a), (b), (d), (e) and (f), of Article 6(1), points (a) to (e) and (g), Article 10(5) and (6), and Articles 23, 24

Amendment

2. The Authority shall control compliance by European political parties and European political foundations with their obligations under this Regulation, in particular in relation to Article 3, Article 4(1), points (a), (b), (d), (e), (f) and (j), of Article 6(1), points (a) to (e), (g) and (ia), Article 10(5) and (6), and Articles 23, 24
Amendment 264
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 27 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission
The Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall control compliance by European political parties and European political foundations with the obligations relating to Union funding under this Regulation in accordance with Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046. In carrying out such controls, the European Parliament shall take the necessary measures in the fields of the prevention of and the fight against fraud affecting the financial interests of the Union.

Amendment
The Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall control compliance by European political parties and European political foundations with the obligations relating to Union funding under this Regulation and under Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046. In carrying out such controls, the European Parliament shall take the necessary measures in the fields of the prevention of and the fight against fraud affecting the financial interests of the Union.

Justification
This amendment is required by pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text. This modification clarifies that the European Parliament does not only control the obligations of the Regulation in the light of the Financial Regulation, but controls both, the obligations emanating from this Regulation as well as those emanating from the Financial Regulation.

Amendment 265
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 30 – paragraph 2 – point a – point ii

Text proposed by the Commission
(ii) in the event of non-compliance with the commitments entered into and the information provided by a European

Amendment
(ii) in the event of non-compliance with the commitments entered into and the information provided by a European
政治党派或欧洲政治基础，按照第4(1)条，点(a)，(b)，(d)，(e)，(f)，(i)和(j)以及第6(1)条，点(a)，(b)，(d)和(e)。

Or. hu

Amendment 266
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 30 – paragraph 2 – point a – point ix

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(ix) in the event of failure to provide **deleted** evidence on gender representation in accordance with Article 21(4).

Or. it

Amendment 267
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 30 – paragraph 2 – point a – point ix

*Text proposed by the Commission*

(ix) in the event of failure to provide **deleted** evidence on gender representation in accordance with Article 21(4).

Or. hu

Amendment 268
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 30 – paragraph 3 a (new)
3a. The sanctioned parties shall in all cases have the right to be heard and to access an internal appeals system. The Authority shall ensure that the parties concerned are given the opportunity to be heard and to request a review of its decision, where appropriate receiving from them new documents and exculpatory evidence not previously submitted due to excusable error or for reasons not attributable to them.

Or. it

Justification

In considerazione delle nuove misure previste nel Regolamento e dei conseguenti oneri a carico dei partiti politici europei e delle fondazioni, nonché nell'ottica di deflazione del contenzioso e della salvaguardia dei principi di buona amministrazione, appare opportuno garantire ai destinatari di una sanzione un sistema rimediale interno all'Autorità. Un riesame della decisione che preveda la possibilità di essere auditi e di produrre documenti a discarico che non siano stati precedentemente prodotti per errore scusabile o per causa non imputabile ai soggetti interessati (cfr. Considerando 21).

Amendment 269
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Article 30 – paragraph 6

Text proposed by the Commission

6. The sanctions laid down in this Regulation shall be subject to a limitation period of ten years from the date of commission of the infringement concerned or, in the case of continuing or repeated infringements, from the date on which those infringements ceased.

Amendment

6. The sanctions laid down in this Regulation shall be subject to a limitation period of five years from the date of commission of the infringement concerned or, in the case of continuing or repeated infringements, from the date on which those infringements ceased.

Or. it

Amendment 270
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 32 – paragraph 4

**Text proposed by the Commission**

4. The Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall inform the Authority of any findings which might give rise to the imposition of sanctions under Article 30(2) to (4), with a view to allowing the Authority to take appropriate measures. The Authority shall make a decision on the imposition of sanctions within [6 months].

**Amendment**

4. The Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall inform the Authority of any findings which might give rise to the imposition of sanctions under Article 30(2) to (4), with a view to allowing the Authority to take appropriate measures.

Or. en

Amendment 271
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 33 – paragraph 1

**Text proposed by the Commission**

1. With a view to fully comply with the obligations referred to in Article 38, before the Authority’s final decision relating to any of the sanctions referred to in Article 30, the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European political party or the European political foundation concerned an opportunity to introduce the measures required to remedy the situation within a reasonable period of time, which shall not normally exceed one month. In particular, the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall allow the possibility of correcting clerical and arithmetical errors, providing additional documents or information where necessary or correcting minor mistakes.

**Amendment**

1. Before the Authority’s decision relating to any of the sanctions referred to in Article 30, the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall give the European political party or the European political foundation concerned an opportunity to introduce the measures required to remedy the situation within a reasonable period of time, which shall not normally exceed one month. In particular, the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall allow the possibility of correcting clerical and arithmetical errors, providing additional documents or information where necessary or correcting minor mistakes.
Amendment 272
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 33 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. With a view to fully comply with the obligations referred to in Article 38, before the Authority’s final decision relating to any of the sanctions referred to in Article 30, the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall give the European political party or the European political foundation concerned an opportunity to introduce the measures required to remedy the situation within a reasonable period of time, which shall not normally exceed one month. In particular, the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall allow the possibility of correcting clerical and arithmetical errors, providing additional documents or information where necessary or correcting minor mistakes.

Amendment

1. With a view to fully comply with the obligations referred to in Article 38, before the Authority’s final decision relating to any of the sanctions referred to in Article 30(2), points (a)(i) to (iv), (viii) and (ix), the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall give the European political party or the European political foundation concerned an opportunity to introduce the measures required to remedy the situation within a reasonable period of time, which shall not normally exceed one month. In particular, the Authority or the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall allow the possibility of correcting clerical and arithmetical errors, providing additional documents or information where necessary or correcting minor mistakes.

Amendment 273
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 33 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

2. Where a European political party or a European political foundation has failed to take corrective measures within the period of time referred to in paragraph 1,

Amendment

2. Where a European political party or a European political foundation has failed to take sufficient corrective measures within the period of time referred to in
the appropriate sanctions referred to in Article 30 shall be decided.

Or. en

Justification

This amendment is technical in nature and aims to clarify that corrective measures may forestall a sanction only if they are sufficient in light of the breach having occurred.

Amendment 274
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 33 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission
2. Where a European political party or a European political foundation has failed to take corrective measures within the period of time referred to in paragraph 1, the appropriate sanctions referred to in Article 30 shall be decided.

Amendment
2. Where a European political party or a European political foundation has failed to take sufficient corrective measures within the period of time referred to in paragraph 1, the appropriate sanctions referred to in Article 30 shall be decided.

Or. en

Justification

This amendment is required by pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text.

Amendment 275
Jacek Saryusz-Wolski

Proposal for a regulation
Article 34 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission
1. On the basis of a decision of the Authority removing a European political party or a European political foundation from the Register, the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament shall withdraw or terminate any ongoing decision or agreement on Union funding, except in the
cases provided for in Article 19(2), point (c), and in Article 3(1), points (b) and (f). They shall also recover \textit{any} Union funding, \textit{including any unspent Union funds from previous years.}

or en

Amendment 276
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 36 – paragraph 1 – introductory part

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission}

1. The European Parliament, under the authority of its Authorising Officer or \textit{under that of} the Authority, shall make public the following on a website created for that purpose, in an open, machine readable format:

\textit{Amendment}

1. The European Parliament, under the authority of its Authorising Officer, or the Authority shall, \textit{in accordance with their respective responsibilities}, make public the following on a website created for that purpose, in an open, machine readable format:

or en

Amendment 277
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 36 – paragraph 1 – point e

\textit{Text proposed by the Commission}

(e) the names of donors and their corresponding donations reported by European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with Article 23(2), (3) and (4), \textit{with the exception of donations from natural persons the value of which does not exceed EUR 1500 per year and per donor, which shall be reported as 'minor}

\textit{Amendment}

(e) the names of donors and their corresponding donations reported by European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with Article 23(2), (3) and (4);
Donations. Donations from natural persons the annual value of which exceeds EUR 1500 and is below or equal to EUR 3000 shall not be published without the corresponding donor's prior written consent to their publication. If no such prior consent has been given, such donations shall be reported as 'minor donations'. The total amount of minor donations and the number of donors per calendar year shall also be published;

Amendment 278
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 36 – paragraph 1 – point f

Text proposed by the Commission

(f) the contributions referred to in Article 23(9) and (10) and reported by European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with Article 23(2), including the identity of the member parties or organisations which made those contributions;

Amendment

(f) the contributions referred to in Article 23(9) and (10) and reported by European political parties and European political foundations in accordance with Article 23(2), including the identity of the members or member organisations which made those contributions;

Amendment 279
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 36 – paragraph 1 – point g – point i (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

i) the ancillary own resources referred to in Article 23(13) and reported by European political parties and European political foundations in
accordance with Article 23(2), including the identity of the person or entity which made those payments

Or. en

_Justification_

This amendment is required by pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text.

Amendment 280
Rainer Wieland
Proposal for a regulation
Article 36 – paragraph 1 – point g – point ii (new)

_Text proposed by the Commission_

3. The Authority, the European Parliament and the committee of independent eminent persons referred to in Article 14 shall ensure that personal data collected by them pursuant to this Regulation are not used for any purpose

_Amendment_

3. The Authority, the European Parliament and the committee of independent eminent persons referred to in Article 14 shall ensure that personal data collected by them pursuant to this Regulation are not used for any purpose

Or. en

_Justification_

This amendment is required for pressing reasons relating to the internal logic of the text.
other than to ensure the legality, regularity and transparency of the funding of European political parties and European political foundations and the membership of European political parties. They shall erase all personal data collected for that purpose at the latest 24 months after the publication of the relevant parts in accordance with Article 36.

Or. en

Justification

This amendment is technical in nature and aims to ensure consistency between the continuous obligation of transparency of Article 36 and data retention periods provided herein.

Amendment 282
Gabriele Bischoff, Giuliano Pisapia, Domènec Ruiz Devesa

Proposal for a regulation
Article 37 – paragraph 8

Text proposed by the Commission

8. European political parties and European political foundations, the Member States and the independent bodies or experts authorised to audit accounts under this Regulation shall be liable in accordance with applicable national law for any damage they cause in the processing of personal data pursuant to this Regulation. The Member States shall ensure that effective, proportionate and dissuasive sanctions are applied for infringements of this Regulation, of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 and of the national provisions adopted pursuant thereto, and in particular for the fraudulent use of personal data.

Amendment

8. European political parties and European political foundations, the Member States and the independent bodies or experts authorised to audit accounts under this Regulation shall be liable in accordance with applicable national law for any damage they cause in the processing of personal data pursuant to this Regulation. The Member States shall, without prejudice to Regulation (EU) 2016/679, ensure that effective, proportionate and dissuasive sanctions are applied for infringements of this Regulation.

Or. en

Amendment 283
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Article 42 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

The European Parliament shall, after consulting the Authority, publish by [one year after the elections to the European Parliament] a report on the application of this Regulation and on the activities funded. The report shall indicate, where appropriate, possible amendments to be made to the statute and funding systems.

Amendment

The European Parliament shall, after consulting the Authority, adopt by [one year after the elections to the European Parliament] a report on the application of this Regulation and on the activities funded. The report shall indicate, where appropriate, possible amendments to be made to the statute and funding systems.

Or. en

Amendment 284
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Article 42 – paragraph 2

Text proposed by the Commission

No more than one year after the publication of the report by the European Parliament, the Commission shall present a report on the application of this Regulation accompanied, if appropriate, by a proposal to amend this Regulation. The Commission’s report shall pay particular attention to the implications of this Regulation for the position of small European political parties and European political foundations. However, the Commission’s report shall not cover the evaluation of the requirements for political advertising set out in this Regulation, which shall be part of the report referred to in Article 19 of Regulation 2022/xx [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising].

Amendment

No more than one year after the publication of the report by the European Parliament, the Commission shall present a report on the application of this Regulation. The Commission’s report shall pay particular attention to the implications of this Regulation for the position of small European political parties and European political foundations.

Or. hu
Amendment 285  
László Trócsányi  
Proposal for a regulation  
Article 44 – paragraph 1  

Text proposed by the Commission

(1) By way of derogation from Article 5(4), until [five years after the entry into force of this Regulation], the report on the implementation of the policy for the use of political advertising shall cover the political advertisements published by the European political party from [the date of entry into force of this Regulation]. The first report shall be prepared by [one year after the entry into force of this Regulation].

Amendment 286  
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield  
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group  
Proposal for a regulation  
Article 44 – paragraph 2 a (new)  

Text proposed by the Commission

2a. Article 6a, with the exception of the conditions laid down in its paragraph 1, shall enter into force two years after the entry into force of this Regulation.

Amendment 287  
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield  
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group  
Proposal for a regulation
Article 44 – paragraph 2 b (new)

Amendment

Text proposed by the Commission

2b. Articles 21(3a) and 21(6a) shall not apply for applications for funding for the first 3 financial years following the entry into force of this Regulation.

Or. en

Amendment 288
Rainer Wieland

Proposal for a regulation
Article 45 – paragraph 1

Amendment

Text proposed by the Commission

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 is repealed.

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 is repealed. Any procedural steps and decisions previously taken by an Institution, the Authorising Officer of the European Parliament or the Authority in accordance with, or on the basis of, Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014 shall remain applicable and be construed in light of this Regulation.

Or. en

Justification

This amendment is technical in nature and aims to ensure that the recast technique does not result in inadvertent invalidity of procedural steps that had been based on the current Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 1141/2014.

Amendment 289
Antonio Maria Rinaldi, Gilles Lebreton, Jaak Madison

Proposal for a regulation
Annex I

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment
Standard declaration to be filled in by each applicant

The undersigned, who is fully mandated by [name of the European political party or European political foundation], hereby certifies that:

[name of the European political party or European political foundation] and its members having their seat inside the European Union are committed to comply with the conditions for registration laid down in Article 3(1), points (d) and (e), or Article 3(2), points (c) and (d), of [this Regulation], i.e. to observe, in particular in its programme and in its activities, the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 of the Treaty on European Union, 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.

[Name of the European political party or European political foundation] is also committed to ensure that the same applies to its member parties or member organisations having their seat in the Union and that its member parties or member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values.

Authorised signatory:

[...]
Amendment 290  
László Trócsányi  
Proposal for a regulation  
Annex I – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 1  

Text proposed by the Commission

[name of the European political party or European political foundation] and its members having their seat inside the European Union are committed to comply with the conditions for registration laid down in Article 3(1), points (d) and (e), or Article 3(2), points (c) and (d), of [this Regulation], i.e. to observe, in particular in its programme and in its activities, the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 of the Treaty on European Union, 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.

Amendment

[name of the European political party or European political foundation] is committed to comply with the conditions for registration laid down in Article 3(1), point (d), or Article 3(2), point (c), of [this Regulation], i.e. to observe, in particular in its programme and in its activities, the values on which the Union is founded, as expressed in Article 2 of the Treaty on European Union, 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.

Or. hu

Amendment 291  
László Trócsányi  
Proposal for a regulation  
Annex I – paragraph 1 – subparagraph 2  

Text proposed by the Commission

[Name of the European political party or European political foundation] is also committed to ensure that the same applies to its member parties or member organisations having their seat in the Union and that its member parties or member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values.

Amendment

deleted

[Name of the European political party or European political foundation] is also committed to ensure that the same applies to its member parties or member organisations having their seat in the Union and that its member parties or member organisations having their seat outside the Union observe equivalent values.

Or. hu
Amendment 292
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

(1)  deleted

– links to the advertisement as published or where necessary, examples of other audio or visual advertising campaign materials;

– provisional statement of the amounts spent or allocated by the European political party for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of the political advertisement as well as the actual amounts once known;

– the source of the funds being used for the specific advertisement campaign including for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of a political advertisement.

– in case targeting techniques are used, meaningful information on the techniques used, including the points provided under Annex II to Regulation 2022/xx [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising].

(2)

– annually aggregated information on its use of targeted political advertising;

– a list of the specific campaigns with which political advertising was used;

– the amounts yearly spent on political advertising during the last 5 years;

– the distribution channels used;

– a link to the information made available in the repository for disclosure by European political parties.

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Amendment 293
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

(1) – links to the advertisement as published or where necessary, examples of other audio or visual advertising campaign materials;

– provisional statement of the amounts spent or allocated by the European political party for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of the political advertisement as well as the actual amounts once known;

– the source of the funds being used for the specific advertisement campaign including for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of a political advertisement.

– in case targeting techniques are used, meaningful information on the techniques used, including the points provided under Annex II to Regulation 2022/xx [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising].

Or. hu

Amendment 294
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1 – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission  Amendment

– links to the advertisement as published or where necessary, examples deleted
of other audio or visual advertising campaign materials;

Amendment 295
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1 – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

– provisional statement of the amounts spent or allocated by the European political party for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of the political advertisement as well as the actual amounts once known;

Or. hu

Amendment 296
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1 – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

– provisional statement of the amounts spent or allocated by the European political party for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of the political advertisement as well as the actual amounts once known;

– provisional statement of the amounts spent or allocated by the European political party for the placement, publication and dissemination of the political advertisement as well as the actual amounts once known;

Or. en

Amendment 297
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1 – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

– the source of the funds being used for the specific advertisement campaign including for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of a political advertisement.

Amendment

deleted

Or. en

Amendment 298
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1 – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

– the source of the funds being used for the specific advertisement campaign including for the preparation, placement, publication and dissemination of a political advertisement.

Amendment

deleted

Or. hu

Amendment 299
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1 – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission

– in case targeting techniques are used, meaningful information on the techniques used, including the points provided under Annex II to Regulation 2022/xx

Amendment

deleted
targeting of political advertising].

Amendment 300
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 1 – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission

– in case targeting techniques are used, meaningful information on the techniques used, including the points provided under Annex II to Regulation 2022/xx [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising].

Amendment

– in case targeting techniques are used, meaningful information on the techniques used, including the points provided under Annex II to Regulation 2022/xx [on the transparency and targeting of political advertising]. This is without prejudice to the information and documentation obligations pursuant to Regulation (EU) 2016/679.

Amendment 301
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 2

Text proposed by the Commission

(2) – annually aggregated information on its use of targeted political advertising;
– a list of the specific campaigns with which political advertising was used;
– the amounts yearly spent on political advertising during the last 5 years;
– the distribution channels used;
– a link to the information made available in the repository for disclosure by European political parties.

Amendment

deleted
Amendment 302
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 2 – indent 1

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

– annually aggregated information on its use of targeted political advertising; deleted

Or. hu

Amendment 303
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 2 – indent 2

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

– a list of the specific campaigns with which political advertising was used; deleted

Or. hu

Amendment 304
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 2 – indent 3

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

– the amounts yearly spent on political advertising during the last 5 years; deleted

Or. hu
Amendment 305
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 2 – indent 4

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
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  the distribution channels used; deleted

Or. hu

Amendment 306
László Trócsányi

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 2 – indent 5

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
-
  a link to the information made deleted
  available in the repository for disclosure
  by European political parties.

Or. hu

Amendment 307
Gwendoline Delbos-Corfield
on behalf of the Greens/EFA Group

Proposal for a regulation
Annex II – Part 2 – indent 5 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment
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  in case targeting techniques are used, any information required pursuant to Regulation (EU) 2016/679.

Or. en