

Preliminary remark

Considering that this year's Congress due to approve EGP's annual accounts does not take place in Spring but in Winter, FAB has decided to present a combined annual report of the years 2023 and 2024.

Activities

In 2023, FAB was meeting on January 17th 2023 for a discussion about EGP's donor policy. Other meetings took place on 11th and 18th April 2023 regarding annual accounts, at EGP Congress in Vienna on June 3rd 2023 about the campaign budget and on 19th September 2023 regarding regular and campaign budgets.

FAB was also present at EGP Congresses in June (Vienna) and December 2023 (online) to inter alia monitor election procedures.

In 2024, FAB held the following meetings:

10th January 2024 on ongoing budget 2023, 2nd February 2024 at Lyon Congress on regular and campaign budgets 2024 and on Internal financial rules, 11th March 2024 on Internal financial rules and Compliance, 18th April 2024 on audit 2023 and ongoing budgets 2024, 9th July 2024 on ongoing budgets 2024, the EGP salary grid and the draft budget 2025 and on 12th September on the draft 2025 budget.

Compliance

As it is compulsory for the FAB to report about compliance according to Article 7.1 of the EGP Statutes, the Finance Advisory Board confirms, based on the information we have, that the European Green Party has acted in accordance with its statutes and rule book.

Accounts

The FAB did not perform any physical checks regarding the 2023 accounts.

The FAB took notice of the audited Balance sheet and Profit & Loss statement of the EGP for the year ended December 31st, 2023, and of the reporting of the 2023 incomes and expenses (Budget actual 2023) which were presented by and discussed with the treasurer.

Findings

Based on the documents presented and the explanations obtained, the FAB has no objection regarding the 2023 accounts.



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Recommendation to the Congress

- The Finance Advisory Board recommends to the Congress to formally approve the 2023 annual accounts.
- The Finance Advisory Board also recommends to the Congress to approve the 2025 budget.

Thanks

We thank the treasurer Ute Michel, the Director of Finance Anna Yeliseyeva and the staff for the valuable work, input and feedback over the past two years, this in an increasingly complexifying administrative framework.

FAB is especially thankful to Ute Michel for her good work and effective collaboration throughout her two terms as EGP's treasurer.

November 6th, 2024

Finance Advisory Board

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