

STATUTES OF MÁS MADRID

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TITLE I: NAME, SCOPE AND REGISTERED OFFICE

Article 1. – Name

1.1 Under Article 6 of the Spanish Constitution and Organic Law 6/2002 of 27 June on Political Parties, the political party named MÁS MADRID is hereby constituted. It shall be governed by the aforementioned Organic Law, by these Statutes and by any regulations implementing them, which shall be published for general information on the website www.masmadrid.org.

1.2 The acronym of MÁS MADRID is MAS MADRID. Its symbol consists of the letter “M” with a superimposed accent mark and the words “Más Madrid” in light green (HEX #4CCC8D) on a white background (HEX #FFFFFF).

1.3 The use of the name and visual identity of Más Madrid is restricted to the participation spaces validated by the Regional Board (*Mesa Regional*). Accordingly, the Regional Board shall approve, on a proposal from the Organisation Portfolio, the multiple names to be used by the Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district) and the Sectoral Assemblies.

Article 2. – Scope and aims

Más Madrid is constituted as a political party intended to act at state, regional and municipal level, within the territory of Madrid. Its main mission is to promote a participatory democracy that enables citizens to influence political decisions and contribute to the development of collective proposals. It also seeks to facilitate access to representative institutions by promoting and supporting candidacies in the various electoral processes. Within this framework, Más Madrid pursues the following fundamental aims:

- a) To guarantee effective mechanisms that foster the active involvement of society in the design and implementation of public policies.
- b) To work for the defence and universal application of Human Rights, ensuring their integration into social, political and institutional dynamics.
- c) To work for the defence and improvement of nature and the environment of the Community of Madrid, and in the fight against climate change.

Article 3. – Registered office, website and email address

3.1 The registered office is located in Madrid, postcode 28005, Paseo de las Acacias, number 52, unit F.

3.2 The party's website is www.masmadrid.org.

3.3 The email address of Más Madrid is info@masmadrid.org.

3.4 The registered office may be changed by agreement of the Coordinating Team, without following the procedure for amending the Statutes. Likewise, the website and the contact email address may be changed by agreement of the Coordinating Team without following the procedure for amending the Statutes. Such changes shall be notified to the Register of Political Parties of the Ministry of the Interior.

TITLE II: PRINCIPLES

Article 4. – Definition

Más Madrid defines itself as a political party made up of people committed to political change. Our ideological frame of reference lies within the parameters of political ecology, feminism and social justice.

Article 5. – Mission

The mission of Más Madrid is to improve the lives of all people and to defend rights, the public sphere and the commons. We want to transform society so that it is fairer, greener, secular and more equal, with a gender perspective and acceptance of diversity. We address the social majority in order to create a transformative movement, generating an inclusive and inspiring space for citizens. Our objective is to be a political tool for change for the families of Madrid, responding to people's needs and promoting real transformation.

Article 6. – Lines of work

6.1 To have a solid presence in the institutions, representing citizens, with the aim of becoming the hegemonic force and governing the commons to improve people's lives.

6.2 To be present in society, serving as a vehicle for citizen participation and building community.

6.3 To structure the party throughout the territory of the Community of Madrid.

6.4 To make the Community of Madrid an international benchmark for citizens' quality of life and for their active and direct participation.

Article 7. – Organisational principles

The organisational principles of Más Madrid are transparency, democracy, participation and respect for diversity, seeking other ways of doing politics. We are committed to an

organisational model that is effective, efficient, innovative, democratic, flexible, transparent, participatory, that feminises politics and respects diversity and internal plurality.

Article 8. – Values

8.1 Más Madrid understands the public sphere as a service to people and to society. This requires all members of the organisation, starting with public office holders, to adopt an exemplary attitude based on rigorous, honest and committed work, as well as a high individual and collective capacity for self-criticism. They must also actively participate in transparency mechanisms, providing clear information on their responsibilities, salary and positions held.

8.2 An attitude of openness to society that prevents us from falling into isolation and allows us to take on other positions with tolerance and respect. This disposition drives us to develop empathy, putting ourselves in the other person's place, and to foster solidarity, especially with those who suffer the greatest injustices of the social and economic model in which we live.

8.3 We also defend an anti-dogmatic, secular and open mindset that drives us to face problems and realities with creativity, addressing disagreements with calm, kindness and a positive and constructive attitude.

8.4 We are an open and flexible organisation, capable of adapting to changing realities through continuous analysis. It is the organisation that starts from these realities, without expecting them to adapt to its previous decisions, in order to develop its values. We therefore focus on integrating and growing organisationally.

8.5 We are also a transparent and participatory organisation in which differentiated roles operate with accountability processes and participation is encouraged, allowing each person to contribute their best.

8.6 We understand that the ultimate purpose of politics is the care of life. This is why we place the reconciliation of work and personal life, and care — for people, animals and the planet — at the centre of our action, from a universal, ecologist and feminist perspective.

8.7 Furthermore, we believe in a democratic and participatory society that goes beyond the representative model, in which citizens do not merely vote but participate directly and on a daily basis in decision-making.

8.8 Más Madrid is also an organisation with a municipalist vocation, willing to relate to and coordinate with other progressive organisations in other territories, as well as at national and international level, with full independence.

8.9 We are committed to a European project that integrates citizens politically and socially, that is democratic in all its institutions, pacifist, sustainable and open, that protects citizens and respects diversity.

8.10 We are therefore committed to diversity, guaranteeing universal accessibility and inclusive design for all people. In addition, the active participation of people with care

responsibilities shall be facilitated, promoting work–family balance at events, activities and meetings through the provision of care spaces and options for remote participation.

8.11 All bodies of Más Madrid must reflect plurality and proportionality, without preventing those bodies from exercising their functions.

8.12 Más Madrid is a political party committed to the environment, the defence of the planet and animal welfare, understanding these as essential aims for the general interest of humanity and its survival. To this end, we undertake to establish and promote just and effective transition policies, and to implement protection measures for all animal diversity on the planet, condemning torture in any of its forms.

8.13 We are also committed to Democratic Memory as a fundamental tool for weaving bonds of affection and mutual commitment, and for making our region a place of collective meaning linked to the values and experiences that shape Madrid's identity as a region of solidarity, welcome, tolerance and diversity. Rooted in respect for Human Rights, we defend public policies that uphold the right of victims to truth, justice and reparation, and the right of citizens to the transmission of Memory, incorporating feminism into its construction in order to honour the women and groups made invisible who came before us.

Article 9. – Commitment

In Más Madrid we are committed to building community and contributing not only to institutional and party politics but, above all, to being an active part of a social transformation that has an impact on the daily life of our neighbourhoods, towns and cities.

Article 10. – Openness

Más Madrid aims to be an open and permeable organisation that permanently opens its proposals to citizen participation and to civil society in its various activities.

TITLE III: PARTICIPATION IN MÁS MADRID

Article 11. – Types of participation

11.1 Participation in Más Madrid may be as:

- a) Member (*militante*)
- b) Supporter (*simpatizante*)

11.2 Participation by persons aged 16 and 17 shall be permitted. In accordance with the legal system in force, mechanisms shall be enabled for their involvement in Más Madrid's decision-making processes.

Article 12. – Register of members and supporters

The register of members and supporters shall take the form of an electronic file, complying in all cases with the regulations in force on the protection of personal data.

CHAPTER I: MEMBERSHIP

Article 13. – Membership

All natural persons of legal age whose legal capacity is not restricted may become members.

Article 14. – Admission

All persons who register in the section provided for that purpose and who participate under the terms established in the corresponding regulation may be admitted as members.

Article 15. – Rights

Members shall have the following rights:

- a) To receive information on the composition of the governing and administrative bodies, on the decisions adopted by the governing bodies, on the activities carried out and on the financial situation.
- b) To take part in all debates that are established, and to attend the Regional Congress, in accordance with the Statutes.
- c) To exercise the right to an anonymous vote in the Assembly to which they belong, and in the Regional Congress under the terms set out in these Statutes.
- d) To take part in consultations that are called, whether binding or not, provided that they affect Más Madrid as a whole or the member's area of participation.
- e) To take part in the activities of the party and in its governing and representative bodies, voting and standing for election in the processes for electing internal bodies.
- f) To vote and stand in the processes for drawing up the electoral lists in which Más Madrid takes part.
- g) To challenge decisions of party bodies which they consider contrary to the Law or to the Statutes, under the terms established therein.
- h) To contribute voluntarily to the financing of Más Madrid.
- i) To have recourse to the Control and Guarantees Bodies in defence of these or any other rights they hold as members.

Article 16. – Duties

Members shall have the following duties:

- a) To share the aims of the party and collaborate in achieving them.
- b) To respect and comply with the legislation in force, the party's Code of Ethics, these Statutes and any amendments thereto, as well as the implementing regulations or other internal rules approved by the party.
- c) To abide by the decisions adopted by the party's bodies, respecting their representative authority, the Regional Congress being the highest representative body, followed by the Regional Board, then the District-Group (*Comarca*) Assemblies and the Madrid City Coordinating Committee, and finally the Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district).
- d) To take part in the activities of the party and/or in the Assemblies under the terms established.

Article 17. – Loss of membership

The following shall be grounds for loss of membership:

- a) Death or declaration of incapacity.
- b) An express request by the member.
- c) Being sanctioned with expulsion from Más Madrid by the competent body following the mandatory disciplinary procedure.

Article 18. – Dual membership

18.1 As a general rule, dual membership of other political parties at municipal, regional or state level is prohibited. The Regional Board shall have the power to conclude agreements with sister political forces to establish the degree of participation of their members in Más Madrid.

18.2 Such agreements shall be set out in a document that must be approved by the membership, provided that they concern collective alliances and never individual cases.

18.3 Any employment relationship or relationship of a similar nature dependent on other political parties or political groupings at municipal, regional or state level is likewise prohibited.

CHAPTER II: SUPPORTERS

Article 19. – Supporters

Supporters shall be all persons who, sharing the principles, values and objectives of Más Madrid, wish to participate occasionally or regularly through any of the channels of participation established in the corresponding regulation.

Article 20. – Admission

All persons who register in the section provided for that purpose and participate under the terms established shall be admitted as supporters.

Article 21. – Rights

Supporters shall have the following rights:

- a) To receive the information that the bodies determine to be accessible to supporters and, in any case, that which is necessary to carry out their functions.
- b) To take part in all debates established by the party's bodies.
- c) To vote and stand in the processes for drawing up the electoral lists in which Más Madrid takes part, in assemblies whose population covers more than 500,000 inhabitants or in assemblies in which more than 50 people participate.
- d) To take part in consultations that are called, provided that they are not binding or do not affect these Statutes, their implementing regulations or the decisions of the party's bodies.
- e) To have recourse to the Control and Guarantees Bodies in defence of these or any other rights they hold as supporters.

Article 22. – Duties

Supporters shall have the following duties:

- a) To respect and comply with the legislation in force, the party's Code of Ethics, these Statutes and any amendments thereto, as well as the implementing regulations or other internal rules approved by the party.
- b) To abide by the decisions adopted by the party's bodies.

Article 23. – Loss of supporter status

The following shall be grounds for loss of supporter status:

- a) Death or declaration of incapacity.
- b) An express request by the supporter.
- c) Being sanctioned with expulsion from Más Madrid by the competent body following the mandatory disciplinary procedure.

CHAPTER III: SPECIAL RELATIONSHIPS

Article 24. – Public office holders

24.1 Public office holders shall be those persons who have been elected or appointed and who represent Más Madrid in public institutions.

24.2 The provisions of the preceding paragraph shall apply both to persons elected in direct democratic elections and to those appointed indirectly to represent Más Madrid in any institution, company or public body.

24.3 They have the same rights and obligations as members, set out in Articles 15 and 16, in addition to the following specific obligations:

- a) To be at the disposal of the organisation as a whole for the fulfilment of the political tasks established by the governing bodies, respecting in all cases their level of responsibility.
- b) To be at the disposal of the governing bodies to give account of their work.
- c) To contribute to the financial support of the organisation by complying with the Financial Charter and any similar provisions that may be approved.
- d) To take part regularly in the activities of their Territorial Assembly (municipal or district). In the case of regional MPs, in the activities of the Territorial Assemblies (municipal and/or district) assigned to them, as indicated in Article 24.5.

24.4 Directly elected local office holders shall be entitled to be ex officio members of the Local Coordinating Committees and the Local Boards in those Local Assemblies where these are constituted.

24.5 Regional MPs shall be assigned a reference territory, acting as a link between the local and regional levels.

Article 25. – Party leaders

25.1 Party leaders shall be the members of the Regional Board, the Coordinating Team, the Regional and Municipal Co-Spokespersons, the Sectoral Liaisons and the Municipal Coordinating Committees.

25.2 They have the same rights and obligations as members, set out in Articles 15 and 16, in addition to the following specific obligations:

- a) To be at the disposal of the organisation as a whole for the fulfilment of the political tasks established by the governing bodies, respecting in all cases their level of responsibility.
- b) To be at the disposal of the governing bodies to give account of their work.
- c) To attend the meetings to which they are convened, except for duly justified reasons.

- d) To abide by and loyally defend the agreements adopted within those meetings, regardless of their personal positions.

Article 26. – Más Madrid staff

26.1 Staff of the organisation shall be those persons who have an employment relationship with the organisation or its institutional groups, or who perform positions of trust or special advisory functions for them by virtue of appointment or designation.

26.2 They have the same rights and obligations as members, set out in Articles 15 and 16, provided that they held that status prior to taking up the post or freely decide to become members. In addition, they have the following specific obligations:

- a) To be at the disposal of the organisation as a whole for the fulfilment of the political tasks established by the governing bodies, respecting in all cases their level of responsibility.
- b) To contribute to the financial support of the organisation by complying with the Financial Charter and any similar provisions that may be approved, where applicable.
- c) To respect and comply with the legislation in force, the party's Code of Ethics, these Statutes and any amendments thereto, as well as the implementing regulations or other internal rules approved by the party.

Article 27. – Other forms of participation

27.1 Persons who do not participate in Más Madrid in any capacity and who wish to participate from an independent standpoint, contributing their knowledge and experience, may do so without signing any agreement, respecting and complying with the legislation in force, the party's Code of Ethics, these Statutes and any amendments thereto, as well as the implementing regulations or other internal rules approved by the party.

27.2 Such participation may take the form of any arrangement previously approved on an individual basis by the Coordinating Team by absolute majority.

CHAPTER IV: COLLABORATION WITH ORGANISATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND/OR GROUPS

Article 28. – Collaborating entities

Más Madrid, in any of its spheres, may establish collaboration agreements with other political organisations, associations, foundations, and cultural, professional, recreational and/or activist entities or groups. Also with cooperatives, research centres, technical organisations and opinion clubs or similar bodies working within social movements, the citizens' movement, the world of culture, theoretical and ideological research, and with various universities, provided that neither their statutes or founding rules nor their aims contradict the principles of Más Madrid.

Article 29. – Protocol

Any link between Más Madrid and other organisations requires the signing of a regulatory protocol between the parties. The relationship of Más Madrid with other political forces shall be determined by the agreements signed with the political parties with which agreements are reached.

Article 30. – Scope

Agreements at municipal level shall be negotiated at that level and shall require ratification by the Regional Board.

TITLE IV: ORGANISATION OF MÁZ MADRID

CHAPTER I: GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 31. – General rules for the election of office holders

31.1 Unless otherwise established in these Statutes, the following criteria shall apply to the election of office holders:

- a) The vote shall be free and secret.
- b) Candidacies shall be presented by means of open lists, ranked by preference.
- c) Lists must follow the criterion of alternating gender parity (“zipper” lists), except where the chosen arrangement favours a woman.
- d) The electoral system shall be the Dowdall system.
- e) A threshold of 10% of votes cast is established for each candidate.
- f) The selection of candidates shall follow the criterion of parity (“zipper”), except where the chosen arrangement favours a woman.
- g) Governing bodies shall not have more than 50% of members who are elected public office holders. In the case of the Municipal Coordinating Committees, governing bodies shall not have more than 50% of members who are directly elected public office holders.

31.2 The secret ballot recognised in point a) of the preceding paragraph is mandatory for the election of party bodies.

Article 32. – Scope

The Assemblies shall directly elect, within their sphere of action, the bodies that compose them.

Article 33. – Limit on positions

33.1 No person may hold more than two positions within the organisation, provided that they belong to the same territorial sphere. Exceptions are made where one of them is a prerequisite for the second.

33.2 No person may hold more than two public offices, except where one of them is a prerequisite for the second.

Article 34. – Renewal of office holders

34.1 A general limitation is established whereby no person may hold the same public office for more than 8 years.

The period shall be counted from the taking of office or the publication of the appointment, as appropriate, and may only be suspended in the cases provided for in Articles 48 and 48 bis of the Workers' Statute, where those rights have been exercised during the term of office or appointment. Amendment of these Statutes shall not restart this count.

34.2 The term may be extended by a further 4 years, subject to the following conditions:

- a) The extension must be approved by simple majority by the Regional Board and by the corresponding Territorial Assembly (municipal or district). If these two bodies do not reach agreement, the decision of the Regional Board shall prevail.
- b) Members of the Regional Board affected by the extension shall be excluded from the debate and the vote.
- c) In the case of indirectly elected public office holders, the extension shall require the approval of the corresponding territorial leadership.
- d) A performance report on the person whose office is to be renewed shall be requested.

34.3 If during the 4-year extension the person joins the government, they may apply for a further extension of 4 additional years, provided that the office is held in the same territorial sphere.

Article 35. – Planning

Calls for ordinary meetings of the various bodies of Más Madrid must be planned in advance.

Article 36. – Notices of meeting

36.1 Notices of meetings of Más Madrid bodies must include: date, start time, end time and agenda, including the items proposed and those that have been excluded.

36.2 Notices of meeting must be made public to members and/or supporters.

36.3 Urgent decisions may be taken in the various bodies by electronic means, provided that they are due to unforeseen situations external to Más Madrid and that sufficient time is guaranteed for the participation of the entire body.

Article 37. – Minutes book

37.1 Each body shall keep a minutes book, which shall be available to the party Secretariat whenever it so requires. It shall also be available to any member of the Regional Board, unless the content of the minutes affects confidentiality and the right to the protection of personal data.

37.2 The minutes must record, as a minimum: the date, time, format of the meeting (in person, online, hybrid), attendees and agreements reached.

Article 38. – Voting method

38.1 Unless a different criterion is established in these Statutes, all bodies of Más Madrid shall proceed by seeking consensus.

38.2 If consensus is not reached, a vote may be held, which shall require a three-quarters majority of those present.

38.3 If that majority is not reached, a second vote may be held, in which a simple majority shall suffice.

38.4 The bodies of Más Madrid may only vote on decisions within their competences and sphere of action.

Article 39. – Implementing regulations

Regulations implementing the provisions of these Statutes may be approved, provided that they respect in all cases the minimum standards established herein.

Article 40. – Regulatory power

Regulations deriving from these Statutes must:

- a) Be approved by the Regional Board, on a proposal from the Coordinating Team.
- b) Be opened to a process of contributions from members and/or supporters.
- c) Be submitted to consultation, unless they have been approved by the Regional Board in a first vote by a three-quarters (75%) majority, whenever this is requested during the prior contributions process by:
 - d) At least 25% of all Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district), or
 - ii) At least 15% of the members within its scope.

CHAPTER II: REGIONAL CONGRESS

Article 41. – Regional Congress

The Regional Congress (*Congreso Autonómico*) is the highest governing body of Más Madrid and is composed of all members.

Article 42. – Competences

The exclusive competences of the Regional Congress are:

- a) The election of the party's bodies.
- b) The debate and vote on the management report of the leadership bodies. The management report shall be made available to the membership at least 48 hours before the vote.
- c) The debate and vote on the strategic political proposals for the following period.
- d) The debate and, where appropriate, revision of the organisational structure by means of amendments to the Statutes and, in all cases, changes of name.
- e) The constitution and registration of federations, confederations or unions with other parties, under the terms provided for in Title XII of these Statutes.
- f) The dissolution of the party under the terms provided for in Title XII of these Statutes.

Article 43. – Timing of convocation

43.1 The Regional Congress shall be convened every 4 years, always at least 4 months apart from regional, local or state elections. That is, the election of internal bodies may not coincide with the selection of candidates for public office, whatever the level of election.

43.2 The Regional Congress must be convened at least 60 working days before it is held.

Article 44. – Types of convocation

The Regional Congress may be convened on an ordinary or extraordinary basis.

Article 45. – Ordinary convocation

The ordinary Regional Congress shall be convened by the Regional Board.

Article 46. – Extraordinary convocation

46.1 The Regional Board may convene an extraordinary Regional Congress by absolute majority.

46.2 The Regional Board must convene an extraordinary Regional Congress at the request of:

- a) At least 25% of all Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district), or
- b) At least 15% of the members.

Article 47. – Agenda

The notice of convocation must include a proposed agenda. Within the 20 calendar days following the convocation, new items may be added to the agenda on a proposal from:

- a) 10% of all Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district).
- b) 5% of the members.
- c) One third of the members of the Regional Board.

Article 48. – Deliberations and decisions

48.1 Sessions of the Regional Congress shall follow the agenda set out in the convocation.

48.2 Decisions adopted by the Regional Congress shall be binding on the organisation as a whole.

Article 49. – Technical Committee and organisation of debates

49.1 Debates must be organised by a specific Technical Committee for each Regional Congress, whose functions shall be:

- a) To guarantee the participation of members.
- b) To guarantee the participation of the Assemblies.
- c) To ensure the electronic voting system.

49.2 The Technical Committee shall be created in the same act approving the official convocation of the Regional Congress and shall consist of the following members:

- a) One person appointed by the Coordinating Team.
- b) One person appointed by the Regional Board.
- c) One person appointed by the Más Madrid communications team.
- d) One person appointed by the legal operational team.
- e) Two persons appointed by the Organisation Portfolio.
- f) Two persons elected by the Municipal Assemblies and the District Assemblies of the city of Madrid.
- g) Two persons elected by the Sectoral Assemblies.
- h) The person who holds the presidency of the Guarantees Committee, or the Committee member to whom they delegate.

49.3 The Guarantees Committee shall have ultimate oversight of all aspects relating to voting.

Article 50. – Competences of the Technical Committee

50.1 The Technical Committee shall be responsible for organising the deliberations for each Regional Congress.

50.2 In all cases, debates must be structured around position papers (*ponencias*).

50.3 Any proposal to amend the Statutes must comply with all the provisions of Article 209.

50.4 It shall also communicate the results of the primaries.

Article 51. – Object of election

Candidacies standing for election to the party's governing bodies must submit, for debate by members and supporters, their proposals:

- a) For the political programme and strategies to be developed during the following ordinary period;
- b) And for the corresponding organisational model.

Article 52. – Submission of candidacies

52.1 Candidacies may submit lists for the Regional Board and, separately, lists for the election of Co-Spokespersons.

52.2 Candidacies for Co-Spokesperson may be submitted jointly or separately.

52.3 Candidacies for the Regional Board shall be submitted as lists ranked by preference, with a maximum of 30 and a minimum of 16 candidates.

52.4 The list submitted must be a “zipper” list, unless it favours women; otherwise the candidacy shall be invalidated.

52.5 Candidacies shall include at least 40% of candidates from municipalities other than the city of Madrid. The exact minimum number shall be rounded to the nearest 40%, up or down. In the event of a tie, the higher number shall be taken.

52.6 Candidacies for Co-Spokesperson and for the Regional Board may be linked by name.

52.7 A period for correcting candidacies must be established.

Article 53. – Election of Co-Spokespersons

53.1 Three Co-Spokespersons shall be elected.

53.2 The election method shall be majoritarian, each voter having three votes.

53.3 The threshold is set at 10% of the votes.

53.4 The election of Co-Spokespersons shall follow the criterion of parity, except where the chosen arrangement favours a woman.

Article 54. – Election of the Regional Board

54.1 The Regional Board shall be composed of the persons elected by the membership meeting in the Regional Congress, the three Co-Spokespersons, the district-group (*comarca*) representatives and one representative of Jóvenes Más Madrid (Más Madrid Youth) with the right to speak but not to vote. It is the highest leadership body of the party.

54.2 The election shall be based on a preferential selection of candidates, electing up to 30 candidates, which shall be the maximum number of members of the body elected by direct primaries, excluding the Co-Spokespersons and the district-group representatives.

54.3 The voting system shall be a Dowdall system. Each candidate shall be assigned a score according to their position on the ballot.

54.4 A simple way (“one-click” selection) of selecting the lists submitted as a whole, in the order established when they were submitted, shall be enabled, in order to encourage debate around organisational models reflecting the political and strategic orientations represented by each team.

54.5 The threshold is set at 10% of the votes, regardless of how many points that vote implies.

54.6 Gender-balanced representation shall be guaranteed, with at least half of the members being women.

54.7 Public office holders may not make up more than 50% of the members of the Regional Board.

54.8 The exercise of the right to vote shall be guaranteed, avoiding any form of exclusion arising from the digital divide.

Article 55. – Organisation of the Regional Board

55.1 Within the first 30 calendar days following the election of the body, the Regional Board shall define its internal areas of work, on a proposal from the Coordinating Team.

55.2 The proposal must set out the structure, the functions of each area and the persons who will hold each responsibility, chosen from among the members of the Regional Board, with the possibility of incorporating persons from outside the Board, provided that they are party members.

Article 56. – Rejection of the management report

56.1 If the management report of the Regional Board is rejected by 60% or more of the members of Más Madrid meeting in the Regional Congress, the Coordinating Team shall automatically be dismissed.

56.2 A new Coordinating Team must be elected within a maximum of two months of the vote.

CHAPTER III: REGIONAL BOARD

Article 57. – Competences

The Regional Board (*Mesa Regional*), in collaboration with the territorial bodies of Más Madrid, shall have the following competences:

- a) The debate and approval of the composition and structure of the Coordinating Team, and any changes thereto.
- b) The ratification of those decisions of the Co-Spokespersons that could not be adopted by consensus.
- c) The approval of the extension of the term limit for public office holders by up to four additional years, in accordance with Article 34.
- d) The definition of the body's own internal areas of work within the first 30 calendar days following its election, on a proposal from the Coordinating Team.
- e) The debate and approval of the political action plans, strategic lines and public positions of Más Madrid in the different areas of work, which must comply with the strategic guidelines approved by the Regional Congress.
- f) Setting the strategy for alliances with social and political organisations.
- g) Setting the strategy for alliances with political organisations of an electoral nature, including the assessment and acceptance or rejection of proposals submitted by the Territorial Assemblies (municipal or district), prior to the consultation of the membership established in Article 150.3.
- h) The approval of organic regulations affecting the whole organisation or more than one municipal or sectoral sphere.
- i) The approval of the regulations of the Sectoral Assemblies and the oversight of their communication tools.
- j) The approval of the youth organisation's own resources and of its collaboration agreements with other associations.
- k) The validation of the use of the name and visual identity of Más Madrid, ensuring that it is limited to the participation spaces validated by the body itself.
- l) The recognition of Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district) and the constitution of Sectoral Assemblies.
- m) Convening Regional Congresses and Political Conferences.

- n) Calling region-wide consultations.
 - o) Concluding agreements with sister political forces to regulate the degree of participation of their members in Más Madrid.
 - p) Ratifying collaboration agreements with organisations, associations and/or groups at municipal level negotiated at that level.
 - q) Approving the readmission of members and supporters.
 - r) Proposing the constitution and registration of federations, confederations or unions with other parties, under the terms provided for in Title XII of these Statutes.
 - s) Determining the number of top positions to be allocated in each electoral process and deciding on the selection model.
 - t) Coordinating the Guarantees Committee's oversight of all matters relating to voting.
 - u) The debate and approval of the annual budgets.
 - v) The approval of the annual consolidated accounts.
 - w) Establishing a single common Financial Charter, the Single Regional Charter, for the project as a whole, setting the contributions of public office holders and, where applicable, staff.
 - x) Financing measures that may affect Más Madrid as a whole.
 - y) The initiative to propose amendments to the Statutes, in accordance with Title XII.
 - z) The initiative to propose the dissolution of the party, under the terms of Title XII.
- aa) Preparing the management report of the outgoing bodies for debate and vote at the Regional Congress.

Article 58. – Type of convocation

Meetings of the Regional Board may be ordinary or extraordinary. Members of the Regional Board must attend the meetings to which they are convened, except for duly justified reasons.

Article 59. – Ordinary convocation

An ordinary meeting of the Regional Board shall be convened at least once a month. The calendar of ordinary meetings must be set by the Coordinating Team at least three months in advance.

Article 60. – Extraordinary convocation

60.1 The Regional Board may be convened on an extraordinary basis at the request of:

- a) One third of its members.

- b) The Coordinating Team.
- c) The Co-Spokespersons, by consensus.

60.2 The notice, including the agenda, shall be sent at least 48 hours in advance, except in the case of urgent matters, in which case this period may be reduced.

Article 61. – Agenda

61.1 The agenda of meetings is drawn up by the Coordinating Team and must be sent to all members of the Regional Board at least 48 hours in advance.

61.2 Where it is planned to include on the agenda any matter involving a public position of Más Madrid, a summary document framing the debate shall be sent to the members of the Board so that it can be studied by attendees sufficiently in advance. If, owing to the length or complexity of the matter, it cannot be dealt with at that meeting, the Coordinating Team may propose moving it to the next meeting or convening an extraordinary meeting.

61.3 Any member of the Regional Board and the leadership of the Municipal Assemblies may add items to the agenda. To do so, they must send the proposed item to the Coordinating Team through the Organisation Portfolio, which shall inform them when the item can be discussed.

Article 62. – Deliberation

62.1 The quorum of the Regional Board shall be half plus one of the members who make up the body at the time of the meeting. If quorum is not reached, the meeting may not be held.

62.2 No decisions shall be taken at Regional Board meetings on matters not included on the agenda.

62.3 The agenda of ordinary meetings may include an “any other business” item in which other matters may be discussed, but which may not be put to a vote or give rise to executive decisions.

62.4 Regional Board meetings shall be chaired by the holder of the party Secretariat.

62.5 The holder of the party Secretariat shall draw up minutes of the agreements reached within a maximum of 72 hours after the meeting.

62.6 Attendees may submit comments on the minutes until the next meeting, at which they shall be definitively approved.

62.7 In order to facilitate the participation of Regional Board members with care responsibilities or other personal circumstances, measures shall be adopted to promote work-life balance, including, among others, holding meetings by electronic means.

62.8 In the excusable absence of the holder of the party Secretariat, an acting secretary may be appointed by a majority of the body at the beginning of the meeting, who shall exercise those functions for that meeting.

Article 63. – Decision-making

63.1 Decisions shall be endorsed by a vote of the Regional Board, following a debate aimed at reaching agreement by consensus.

63.2 If consensus is not reached, a vote may be held. A three-quarters (75%) majority of those present shall be required in the first vote and, in a second vote following further debate, a simple majority.

63.3 The minutes must record the support for the measure and the stage at which it was approved.

63.4 In the event of a vote, any attendee may issue a dissenting opinion, which must be recorded in the minutes; the attendee shall have five working days to send the content of the opinion to the persons chairing the meeting.

CHAPTER IV: CO-SPOKESPERSONS

Article 64. – Composition

64.1 Three Co-Spokespersons shall be elected; under no circumstances may this responsibility fall to a single person.

64.2 The Co-Spokespersons shall be elected from among eligible persons by direct suffrage of those entitled to vote in the corresponding sphere.

Article 65. – Competences

The Co-Spokespersons shall have the following competences:

- a) To represent Más Madrid before all kinds of public or private bodies.
- b) To convene the first meeting of the Regional Board within a maximum of 30 calendar days of the body's election.
- c) To submit, at the first meeting of the Regional Board, a proposal for the composition of the Coordinating Team, which must include:
 - d) The structure of the body.
 - ii) The functions of each portfolio and/or area.
 - iii) The persons appointed to each portfolio and/or area.
 - iv) Identification of all responsibilities of the Regional Board.
- v) The Coordinating Team shall consist, as a minimum, of the three Co-Spokespersons, the Feminisms Portfolio and the Organisation Portfolio, which shall act as Secretariat of the Coordinating Team.

- vi) To drive and coordinate the work of the Coordinating Team, convene its meetings and set their agenda. They may also convene extraordinary meetings of the Regional Board.
- e) To submit changes to the Coordinating Team to the Regional Board.
- f) To choose the legal representation of Más Madrid by consensus, which may be:
 - g) Established jointly or severally between two of the three Co-Spokespersons.
 - ii) Delegated to a single Co-Spokesperson.
 - iii) If consensus is not reached, the decision shall be taken by the Regional Board by absolute majority at its next meeting.

Article 66. – Functioning

As a general rule, the Co-Spokespersons shall act by consensus. If consensus is not reached, the decision with the greatest support must be ratified by an absolute majority of the Regional Board.

Article 67. – Removal

The persons holding the office of Co-Spokesperson may cease to hold office due to:

- a) Voluntary resignation communicated in writing to the Regional Board.
- b) Death or incompatibility with the performance of the office.
- c) Judicial decision.
- d) Failure to fulfil the obligations entrusted to them.
- e) The success of a recall or censure consultation against the Regional Board.

CHAPTER V: COORDINATING TEAM

Article 68. – Competences

The Coordinating Team (*Equipo Coordinador*) shall have the following competences:

- a) To coordinate the functioning of the Regional Board: convening ordinary meetings, drawing up agendas and chairing all meetings.
- b) To prepare and send a summary document when a matter involving a public position of Más Madrid is planned for inclusion on the Regional Board's agenda.
- c) To implement the decisions taken by the Regional Board.
- d) To prepare accountability reports for the Regional Board.
- e) To manage the party's ordinary business not assigned to another body.

- f) To order, as a precautionary measure, the automatic suspension of membership or supporter status where oral trial proceedings are opened in criminal proceedings.
- g) To assess and decide on the readmission of members and supporters, after gathering the reports it deems necessary.
- h) To propose two members to the Regional Board to sit on the Ethics and Statutes Committee.
- i) To call ordinary binding consultations.
- j) To set up, structure and supervise the operational groups.
- k) To propose the creation of Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district) to the Regional Board.
- l) To coordinate with the Territorial (municipal and district) and Sectoral Assemblies.
- m) To accompany and energise the participation and decision-making spaces of the Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district), together with the District-Group Assemblies.
- n) To approve the other forms of participation in Más Madrid.
- o) To propose to the Regional Board the holder of the Economic Portfolio.
- p) To manage relations with the media.
- q) To draw up proposals for organic regulations affecting the whole organisation or more than one municipal or sectoral sphere.
- r) To amend technical aspects, or aspects required by law, without the need to amend the Statutes.
- s) To propose the spokesperson of the Parliamentary Group.
- t) To establish, prior to each session of the Assembly of Madrid, the general political lines of work of the Más Madrid Parliamentary Group for that session.
- u) To supervise the activity of the various public office holders and the parliamentary groups, or similar groupings, of which they are part.
- v) To appoint the party's Legal Director.
- w) To ratify or, where appropriate, modify the annual operating budget of the Parliamentary Group, on a proposal from the Parliamentary Group's leadership.
- x) To agree on activities that may generate financial revenue for the Sectoral Assemblies and set the percentage of the revenue transferred to their budget allocation, in collaboration with the Economic Portfolio.

- y) To coordinate joint activities between Más Madrid and the parliamentary groups, or similar groupings, in which there are Más Madrid public office holders.
- z) To monitor the agreements adopted that must be implemented by the parliamentary groups, or similar groupings, in which there are Más Madrid public office holders.
- aa) To establish and maintain relations with other parliamentary groups, provided that their sphere is not lower.
- bb) To approve the annual Evaluation Report of the Parliamentary Group.
- cc) To draw up and implement the party's general budget.
- dd) To ratify or modify the annual budgets of the Parliamentary Group.
- ee) To manage the organisation's Human Resources.
- ff) To exercise any competences expressly delegated to it by the Regional Board.

Article 69. – Parity

The leadership and participation bodies of Más Madrid — the Coordinating Team, Co-Spokespersons, Regional Board, Local Boards, Guarantees Committee and any others created under these Statutes — must have at least gender-balanced representation, guaranteeing that half of their members are women.

Article 70. – Changes

70.1 The Co-Spokespersons may propose changes to the Coordinating Team to the Regional Board, which must be approved by a simple majority of the Regional Board.

70.2 Any change to the Coordinating Team must be supported by a complete proposal in accordance with Article 65(c).

70.3 Proposals for changes to the Coordinating Team should preferably be submitted with the consensus of the Co-Spokespersons. Otherwise:

- a) The support of a majority of the Co-Spokespersons shall be required for submission to the Regional Board.
- b) The Co-Spokesperson who disagrees shall have all the time necessary during the debate to set out their reasons.
- c) The proposal must be approved by an absolute majority of the Regional Board.

Article 71. – Type of convocation

Meetings of the Coordinating Team may be ordinary or extraordinary.

Article 72. – Ordinary convocation

An ordinary meeting of the Coordinating Team shall be convened at least once a week, and the calendar of ordinary meetings must be set by the Co-Spokespersons at least one month in advance.

Article 73. – Extraordinary convocation

73.1 The Coordinating Team may be convened on an extraordinary basis at the request of:

- a) One third of its members.
- b) The Co-Spokespersons, by consensus.

73.2 The notice, including the agenda, shall be sent at least 24 hours in advance; this period may be reduced to deal with urgent matters.

Article 74. – Agenda

74.1 The agenda of meetings is drawn up by the party Secretariat and must be sent to all members of the Coordinating Team at least 24 hours in advance.

74.2 Any member of the Coordinating Team may add items to the agenda. To do so, they must send the proposed item to the Organisation Portfolio at least 24 hours before the meeting.

Article 75. – Deliberation

75.1 The quorum of the Coordinating Team shall be half plus one of the members who make up the body at the time of the meeting.

75.2 No decisions shall be taken at Coordinating Team meetings on matters not included on the agenda.

75.3 The agenda of ordinary meetings may include an “any other business” item in which other matters may be discussed, but which may not be put to a vote or give rise to executive decisions.

75.4 Coordinating Team meetings shall be chaired by one of its members designated at the start of the meeting.

75.5 The persons chairing the meeting shall draw up minutes of the agreements reached within a maximum of 48 hours after the meeting.

75.6 Attendees may submit comments on the minutes until the next meeting, at which they shall be definitively approved.

75.7 To facilitate the participation of members of the Coordinating Team with care responsibilities or other personal circumstances, measures promoting work–life balance shall be encouraged, including, among others, the use of electronic means.

75.8 The body’s deliberations shall be confidential.

Article 76. – Decision-making

76.1 Decisions shall be endorsed by a vote of the Coordinating Team, following a debate aimed at consensus.

76.2 If consensus is not reached, a vote may be held. A three-quarters (75%) majority of those present shall be required in the first vote and, in a second vote following further debate, a simple majority.

76.3 The minutes must record the support for the measure and the stage at which it was approved.

76.4 Decisions taken by the Coordinating Team shall be collegial and must therefore be abided by and defended with institutional loyalty, regardless of personal positions.

CHAPTER VI: PORTFOLIOS

Article 77. – Feminisms Portfolio

77.1 The Coordinating Team must include a Feminisms Portfolio responsible for driving the party's feminist policies and for feminising the organisation itself and the forms of political participation.

77.2 The Feminisms Portfolio shall have the following competences:

- a) To lead the Equality Commission.
- b) To approve the Más Madrid Equality Plan.
- c) To monitor the Más Madrid Equality Plan.
- d) To produce an annual diagnostic report on gender equality in Más Madrid.

77.3 Más Madrid shall have an Equality Plan and a Protocol against sexual harassment, in accordance with Article 7 of Organic Law 6/2002 of 27 June on Political Parties.

77.4 The Feminisms Portfolio may not be subordinate to any other portfolio, thus guaranteeing its functional and political independence.

Article 78. – Organisation Portfolio

78.1 There shall be an Organisation Portfolio responsible for the development, coordination and strengthening of the territorial and sectoral assemblies of Más Madrid, the coordination of and support for municipal public office holders, and the functioning and coordination of the bodies of Más Madrid, as well as compliance with internal, participatory and statutory processes. It shall also be responsible for communication with the organisation's members and supporters, providing the necessary tools to facilitate internal communication.

78.2 This portfolio shall assume the functions of the party's General Secretariat, including custody of the minutes books of the Regional Board and the Coordinating Team.

Article 79. – Political Analysis and Programme Portfolio

There shall be a Political Analysis and Programme Portfolio responsible for the training strategy, the conduct of internal debates, programme drafting, monitoring of the electoral programme and the talent bank. The Political Analysis and Programme Portfolio may consult and take into account the sectoral groups on matters within its competence.

Article 80. – Economic Portfolio

80.1 There shall be an Economic Portfolio, appointed on a proposal from the Coordinating Team, governed by the terms set out in Title VII of these Statutes.

80.2 The Economic Portfolio shall hold economic and financial responsibility in accordance with the powers, obligations and limitations imposed by Organic Law 3/2015 of 30 March on the control of the economic and financial activity of Political Parties, specifically Article 14 bis thereof, in order to guarantee the party's absolute financial transparency. Under that law, it shall be accountable for the accounting regularity of the activity reflected in the annual accounts and other legal obligations before the Court of Audit (*Tribunal de Cuentas*), the Madrid Audit Chamber, the Assembly of Madrid, the Tax Agencies, the General Treasury of Social Security, or any other competent supervisory body.

Article 81. – Institutional Relations Portfolio

There shall be an Institutional Relations Portfolio responsible for consolidating and expanding links with key civil society actors and other political forces, at local, regional, national and international level. Its priority objectives shall be to promote spaces for exchange that enrich, strengthen and give visibility to the work carried out within the orbit of Más Madrid. It shall also focus on the party's institutional agenda, with a view to positioning it within the progressive agenda at all levels.

CHAPTER VII: OPERATIONAL TEAMS

Article 82. – Purpose

The operational teams are instrumental groups responsible for preparing and drafting technical proposals for the Coordinating Team and for implementing the decisions adopted by that body.

Article 83. – Competences

The operational teams may specialise in the following functional areas:

- a) Finance
- b) Legal
- c) Human Resources
- d) Logistics
- e) IT
- f) Communications

- g) Strategy and research
- h) Organisation
- i) Training
- j) Onboarding
- k) Care
- l) Environment
- m) Animal welfare

Article 84. – Structure and functioning

84.1 The structuring of the operational teams is the responsibility of the Coordinating Team.

84.2 The operational teams shall be governed by a regulation defining their functioning.

Article 85. – Requirements

The composition of the operational teams must meet the following requirements:

- a) Open, transparent and competitive selection processes, including job descriptions, technical requirements and an assessment scale based on academic and professional background and political trust.
- b) Dissemination of job offers within the organisation, with due publicity and transparency.
- c) Use of blind CVs.
- d) Guaranteed gender balance: operational teams shall include at least 50% women.

Article 86. – Temporary operational groups

In addition to the permanent operational groups, there may be temporary operational groups linked to specific events or projects, which shall be dissolved once those projects are completed.

CHAPTER VIII: POLITICAL CONFERENCE

Article 87. – Purpose

The Political Conference shall be convened annually as a Regional Congress, with only the functions established in Articles 42(b) and 42(c) — the bodies concerned not being outgoing bodies. A Political Conference may not be convened unless one year has elapsed since the last Regional Congress, the regional elections or the last Political Conference. Nor may it be held during the same political year in which ordinary regional elections take place.

Article 88. – Convocation

88.1 The Regional Board may convene a Political Conference by a decision adopted by simple majority.

88.2 The Regional Board must convene an extraordinary Political Conference if so requested by:

- a) At least 25% of all Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district), or
- b) At least 10% of the members.

Article 89. – Supplementary rules

For all matters not provided for in this chapter, the provisions relating to the Regional Congress shall apply on a supplementary basis.

TITLE V: TERRITORIAL AND SECTORAL ORGANISATION

CHAPTER I: COMMON PROVISIONS

Article 90. – Assemblies

The basic organisational units of Más Madrid are the Assemblies, which may be:

- a) Territorial
- b) Sectoral

Article 91. – Organisational autonomy

91.1 The Assemblies shall have organisational autonomy provided that they comply with the requirements established in these Statutes and their implementing regulations.

91.2 The assemblies shall be governed by an organisational regulation, which shall respect these Statutes, and shall in all cases enjoy operational autonomy.

91.3 For all matters not provided for in that regulation, these Statutes and their implementing regulations shall apply.

Article 92. – Relationship between members and Assemblies

92.1 Every member must be associated with a single Territorial Assembly (municipal or district), in which they shall exercise their right to vote.

92.2 Every member may join as many Sectoral Assemblies as they wish, but may exercise their right to vote in the internal processes of only one Sectoral Assembly.

92.3 A person who changes Assembly may not vote until they have belonged to the new assembly for two months. In that case, they may vote in the Assembly in which they were previously registered.

CHAPTER II: TERRITORIAL ORGANISATION

Article 93. – Territorial Assembly

93.1 The Territorial Assembly is the highest body of the territorial organisation and shall be made up of the members and supporters of Más Madrid, meeting in accordance with these Statutes and their implementing regulations.

93.2 The Territorial Assemblies shall form part of the corresponding District-Group (*Comarcal*) Assemblies.

93.3 The Territorial Assembly shall be open to all citizens, who shall have the right to speak but not to vote.

93.4 Members of Más Madrid shall have the right to vote.

93.5 The Territorial Assembly may have working groups which may under no circumstances set political positions on matters of regional scope.

Article 94. – Limits

94.1 There may only be one Territorial Assembly per municipality or district.

94.2 Territorial Assemblies in districts must conform to officially recognised administrative boundaries.

Article 95. – Competences

The Territorial Assemblies shall have the following competences:

- a) To gather and channel citizens' demands that are consistent with the principles, values and objectives of Más Madrid.
- b) To structure the political participation of members and/or supporters in Más Madrid.
- c) To extend the activity of Más Madrid within their sphere.
- d) To develop the policy defined by the Más Madrid project within their territory.
- e) To select candidates for public office within their sphere on the basis of the processes approved in these Statutes and their implementing regulations.
- f) To set the guidelines for the political action of the municipal groups and public office holders within their territory.

- g) To hold public office holders within the Territorial Assembly's sphere to account for their management and political orientations.
- h) To hold local leaders and district-group representatives to account.
- i) To operate in accordance with these Statutes.
- j) To elect the leaders within their sphere on the basis of the processes approved in these Statutes and their implementing regulations.
- k) To elect the district-group representatives, at least 50% of whom shall be women.
- l) To request the creation of a Joint Assembly within their sphere.
- m) To approve proposals addressed to other Assemblies, to the District-Group Assemblies or to the Regional Board, on an advisory basis.
- n) To design and develop their own territorial extension strategies.
- o) To design, develop and coordinate communication strategies, especially for their own networks.
- p) To engage with the social and political environment, organised or neighbourhood-based, within their sphere.
- q) To manage the resources allocated to the Territorial Assembly.
- r) To comply with all the requirements established for the use of the resources provided by Más Madrid.
- s) To submit proposals to amend the Statutes once a Regional Congress has been convened.

Article 96. – Recognition

The Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district) must be recognised by the Regional Board, on the basis of the process approved by it, on a proposal from the Coordinating Team. In all cases:

- a) Members and/or supporters in a territory without an assembly may request its creation.
- b) The Organisation Portfolio shall submit to the Coordinating Team the proposal to start the process.
- c) Once the start has been approved, a promoting group shall be chosen from among the members and/or supporters participating in the territory, whose main function shall be to organise the founding process.
- d) A minimum of 30 active persons shall be required to constitute a Municipal Board by the ordinary procedure.

- e) During the first months, the District-Group Assembly and the Coordinating Team shall share the following competences:
- f) Accompanying the application of these Statutes and their implementing regulations in the specific territory.
- ii) Energising the provisional participation and decision-making spaces.
- f) Following the assessment of the Organisation Portfolio, the Coordinating Team shall inform the Regional Board of its proposal to approve or reject the Territorial Assembly. A proposal to reject must be reasoned; the failure of the promoting group to establish minimum functioning of the assembly shall be grounds for rejection.
- g) The final decision on the constitution of the Territorial Assembly shall rest with the Regional Board.

Article 97. – Operating document

97.1 The Territorial Assemblies may adopt their own operating documents, which may under no circumstances contradict these Statutes or the organisational regulation of the Territorial Assemblies. This document may regulate anything not otherwise regulated.

97.2 The election and removal of indirectly elected representatives shall be the competence of the respective municipal groups. However, the organisational document of the Territorial Assembly may also grant this power to the District Assemblies.

Article 98. – Organisational models

98.1 The Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district) are organised on the basis of the models set out in these Statutes.

98.2 In municipalities with more than 30 active members, the Assembly shall elect two Co-Spokespersons and may also elect a Municipal Board, which shall be the municipal-level equivalent of the Regional Board. The assembly may in turn elect a Municipal Coordinating Committee. This Committee shall have between 5 and 9 members and its functions shall be solely technical and coordinating.

98.3 In municipalities with fewer than 30 active members, the Assembly shall elect two Co-Spokespersons and may also elect a Municipal Coordinating Committee. This Committee shall have between 5 and 9 members and its functions shall be solely technical and coordinating.

98.4 Elections under the different organisational models shall be governed by the following rules:

- a) Consensus shall be sought and, failing that, a vote held.
- b) The vote shall be free and secret, except in assemblies with only two Co-Spokespersons, where voting may be by show of hands.
- c) Co-Spokespersons and Municipal Boards shall be elected by open lists.

- d) Lists shall be submitted according to the “zipper” parity criterion, except where the chosen arrangement favours a woman.

98.5 The persons with the highest number of votes shall be elected.

98.6 Governing bodies shall not have more than 50% of members who are public office holders. In the case of the Municipal Coordinating Committees, governing bodies shall not have more than 50% of members who are directly elected public office holders.

Article 99. – Sources of resources

99.1 The sources of resources of the Territorial Assembly shall be those approved by the Economic Portfolio of Más Madrid, the allocated resources being at the discretion of the Territorial Assembly itself.

99.2 Specific contributions may be required from public office holders within the relevant sphere, provided that they do not exceed the provisions of Article 140.

Article 100. – Electoral alliances

Policies on electoral alliances with third parties may be set by the Territorial Assembly within its sphere, provided that they comply with the guidelines established by the Coordinating Team. Every Territorial Assembly has the right to propose electoral alliances, which shall be accepted or rejected by the Regional Board.

Section One: District and Joint Assemblies

Article 101. – District Assemblies

101.1 In larger municipalities or those with a higher level of participation, District Assemblies may be established as an organisational form.

101.2 Division into District Assemblies must be requested, with reasons, by the corresponding Municipal Assembly.

101.3 The district organisation must be ratified by a regulation established for the change.

101.4 The Regional Board must vote on the agreement at the meeting immediately following the registration of the request, provided that at least 7 calendar days have elapsed. Otherwise, it shall be decided at the following meeting.

101.5 For the purposes of these Statutes, where a percentage of Territorial Assemblies is required, only Municipal Assemblies shall be counted, unless expressly stated otherwise. In the case of municipalities divided into District Assemblies, a municipal decision shall be the one adopted by the majority of its District Assemblies, unless its regulation establishes another criterion.

Article 102. – City of Madrid

102.1 The city of Madrid is constituted as a Territorial Assembly composed of 21 District Assemblies.

102.2 The city of Madrid shall have a common leadership acting on behalf of all the District Assemblies.

102.3 The Assembly of the city of Madrid shall have the right to determine by regulation the composition and election of its bodies and those of its District Assemblies, as well as its organisation.

Article 103. – Joint Assemblies

103.1 In smaller municipalities, members and/or supporters from several municipalities may come together to form a Joint Territorial Assembly (*Asamblea Mancomunada*).

103.2 Joint Assemblies shall be subject to the same rules as Municipal Territorial Assemblies.

103.3 The following are mandatory in order to create a Joint Territorial Assembly:

- a) A request from all participating municipal Assemblies or promoting groups in existence.
- b) Approval by the Regional Board.
- c) Approval by consultation by a majority of the members in the areas concerned.

103.4 For the purposes of these Statutes, where a percentage of Territorial Assemblies is required, each Joint Assembly shall count as a single municipality.

Section Two: District-Group (*Comarca*) Assemblies

*Article 104. – District groups (*Comarcas*)*

104.1 There shall be one District-Group Assembly for each Area Electoral Board (*Junta Electoral de Zona*), governed by its corresponding regulation.

104.2 Municipal Assemblies that agree by majority to belong to a different district group must notify the Organisation Portfolio, which shall forward the request to the Regional Board for approval or rejection.

104.3 The city of Madrid shall not form part of any district group and its organisation shall be as determined in Article 102.

Article 105. – Competences

The District-Group Assemblies shall have the following competences:

- a) Creating district-group extension groups.
- b) Gathering and channelling citizens' demands consistent with the principles, values and objectives of Más Madrid within their sphere of action.
- c) Extending the activity of Más Madrid within their sphere and coordinating joint actions of the Territorial Assemblies of the district group.

- d) Developing the policy defined by the Más Madrid project within their territory.
- e) Designing and developing their own district-group extension strategies.
- f) Engaging with the social and political environment within their sphere.

Article 106. – Composition and convocation

106.1 Each District-Group Assembly shall consist of:

- a) The Co-Spokespersons of its constituent Territorial Assemblies.
- b) One representative of the Organisation Portfolio.
- c) One representative of the Regional Board.
- d) The regional MPs assigned to the municipalities that make it up, there being in any case one per district group.
- e) One public/elected office holder from the Territorial Assemblies of the district group.

106.2 District-Group Assemblies shall meet at least every two months.

Article 107. – District-group representative

107.1 Each District-Group Assembly shall elect one of its members as representative to sit on the Regional Board.

107.2 The term of office of district-group representatives on the Regional Board shall be 12 months.

107.3 The position of representative may not be held consecutively by members and/or supporters from the same municipality.

Article 108. – Extension groups

The district-group extension groups shall be responsible for promoting the creation of new Territorial Assemblies in the municipalities that make up their district group.

Section Three: Intervention in Territorial, District or District-Group Assemblies

Article 109. – Intervention in assemblies

109.1 The autonomy of Territorial Assemblies (municipal and/or district) or District-Group Assemblies shall be suspended, and they shall be placed under intervention, in the following cases:

- a) Removal or resignation of 75% of the Assembly's governing bodies.
- b) Adoption by the Assembly or its bodies of decisions contrary to the Code of Ethics, the Statutes or their implementing documents.

Article 110. – Intervention procedure

The body competent to initiate and decide on the intervention procedure shall be the Ethics and Statutes Committee, at the request of the Regional Board in the case of Municipal and District-Group Assemblies, and at the request of the Local Coordinating Committee in the case of District Assemblies. When the competent body becomes aware by any means of any of the cases set out in the preceding article, it shall agree to initiate the intervention procedure for the Assembly concerned. The same initiating decision shall appoint an impartial investigator, not related by affinity or consanguinity to any member of the governing bodies or assemblies concerned, who, after hearing all persons they deem necessary and gathering the relevant evidence, shall submit a report to the competent body so that it may decide on the intervention. The investigator must submit the report to the competent body within a maximum of 10 working days of the initiating decision. The competent body shall decide on the intervention within 5 days of notification of the investigator's report.

Article 111. – Decision on intervention

Where intervention is decided, the competent body's decision shall in all cases include the appointment of an Interim Management Committee. The decision may include the removal of indirectly elected representatives and the consequent appointment of new holders by the Assembly and, where appropriate, the decision to open the corresponding disciplinary procedure.

Article 112. – Interim Management Committee

The Interim Management Committee shall consist of 5 members who are not related by affinity or consanguinity to any member of the governing bodies or Assemblies concerned. The limited functions of the Interim Management Committee shall be restricted to:

- a) The ordinary management of the Assembly; management of the Assembly's databases, social media and communications; convening and chairing the meetings of the Assembly.
- b) Submitting weekly reports to the body competent to decide.

Article 113. – End of intervention

Intervention in an Assembly shall last a maximum of 30 working days. Within that period the competent body may decide to conclude the work of the Interim Management Committee in the light of the report it submits. The decision to end the intervention shall include the prior convening of an electoral process to appoint the new governing body.

CHAPTER III: SECTORAL ORGANISATION

Article 114. – Sectoral Assembly

114.1 The Sectoral Assemblies are made up of the members and supporters of Más Madrid who share their political activism and actions in a thematic sector of social and/or political relevance.

114.2 The Sectoral Assembly shall be open to all citizens, who shall have the right to speak but under no circumstances the right to vote.

114.3 Being a member of a Sectoral Assembly entails actively working within it. Active status shall be determined in accordance with the participation regulation.

114.4 Its scope shall be regional.

Article 115. – Competences

The competences of the Sectoral Assemblies are:

- a) To structure the political participation of members and/or supporters in Más Madrid within their sphere.
- b) To structure the participation of Más Madrid in the social movements of the sector.
- c) To submit proposals for action to the Regional Board for debate and approval, which must include the resources necessary for their implementation.
- d) To carry out such actions as are agreed for the political action of Más Madrid as a whole within their own sphere or sector.
- e) To contribute to the political position of the organisation on their respective subjects, their role in drafting electoral programmes being especially important.
- f) To take root and act throughout the regional territory.
- g) To operate in accordance with these Statutes.

Article 116. – Recognition

116.1 Sectoral Assemblies must be recognised in accordance with the regulation drawn up for that purpose.

116.2 To be recognised, Sectoral Assemblies must meet the following requirements:

- a) Have at least 10 active members and/or supporters.
- b) Meet at least every two months.
- c) Produce an activity planning document every six months.
- d) Produce an activity report every six months.

116.3 Sectoral Assemblies are constituted by the Regional Board at the request of:

- a) At least 10 members submitting a reasoned request, including:
 - b) The composition of a promoting group of 5 members.
 - ii) Detailed information on their sphere of action.
 - iii) The initial objectives of the Sectoral Assembly.
- b) The Regional Board itself.

Article 117. – Operating document

117.1 The Sectoral Assemblies may adopt their own operating documents, which may under no circumstances contradict these Statutes or the organisational regulation of the Sectoral Assemblies. This document may regulate anything not otherwise regulated.

117.2 This document may under no circumstances claim the right to establish the political positions of Más Madrid, which correspond to the representative bodies of the entire membership.

117.3 The regulation of each Sectoral Assembly, and any amendments thereto, shall be approved by the Regional Board, which may return it with proposed amendments when it deems appropriate.

Article 118. – Evaluation

118.1 The Sectoral Assemblies must carry out an annual evaluation by means of a six-monthly activity report, which shall be sent to the Coordinating Team to assess their continuity as a body of Más Madrid.

118.2 The Regional Board shall assess the report with reasons and propose either the continuation of the activity carried out or the modification of some element.

118.3 If serious deficiencies or breaches by the Assembly are detected, the Regional Board shall communicate the aspects to be corrected at the first evaluation. If they are not remedied by a second evaluation, the Sectoral Assembly may be converted into a working group, suspended or dissolved.

Article 119. – Internal organisation

119.1 The Sectoral Assembly shall follow the regulation on Sectoral Assemblies to elect sectoral liaisons, who shall act as spokespersons for the sectoral assembly before Más Madrid and its bodies. Two liaisons shall be elected in accordance with the parity criterion.

119.2 A coordinating group without executive competences may also be elected, whose existence must be expressly provided for in its operating document.

Article 120. – Sources of resources

120.1 The resources of the Sectoral Assemblies come from the budgets of Más Madrid.

120.2 The Sectoral Assemblies shall require authorisation from the Coordinating Team to carry out activities generating financial revenue. That body, in coordination with the Economic Portfolio, shall determine the percentage of the revenue to be incorporated into the Sectoral Assembly's budget.

Article 121. – Communication

121.1 The Assembly may have its own communication tools.

121.2 Any tools created shall be controlled by the Regional Board, which may delegate their management to the persons responsible for communication at regional level.

Article 122. – Youth organisation

122.1 Jóvenes Más Madrid (Más Madrid Youth) is the youth organisation integrated within Más Madrid.

122.2 Jóvenes Más Madrid shall have its own resources included in the general budget of Más Madrid, approved annually by the Regional Board.

122.3 Every person participating in Jóvenes Más Madrid shall also be a member or supporter of Más Madrid, provided that they are of legal age and their legal capacity is not restricted, and shall be linked to a Territorial (municipal or district) or Sectoral Assembly for all purposes.

122.4 Más Madrid shall promote the participation of Jóvenes Más Madrid in its social spaces.

122.5 Jóvenes Más Madrid shall have one member, with the right to speak but not to vote, on the Regional Board of Más Madrid.

122.6 Jóvenes Más Madrid shall promote the active participation of its members in the actions and participation spaces of Más Madrid.

122.7 Más Madrid shall promote the participation of the Co-Spokespersons of Jóvenes Más Madrid in the actions and participation spaces of Más Madrid.

122.8 Jóvenes Más Madrid may conclude collaboration agreements with youth associations that do not contravene the political line of Más Madrid, subject to the approval of the Regional Board of Más Madrid.

122.9 Day-to-day organisational coordination between Jóvenes Más Madrid and Más Madrid shall be carried out through the Organisation Portfolio.

122.10 Jóvenes Más Madrid may decide on its internal organisational form consistently with the political and ideological line of Más Madrid, its Statutes and Code of Ethics, remaining for all purposes subject to the internal rules and bodies of Más Madrid.

Sole Section: Intersectoral Coordination Board

Article 123. – Intersectoral Coordination Board

123.1 The sectoral coordination body shall be the Intersectoral Coordination Board.

123.2 It shall be composed of two representatives of each Sectoral Assembly, guaranteeing the presence of at least one woman per sectoral assembly.

123.3 Its functions are to provide programmatic advice to the bodies of Más Madrid. Its proposals shall not be binding.

TITLE VI: PRIMARY PROCESSES

Article 124. – Right to vote

124.1 All members and/or supporters of Más Madrid with the length of affiliation set for each process, which may not be less than two months prior to the calling of the process, may vote. Supporters may only vote in the processes for drawing up the electoral lists in which Más Madrid takes part in assemblies covering more than 500,000 inhabitants or in assemblies in which more than 50 people participate.

124.2 All members and/or supporters of Más Madrid with the length of affiliation set for each process, which may not be less than two months prior to the calling of the process, may stand for election. Supporters may only stand in the processes for drawing up the electoral lists in which Más Madrid takes part in assemblies covering more than 500,000 inhabitants or in assemblies in which more than 50 people participate.

Article 125. – Obligations of candidates

Persons eligible to be included on a Más Madrid list must commit to the Code of Ethics, the Financial Charter and all rules applicable to public office holders under these Statutes and their implementing regulations.

Article 126. – Notice period

Primaries must be announced sufficiently in advance and at least 45 calendar days before the date on which they are held.

Article 127. – Procedure

127.1 Primary elections must begin with the approval of a regulation implementing, for each process, the rules set out here.

127.2 At the time of convocation, a Primaries Committee shall be constituted, with the same composition and functions as the Technical Committee of the Regional Congress. The specific regulation for each process shall be drawn up by the Technical Committee and supervised by the Guarantees Committee, in collaboration with the Regional Board.

Article 128. – Electoral criteria

128.1 The selection of regional electoral lists shall follow these criteria:

- a) Candidacies shall be submitted by means of open lists ranked by preference.
- b) Lists shall be submitted according to the “zipper” parity criterion, except when the first two places are occupied by women.
- c) The electoral system, both for regional primaries and for the city of Madrid, shall be the modified Dowdall system.

This method consists of increasing the score obtained under the conventional Dowdall system for the candidates selected for the final electoral list. The value of this increase shall be the median of the scores obtained on the final list, as assigned by the traditional Dowdall sum, weighted by the relative weight obtained by the head of list of each candidate’s slate. That relative weight shall be calculated on the basis of the scores obtained by each head of list. The “final electoral list” corresponds to those candidates who have obtained a place within the number of places to be allocated in each primary process as specified in Article 124.

[Formula as in the original:] $D_i = \sum (1/n_j \cdot v_j) + (V_k / V_T) \cdot \text{median}(M_i)$, where:

- D_i : corrected Dowdall weighting for each candidate i.
 - n: total number of candidates.
 - n_j : position on the list given by the voter.
 - v_j : number of votes in position n_j for candidate i.
 - V_k : score obtained by the head of list of the slate to which candidate i belongs.
 - V_T : sum of the scores of all heads of list of the slates.
 - $\text{median}(M_i)$: median of the conventional Dowdall result on the final list.
 - M_i : traditional Dowdall sum, i.e. $M_i = \sum (1/n_j \cdot v_j)$.
- d) Más Madrid’s candidacies must faithfully reflect the society of Madrid, guaranteeing the representation of its diversity in terms of class, gender, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, ethnic origin, functional diversity and any other characteristic defining the plurality of citizens.
 - e) The list must guarantee adequate representation of social reality; to that end, it shall include people over 50, young people under 30, LGTBIQ+ people, migrant and/or racialised people, and people with functional diversity, in each block of 30.
 - f) At least 33% of the people on the list must be from outside the city of Madrid, at a rate of 4 in every block of 12.
 - g) The selection of candidates shall follow the “zipper” parity criterion, except for the first two places, which may be occupied by two women.
 - h) The electoral roll shall be closed two months before the calling of elections.

Article 129. – Selection of top positions

It shall be for the Regional Board to determine, for each electoral process, the number of places to be allocated and to decide whether the selection is to be made by a single list or whether a distinction is to be made between the first two places and the rest of the electoral list.

TITLE VII: INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEM, FINANCIAL ORGANISATION AND MANAGEMENT

CHAPTER I: INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEM

Article 130. – Internal control system

All the provisions of this Title constitute the Internal Control System provided for in Article 15 of Organic Law 8/2007 on the Financing of Political Parties.

Article 131. – Principles

Más Madrid is independent of any economic power. With regard to the financing of political parties, Más Madrid shall promote the highest levels of transparency and publicity and shall adopt control mechanisms to prevent any deviation from its functions, which shall be permanently reviewed in all its territorial spheres of action, shall be subject to strict compliance with the laws on the financing of political organisations, and shall be subject to the criteria of transparency, efficiency and solidarity.

Article 132. – Legal personality

Más Madrid holds legal personality throughout its organisational sphere of action, with full legal capacity. Notwithstanding the above, the institutional groups shall be fully subject to the instructions and to the economic and financial control of the Party.

CHAPTER II: PARTY MANAGEMENT

Article 133. – Ownership and functions of Management

The Economic Portfolio shall hold the office of Managing Director of the Party and its consolidated entities (the Parliamentary Group in the Assembly of Madrid and the Construir Madrid Association at present, as well as any others that may be included in future). Its competences shall include the Departments of Finance, Accounting, Legal, Regulatory Compliance and Data Protection, Administration, Central Purchasing and Procurement, Human Resources, and the events of the Association — of which it shall act as Treasurer — and Office Maintenance, the management of the offices remaining among the functions of the Organisation Portfolio. It shall also supervise the economic and financial management of the party's various Assemblies, in coordination with the governing bodies of Más Madrid.

Article 134. – General power of attorney

To carry out its functions, it shall hold a general notarial power of attorney granted by the party's legal representatives to fully exercise the executive and economic legal representation of Más Madrid and its consolidated entities. It shall be the person in the organisation with authority to sign contracts of any kind, acquire and dispose of assets, assume obligations, render accounts, open and close bank accounts and means of payment, make payments, collect receivables, etc.

Article 135. – Legal Directorate

The Economic Portfolio shall have a Legal Directorate, appointed by the Coordinating Team on a proposal from the Economic Portfolio, to be held by a practising lawyer registered with the Bar. It shall be supervised by the Economic Portfolio but shall enjoy full professional autonomy. It shall be responsible for legal advice to the party and its consolidated entities, legal direction in litigation, the hiring and supervision of external lawyers in accordance with the procurement rules and budgets approved by the Economic Portfolio and the Coordinating Team, regulatory compliance, the role of data protection officer, and the secretariat of the Ethics and Statutes Committee and the Guarantees Committee, which it may delegate to persons it designates.

Article 136. – Annual accounts

The holder of the Economic Portfolio shall be responsible for drawing up and preparing the annual accounts for debate and final approval by the Regional Board and, finally, for their submission to the Court of Audit (*Tribunal de Cuentas*) and publication on the party's website in compliance with the legislation in force. In preparing them, the needs of the Territorial (municipal and district) and Sectoral Assemblies shall be gathered and taken into account through their governing bodies.

Article 137. – Annual budget

The draft annual budget shall be proposed by the Management for debate and final formulation by the Coordinating Team, which shall submit it for final approval, where appropriate, to the Regional Board before 31 December of the preceding year. In preparing it, the needs of the Territorial (municipal and district) and Sectoral Assemblies shall be taken into account. The Management shall also be the body for controlling and implementing the budget.

Article 138. – Accounting

Más Madrid shall keep its accounting books in electronic format, with a level of detail that makes it possible at all times to know its financial and asset position and its compliance with the obligations laid down by law. The Cash, Inventory and Balance Sheet books, in electronic format, must contain, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and those specifically applicable to political parties, the items determined by the regulations governing financing.

Article 139. – Instructions

For the proper performance of its functions, the person responsible for the party's economic and financial management shall issue specific instructions and operating criteria to those responsible for any other areas, especially those relating to procurement, tendering, payment orders and authorisation of expenditure, which shall be adapted, insofar as applicable, to Law 9/2017 of 8 November on Public Sector Contracts, subject to a report from the Legal Directorate.

Article 140. – Sources of financing

The Economic Portfolio shall supervise income from public subsidies in accordance with the legislation in force, and shall draw up the plan for private income such as Financial Charters, Donations, Fees, Own Activities, inheritances, legacies, etc. provided for in the legislation in force, and Microcredits, submitting it to the Coordinating Team for debate and deliberation before it is submitted to the Regional Board.

Article 141. – Relationship with the Coordinating Team

The holder of the Economic Portfolio may, at their own request, appear before the Coordinating Team on matters within their competence, with the right to speak but not to vote. They must do so at least for the final formulation of the draft annual budget, the strategic management plan and the approval of the Financial Charter.

CHAPTER III: ASSEMBLY RESOURCES

Article 142. – Sources of resources

142.1 The resources of the Assemblies come from the budget of Más Madrid, always in accordance with the legislation in force on the financing of political organisations and electoral processes.

142.2 Own activities recorded in the accounts and subject to the control of the Court of Audit that may generate financial revenue, whether for the party and its consolidated entities or for the Territorial (municipal and/or district) or Sectoral Assemblies, must have the express authorisation of the Economic Portfolio and also of the Coordinating Team, which shall establish, where appropriate, the percentage of the revenue to be transferred to the budget allocation of the Assemblies.

Article 143. – Financial Charter

143.1 There shall be a single common Financial Charter for Más Madrid as a whole, which shall be progressive across each type of affiliation: public office holders, appointed officials, institutional representatives, contracted staff, etc.

143.2 Within the first four months following the Madrid local elections, the Economic Portfolio shall propose to the Regional Board for approval a Más Madrid Financial Charter guided by the strategic budgetary needs and electoral situation of each four-year period.

143.3 The Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district) shall have the capacity to specify the level, within the margin set out above, and the characterisation of basic remuneration. These decisions must be ratified by the Economic Portfolio.

143.4 In compliance with the Data Protection Law and the special nature of contributions to political parties, in relation to the day-to-day operation and monitoring of this financial charter, all individualised information shall be accessible exclusively to the Accounting and Administration Department of Más Madrid, which reports to the Economic Portfolio, and implementation information shall be reported to the Governing Bodies of Más Madrid in aggregate form. Control and supervision, should the Governing Bodies consider it necessary, shall be the responsibility of the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee.

CHAPTER IV: PREVENTION SYSTEM

Article 144. – System for the prevention and supervision of criminal conduct

144.1 A system for the prevention and supervision of criminal conduct shall be established and kept up to date, complying with the requirements of Article 9 bis of the Organic Law on Political Parties in conjunction with Article 31 bis of the Criminal Code.

144.2 Supervision of its implementation and updating shall be the responsibility of the Legal Directorate.

144.3 The system for the prevention and supervision of criminal conduct must be kept up to date and comply with all the requirements established by law and regulations at any given time.

TITLE VIII: CONSULTATIONS

Article 145. – Consultations

Más Madrid shall have various methods of consulting members and/or supporters.

Article 146. – Competence

The Territorial Assemblies (municipal and/or district) may call consultations within their respective spheres, regulating the basic elements of such processes in their regulations.

Article 147. – Right to vote

Consultations on internal matters shall be restricted exclusively to the participation of members.

Article 148. – Electoral roll

The electoral roll for consultations shall be that existing at the time the consultation is called.

Article 149. – Text of the consultation

149.1 The text of consultations must be neutral and may not condition any answer.

149.2 The Ethics and Statutes Committee must review and, where appropriate, approve the text of consultations.

Article 150. – Ordinary binding consultation

150.1 Ordinary binding consultations may be called within their sphere by:

- a) The Coordinating Team, by simple majority.
- b) 10% of the members within the sphere.

150.2 The Intersectoral Coordination Board or a majority of District-Group Assemblies may propose, by simple majority, the holding of binding consultations within their competences. Such a proposal must be discussed and voted on by the Coordinating Team, which must give reasons if it rejects it.

150.3 Calling an ordinary binding consultation shall be mandatory for the ratification of electoral or post-electoral agreements.

150.4 Consultations shall require the participation of at least 20% of the electoral roll to be considered binding. If that threshold is not reached, application of the result shall be discretionary.

Article 151. – Ordinary non-binding consultation

151.1 Ordinary non-binding consultations may be called within their sphere by:

- a) The Coordinating Team.
- b) The regional parliamentary group.
- c) The Intersectoral Coordination Board.
- d) The District-Group Assemblies.

151.2 A majority decision of the body shall be required to call such a consultation.

Article 152. – Annulment consultation

152.1 An annulment consultation may be called for the purpose of revoking a decision adopted by executive bodies in the various spheres, provided that one of the following applies:

- a) It is requested by 25% of the members of that body.
- b) It is signed by 10% of the members within the sphere.

152.2 Consultations shall require the participation of at least 20% of the electoral roll to be considered binding. Otherwise, their application shall be discretionary.

Article 153. – Recall consultation

153.1 The process for recalling a body is triggered by the submission of the signatures of at least 20% of the voters within that body's sphere.

153.2 A recall process may not be initiated until at least one year has elapsed since the previous one.

153.3 Participation must exceed 20% of the electoral roll for the decision taken to be validated.

153.4 If the recall consultation is approved, the recalled body shall automatically be dismissed, and its members shall retain only limited functions to convene and organise the process for renewing the body.

TITLE IX: TRANSPARENCY

Article 154. – Principles

Más Madrid is an organisation committed to transparency.

Article 155. – Legal framework and standards

155.1 Más Madrid shall comply with the transparency obligations applicable to political parties set out in Law 19/2013 of 9 December on Transparency, Access to Public Information and Good Governance and in Law 10/2019 of 10 April on Transparency and Participation of the Community of Madrid, and with all the publicity obligations included in the applicable legislation in force.

155.2 Más Madrid shall also comply with the obligations established by international transparency standards for political parties.

Article 156. – Content

The Más Madrid website shall include a transparency portal containing at least the following:

- a) Basic information on Más Madrid and applicable rules:
- b) Declaration of principles, values and aims.
- ii) List of Territorial (municipal and district) and Sectoral Assemblies.
- iii) Addresses of the various offices or physical premises and their contact details.

- iv) Statutes, Code of Ethics, internal procurement instructions and implementing internal rules.
- v) Applicable legislation: Organic Law on Political Parties (LOPP) and Organic Law on the Financing of Political Parties (LOFPP).
- b) Information on Más Madrid's elected office holders:
- c) Published by territory and including: 1) Name. 2) Photograph. 3) Professional profile. 4) Social media accounts.
- d) Más Madrid organisational chart:
- e) Organisational chart showing the organisational structure.
- ii) Leadership positions, with the following information: 1) Name. 2) Photograph. 3) Professional profile. 4) Social media accounts. 5) Remuneration, or the absence thereof, by reason of the position.
- iii) Control and Guarantees Bodies.
- iv) Participation and access for citizens:
- v) Requirements and procedures for participating in Más Madrid.
- vi) Whistleblowing channel.
- e) Financial information on Más Madrid, updated at least annually:
- f) Ordinary accounts: 1) Annual budget. 2) Income broken down by category: subsidies, contributions and donations. 3) Expenditure grouped by category. 4) Economic, budgetary and statistical information on contracts and agreements.
- ii) Electoral campaign accounts: 1) Electoral expenditure in the last elections and the legal limits thereon. 2) Income broken down by category and source of financing: subsidies, contributions, donations and microcredits. 3) Expenditure grouped by category.
- iii) Accountability: 1) Dates on which accounts were submitted to the Court of Audit (last two financial years). 2) The last two audit reports of the Court of Audit. 3) Detailed information on outstanding loans and credits, including the amount outstanding, the lending institution, the amount granted, the interest rate and the repayment period.
- f) Procurement procedures.
- g) Protocol or guide on transparency.

Article 157. – Scope

The budgetary transparency obligations shall also apply to Más Madrid's representation in the Assembly of Madrid and in municipal councils, and the income received through the corresponding budgetary allocations must be published.

Article 158. – Updating

158.1 Proactive disclosure content shall be updated with sufficient frequency and the date of publication shall be indicated in each case.

158.2 Proactive disclosure obligations shall be extended in accordance with the legislation in force.

TITLE X: DISCIPLINARY REGIME

CHAPTER I: PURPOSE AND PRINCIPLES

Article 159. – Purpose

The provisions of this Title shall apply to all persons participating in Más Madrid, whether members or supporters, who through their conduct fail to fulfil their duties or undermine or violate the principles of Más Madrid. Such actions shall give rise to the opening of the corresponding disciplinary procedure.

Article 160. – Principles

The disciplinary procedure shall be conducted in accordance with the principle of legality and the principle that offences must be defined in advance, on an adversarial basis with a hearing of the persons concerned, applying the presumption of innocence, proportionality of sanctions, non-retroactivity of unfavourable sanctions and the principle of *non bis in idem*.

Article 161. – Competent body

The body competent to conduct disciplinary procedures shall be the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee, in accordance with these Statutes and their implementing rules.

Article 162. – Challenges

The regime for challenging members of the committee set out in Title XI shall apply.

CHAPTER II: OFFENCES

Article 163. – Offences

Offences shall be classified as very serious, serious and minor.

Article 164. – Minor offences

Minor offences are committed by those who:

- a) Act negligently in performing any of the functions entrusted to them by Más Madrid.
- b) Refuse, without justification, to collaborate in tasks for which they are required.
- c) Make public statements outside the ideological debate with the aim of personally discrediting or belittling another member or supporter.
- d) Fail on one occasion to meet the financial obligations deriving from their status as a public office holder and/or staff member, having been required to do so.

Article 165. – Serious offences

Serious offences are committed by those who:

- a) Abandon the functions entrusted to them by Más Madrid.
- b) Impersonate or assume positions or functions of any nature that do not correspond to them.
- c) Disregard the agreements or guidelines adopted by the bodies of Más Madrid.
- d) Enter into political commitments or agreements with other parties or individuals without the prior express authorisation of the competent body.
- e) Fail on two occasions to meet the financial obligations deriving from their status as a public office holder and/or staff member, having been required to do so and sanctioned for a minor offence.
- f) Obstruct the work or decisions of the assemblies, as indicated in the assemblies regulation, or the decisions of the party's bodies.
- g) Deprive other members or supporters, by action or omission, of their rights to vote, to attend party events and to take part in membership activities, without a prior decision of the competent body.
- h) Withhold documentation in a way that prevents the implementation of decisions taken by the party's bodies, at whatever level, or that prevents or hinders actions brought by members in defence of their rights or of the party's interests.
- i) Make public, by any means of dissemination, opinions, ideas or comments opposed to the values and principles of Más Madrid.
- j) Reveal, disseminate or leak internal party information to the media, on social networks or to third parties without the express authorisation of the Coordinating Team, where that information is of a confidential, strategic or sensitive nature and its disclosure may cause serious harm to the interests of Más Madrid.

- k) Fail to comply with the duty to collaborate with the Ethics and Statutes Committee and/or the Guarantees Committee.
- l) Engage in civic or ethical conduct contrary to the principles of the party and its Code of Ethics.
- m) Hold public office without the express authorisation of the party's competent bodies.
- n) Make false statements that undermine the integrity, honour or reputation of any person linked to Más Madrid.
- o) Make fraudulent use of the tool through which participation is recorded.
- p) Carry out actions manifestly contrary to the decisions of the assembly of the relevant sphere, provided that those decisions are in accordance with the principles of Más Madrid.
- q) Accumulate two or more minor offences within a period of two years.

Article 166. – Very serious offences

Very serious offences are committed by those who:

- a) Violate any of the rights set out in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
- b) Engage in any form of corruption in the exercise of public office.
- c) Manipulate or undermine the free decision of the members and/or supporters of Más Madrid or its decision-making bodies through actions such as coercion, threats, deceptive inducement, misuse of privileged information, alteration of established procedures or any other conduct aimed at unduly influencing their opinions, votes or decisions, or internal processes, assemblies or any forum for democratic participation in the party.
- d) Act in the exercise of public office in a manner contrary to the principles of Más Madrid.
- e) Maintain dual membership of Más Madrid and any other party, unless expressly authorised by the competent body in justified cases.
- f) Spread false news that discredits Más Madrid or disparages the organisation or its bodies.
- g) Make public statements on behalf of Más Madrid that commit the organisation without due endorsement by Más Madrid.
- h) Fail on more than two occasions to meet the financial obligations deriving from the Financial Charter or equivalent agreements, having been required to do so and sanctioned for a serious offence.

- i) Manipulate the Más Madrid electoral roll.
- j) Use the party's name for personal gain.
- k) Insult, use humiliating expressions towards or behave in a hostile manner towards party colleagues, in person, in digital media or any other means of communication, where such acts violate dignity or mutual respect and breach the party's principles of coexistence.
- l) Fail to take part in the activities of the party and/or in the assemblies under the terms established.
- m) Officially join, as a member and/or supporter, the electoral list or internal bodies of another party or group of electors.
- n) Carry out acts of political communication, propaganda or public requests for votes, through any form or medium of dissemination, in favour of other political parties or groups of electors.
- o) Carry out acts of political communication or take any kind of position against the principles and values of the party.
- p) Leave the parliamentary or municipal groups of which Más Madrid has decided to form part.
- q) Vote separately in investiture, censure motion or budget sessions, breaching the voting discipline set by the party, parliamentary group or municipal group, or repeatedly breach such discipline.
- r) Maintain a contractual, employment or commercial relationship relating to organisational, strategic or political identity matters, involving financial consideration, with another political organisation.
- s) Have been found liable in criminal proceedings for an offence related to corruption, violence against women or hate crimes.
- t) Accumulate two or more serious offences within a period of two years.

CHAPTER III: SANCTIONS

Article 167. – Minor sanctions

The minor sanction, applicable to minor offences, shall be:

- a) A written reprimand, made known to the members and/or supporters of Más Madrid, under the terms determined.

Article 168. – Serious sanctions

Serious sanctions, applicable to serious offences, shall be:

- a) A written reprimand, made known to the members and/or supporters of Más Madrid, under the terms determined.
- b) Suspension of some of the rights associated with membership or supporter status, for a period of between one day and 6 months.
- c) Total suspension of membership or supporter status, with loss of the associated rights, including participation in assemblies, for a period of between one day and 6 months.

Article 169. – Very serious sanctions

Very serious sanctions, applicable to very serious offences, shall be:

- a) Suspension of some of the rights associated with membership or supporter status for a period of between 6 months and one year.
- b) Total suspension of membership or supporter status, with loss of all associated rights, including participation in assemblies, for a period of between 6 months and one year.
- c) Expulsion from Más Madrid and from all its bodies and forums.

CHAPTER IV: INVESTIGATION PROCEDURE

Article 170. – Initiation

170.1 Disciplinary proceedings shall be initiated by the Ethics and Statutes Committee upon receipt of a written complaint, which must include:

- a) Identification of the complainant.
- b) Identification of the person complained against.
- c) A statement of the facts complained of.

170.2 Upon receipt of the complaint, the Ethics and Statutes Committee shall, within 3 working days, agree to open the case file and appoint one of its members as investigator.

The investigator must not know, or have any kind of relationship with, the persons involved in the complaint, and shall not take part in the Committee's vote on the outcome of the disciplinary case.

170.3 A communication shall be sent to the person complained against informing them of the opening of the procedure, the facts complained of that constitute the possible offence, and the identity of the investigator, who will contact them.

Article 171. – Investigation

171.1 Within 3 working days of the person complained against being notified of the opening of the case, the investigator shall ask them to make any submissions they consider

appropriate regarding the facts complained of and to propose or provide such evidence as they consider relevant.

171.2 The investigation period shall last a maximum of 10 working days, extendable ex officio or at the request of a party by a further 10 working days, in order to obtain the evidence essential to clarify the facts.

171.3 The investigator may, ex officio, request whatever evidence they consider appropriate. Such requests to the relevant bodies, members and/or supporters must in all cases be answered and completed.

171.4 During the investigation, the investigator may, if they consider it appropriate given the seriousness of the facts, request the precautionary suspension of the membership of the person complained against. The request shall be submitted to the Ethics and Statutes Committee, which must implement it within the following 2 working days.

171.5 Once the investigation is completed, the investigator shall, within no more than 3 working days, send a report on the investigation to the Ethics and Statutes Committee and to the person complained against.

171.6 The report shall include the evidence obtained and, on the basis of that evidence and the submissions made, shall conclude with a proposal either to close the case or to classify the facts established.

171.7 The person complained against shall have 5 working days to make any submissions they consider appropriate on the investigator's report. Such submissions must be sent to the Ethics and Statutes Committee itself.

Article 172. – Decision

Within a maximum of 10 working days, the Ethics and Statutes Committee shall decide, on the basis of the investigation report, the evidence submitted or obtained and the submissions of the person complained against, either to close the case or to impose the corresponding proportionate sanction according to the classification of the offence considered to have been committed.

Article 173. – Appeals

173.1 Request for reconsideration. A request for reconsideration of the decision of the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee may be lodged with the same body within 5 working days of notification of the decision. The request shall be decided within a maximum of 7 working days of its submission.

173.2 Appeal. An appeal against the decision on the request for reconsideration may be lodged with the plenary of the Guarantees Committee within 7 working days of notification of that decision. The appeal shall be decided within a maximum of 10 working days of its submission.

173.3 In the appeal procedure, the Guarantees Committee may, if so requested in the appeal, extend the investigation to the evidence requested therein. Such extension shall be

carried out by the investigator who conducted the initial investigation and may not exceed 5 working days. Those 5 working days shall be added to the 10 working days allowed for deciding the appeal.

173.4 In appeal proceedings before the Guarantees Committee concerning a case that has previously been before the Ethics Committee and on which a technical report has been issued by an external professional, the conclusions of that report must be taken into account.

Article 174. – Automatic suspension

Irrespective of the procedure, the Coordinating Team shall order the automatic precautionary suspension of the membership or supporter status of persons involved in criminal proceedings in respect of whom an order opening oral trial has been issued for an offence related to corruption, violence against women, sexual offences, offences against minors or hate crimes; and the sanction of expulsion from Más Madrid shall be imposed automatically on those convicted of any such offence.

Article 175. – Limitation periods

175.1 The Ethics and Statutes Committee shall close the proceedings when it finds that the offence is time-barred.

175.2 Offences shall become time-barred within the following periods:

- a) minor offences after 1 year;
- b) serious offences after 2 years;
- c) very serious offences after 4 years.

175.3 The limitation period shall begin to run from the moment the possible offence was committed, if known, or from the moment the Ethics and Statutes Committee becomes aware of it. The period shall be interrupted by a complaint or by ex officio action of the Ethics and Statutes Committee within the respective period.

Article 176. – Readmission of expelled persons

176.1 A member or supporter who has been expelled from the party as a result of disciplinary proceedings may not apply for readmission until four years have elapsed since their removal took effect.

176.2 In all cases, readmission shall not take effect until the Coordinating Team so agrees, after obtaining such reports as it deems appropriate, and the Regional Board approves it.

TITLE XI: CONTROL AND GUARANTEES BODIES

CHAPTER I: GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 177. – Bodies

The Control and Guarantees Bodies of Más Madrid are:

- a) The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee.
- b) The Guarantees Committee.

Article 178. – Competences

The Control and Guarantees Bodies have the following competences:

- a) To ensure the proper democratic functioning of Más Madrid.
- b) To guarantee the principles of equal participation, justice and transparency.
- c) To guarantee the rights of the members of Más Madrid.
- d) To ensure compliance with the Statutes and other implementing rules that may be approved.

Article 179. – Incompatibilities

Members of the Control and Guarantees Bodies may not hold other offices in Más Madrid, except in the case of members specifically appointed in accordance with Article 183.3.

Article 180. – Publicity

180.1 Public minutes must be kept of the meetings of the Control and Guarantees Bodies.

180.2 Decisions that must be kept confidential or that affect the privacy of the persons concerned shall be recorded succinctly.

180.3 The internal minutes shall not be published, serving solely to certify the sessions within the body.

Article 181. – Abstention and challenge

181.1 Where there is a conflict of interest or a professional, friendly, family or any other analogous relationship in any of the procedures set out in this Title, the member of the Control and Guarantees Bodies must abstain.

181.2 Where one of the parties to the proceedings observes a conflict of interest or a professional, friendly, family or any other analogous relationship in any of the procedures set out in this Title, they may request, within 2 working days of notification of the appointment in question, that the member be challenged.

181.3 The decision on the challenge shall always be reasoned and given within 5 working days.

181.4 Where the Guarantees Body acts in sections, persons who are challenged or who abstain from hearing the procedure must be replaced by another member of the third they represent.

181.5 Specifically appointed members shall be replaced by the same body that appointed the member who was challenged or who abstained.

CHAPTER II: CONTROL AND GUARANTEES BODIES

Section One: Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee

Article 182. – Purpose

The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee is a body reporting to the Regional Board, responsible for investigating and deciding disciplinary proceedings, as well as for the prevention, mediation and resolution of conflicts in Más Madrid.

Article 183. – Composition

183.1 The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee is composed of 6 members.

183.2 The selection of candidates shall follow a criterion of absolute parity, except where the chosen arrangement favours a woman.

183.3 The following shall be ex officio members of the Committee:

- a) One person appointed by the head of the Feminisms Portfolio.
- b) Two persons appointed by the head of the Organisation Portfolio.
- c) One person appointed by the head of the legal operational team.

183.4 The Coordinating Team shall propose the remaining members to the Regional Board, who must be elected annually by a two-thirds majority. If that majority is not reached, a simple majority in a second vote shall suffice.

183.5 Members may be re-elected without limit.

183.6 In the event of loss of membership, incompatibility, resignation, death, incapacity or removal of a member of the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee:

- a) If they are an ex officio member, they shall be replaced by the person appointed by the head of the corresponding portfolio from among its members.
- b) If they were appointed by the Regional Board, the Board must fill the vacancy at its next meeting.

Article 184. – Presidency

The presidency of the Committee shall be elected by and from among its members once it has been constituted. The holder shall have a casting vote in the event of a tie.

Article 185. – Convocation

185.1 The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee shall meet at least once every six months. In any event, the Committee must meet to fulfil its competences with the greatest possible diligence.

185.2 The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee may be convened with at least 48 hours' notice by:

- a) The presidency of the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee.
- b) Two of its members.
- c) The Coordinating Team, by absolute majority.
- d) The Regional Board, by simple majority.
- e) 25% of all Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district) of Más Madrid.

Article 186. – Agenda

186.1 The agenda of all sessions of the Committee shall be drawn up by the person convening the session.

186.2 Up to 24 hours before the meeting, any of the bodies entitled to convene it may propose the inclusion of items on the agenda, sending them to the presidency through the usual communication channels.

Article 187. – Competences

The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee has the following competences:

- a) To create and manage the mediation team for conflict resolution.
- b) To investigate (through one of its members) and decide disciplinary proceedings for minor, serious or very serious offences, at first instance.
- c) To mediate, conciliate and resolve conflicts, at first instance.
- d) To supervise incompatibilities and compliance by public office holders with the Financial Charter and the Statutes.
- e) To guarantee compliance with the agreements and decisions adopted by the Control and Guarantees Bodies.
- f) To review and approve the text of consultations.

- g) To exercise any other function assigned to it by these Statutes or their implementing rules.

Section Two: Guarantees Committee

Article 188. – Purpose

The Guarantees Committee is an autonomous body, independent of the governing bodies, whose task is to ensure compliance with the Statutes of Más Madrid and to guarantee the rights of the members and supporters of Más Madrid by means of the guarantees appeal.

Article 189. – Organisation

189.1 The Guarantees Committee shall be organised in plenary or in sections. Each section shall consist of one person from the legal third, one from the mediation third and one from the elected third.

189.2 At the first plenary meeting following its election, the composition of the sections shall be decided by lot.

189.3 The presidency of the Committee shall rotate annually among the members of the legal third. The holder shall have a casting vote in the event of a tie.

189.4 The Guarantees Committee shall be assisted by the operational teams, in particular the Más Madrid legal operational team.

Article 190. – Functioning

190.1 The Guarantees Committee shall decide in accordance with the principle of legality, on an adversarial basis with a hearing of all interested persons, the presumption of innocence and the other basic principles of law.

190.2 Except as provided for in this regulation or its implementing rules, decisions shall be taken by consensus and, only where this is impossible, by simple majority, both in the sections and in plenary.

190.3 The rules for allocating matters among sections shall be established by each Guarantees Committee at the beginning of its term.

Article 191. – Composition

191.1 The Guarantees Committee shall consist of 6 members.

191.2 The Guarantees Committee shall be elected in thirds:

- a) Legal third: candidates must have accredited legal knowledge in the field. They are elected by direct vote on individual candidacies.
- b) Mediation third: candidates must have accredited knowledge of mediation or conflict resolution. They are elected by direct vote on individual candidacies.

- c) Elected third: chosen from among members with at least six months' standing who wish to sit on these bodies and who must be registered in advance on a list of candidates. They are elected by direct vote on individual candidacies.

191.3 The Guarantees Committee shall be elected every four years, without coinciding with elections held in general assemblies.

191.4 The election of candidates shall follow a criterion of parity within each of the thirds, except where the chosen arrangement favours a woman.

191.5 In the event of loss of membership, incompatibility, resignation, death, incapacity or removal of a member of the Guarantees Committee, they shall be replaced by the next most-voted candidate in the last election for the third to which they belonged.

Article 192. – Convocation

192.1 The plenary of the Guarantees Committee shall meet at least once every six months. It may be convened with at least one week's notice by:

- a) The presidency of the Guarantees Committee.
- b) A section, by unanimity of its members.
- c) One third of the Committee, unanimously.
- d) Four members of the Guarantees Committee.

192.2 The sections of the Guarantees Committee shall only be convened, with at least 48 hours' notice, as established by this regulation, and may be convened by any of their members.

Article 193. – Agenda

193.1 The agenda for any convocation of the Guarantees Committee shall be drawn up by the person convening it.

193.2 In convocations of the sections, any of their members may add items to the agenda until the session begins.

193.3 In convocations of the plenary, any of its members may add items to the agenda up to 24 hours beforehand, sending them to the president by the usual means of communication.

Article 194. – Competences

194.1 The Guarantees Committee has the following competences:

- a) To guarantee the proper conduct of electoral processes in Más Madrid.
- b) To ensure compliance with the statutory rules during internal electoral processes.
- c) To decide the appeals regulated in this regulation.

- d) Any others assigned to it by the Statutes or their implementing rules.

194.2 The competences of a section shall be:

- a) To decide appeals against decisions of the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee.
- b) Any others assigned to it by the statutes or their implementing rules.

194.3 The competences of the plenary shall be:

- a) To supervise the independence and impartiality of the electoral committees during internal electoral processes.
- b) To decide all appeals against decisions issued by the sections.
- c) To hear at first instance appeals brought by at least 50 members against the bodies of Más Madrid for breach of the Statutes.
- d) Any others assigned to it by the Statutes or their implementing rules.

CHAPTER III: CONFLICT RESOLUTION MECHANISMS AND GUARANTEE OF RIGHTS

Section One: Mediation team and mediation procedure

Article 195. – Mediation team

195.1 The mediation team shall be made up of volunteers trained in mediation.

195.2 The objective of the mediation team is to avoid appeals to the Guarantees Committee and the judicialisation of potential conflicts, resolving any conflicts that may arise amicably and by consensus.

195.3 The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee is responsible for forming this Team and allocating the matters it hears.

Article 196. – Competences

The mediation team shall hear any conflict within the political sphere and sphere of influence of Más Madrid, or in activities organised or participated in by Más Madrid and those who form part of the organisation, provided that it arises between members and/or supporters and the bodies of Más Madrid, or between different bodies of Más Madrid.

Article 197. – Standing

197.1 Mediation processes may be initiated at the request of:

- a) Any of the interested persons.
- b) The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee.

197.2 Where the Coordinating Team or the Guarantees Committee wishes to initiate a mediation to which it is not a party, it may submit a proposal to the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee, which must decide with reasons whether or not to admit it.

Article 198. – Mediation commission

198.1 The mediation process begins with the constitution of the mediation commission, formed by three members of the mediation team:

- a) One proposed by each party.
- b) One proposed by the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee.

198.2 The commission must be formed within 7 days.

Article 199. – Functioning of the mediation commission

199.1 The mediation commission shall take its decisions giving priority to consensus and, only after ensuring that agreement is not possible, shall it put its view to a vote; in such cases it shall decide by simple majority and shall state in its report that the decision was taken by vote and the result thereof.

199.2 The mediation commission shall be competent to organise the process as it sees fit.

Article 200. – Resolution report

200.1 Within 20 working days the mediation commission must issue a report. The report may determine that more time is required for the mediation, extending the deadline by a maximum of 20 additional days.

200.2 If the parties agree, the report shall be forwarded to the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee for information and implementation.

200.3 If the parties do not agree, they may submit comments on the resolution report within 5 working days. These shall be decided by the mediation commission and forwarded to the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee for information and implementation.

Article 201. – Appeals against the resolution report

201.1 If any of the parties disagrees, it shall lodge an appeal within 5 working days with the Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee, which shall allow 5 working days for submissions on the appeal.

201.2 A meeting of the body shall be convened within seven working days to discuss the ratification, modification or rejection of the commission's resolution.

201.3 Any modification or rejection of the resolution must be reasoned.

201.4 The decision of this body shall be enforceable and may be challenged by means of a guarantees appeal before the Guarantees Committee.

Section Two: Guarantees appeal

Article 202. – Purpose

This procedure may be used by any member or supporter of Más Madrid who considers that their rights have been infringed by any of the bodies of Más Madrid.

Article 203. – Acts subject to appeal

By way of example but not limitation, the decisions of the following may be appealed under this procedure:

- a) The executive bodies of Más Madrid: the Coordinating Team and the equivalent bodies in the Territorial (municipal and district) and Sectoral Assemblies.
- b) The leadership bodies of Más Madrid: the Regional Board and the equivalent bodies in the Territorial (municipal and district) and Sectoral Assemblies.
- c) The representative bodies of Más Madrid: the Co-Spokespersons and the equivalent bodies of the Territorial (municipal and district) and Sectoral Assemblies.
- d) The Code of Ethics and Statutes Committee.

Article 204. – Initiating document

The appellant must state in their document:

- a) Identification of the appellant.
- b) The specific measure they consider to infringe their rights.
- c) The reasons why they consider themselves affected by that measure.
- d) The substantive grounds for their appeal.

Article 205. – Competence

205.1 The appeals listed in Article 194.3 shall be heard by the Plenary of the Guarantees Committee.

205.2 All other matters shall be heard by the section of the Guarantees Committee whose turn it is.

205.3 Challenges in this procedure shall always be decided by the Plenary of the Guarantees Committee.

Article 206. – Admission

206.1 The body must rule on admission within 7 working days.

206.2 Non-admission must be justified and may only be based on failure to meet the formal requirements or on the appellant not being affected by the measure appealed against.

206.3 Appeals brought under Article 173.2 shall be admitted automatically.

206.4 Non-admission may be appealed to the Plenary of the body within 5 working days.

Article 207. – Decision

207.1 The body has 20 working days to decide the appeal.

207.2 During that period it may take whatever steps it considers appropriate.

207.3 The parties may request the steps they consider appropriate. The body may refuse them, always with reasons.

207.4 Where, owing to its complexity or the impossibility of carrying it out in time, a step may cause the maximum period for a decision to be exceeded, the body may extend the deadlines by up to thirty days. The parties must be informed of this.

Article 208. – Finality and enforcement

The decision shall be considered final and enforceable on the day following its issue, and the parties shall be notified within the same period.

TITLE XII: AMENDMENT OF THE STATUTES AND DISSOLUTION

Article 209. – Amendment of the Statutes

209.1 Amendments to the Statutes may be proposed by:

- a) The Regional Board.
- b) 25% of all Territorial Assemblies (municipal and district).

209.2 Any amendment to the Statutes must always be presented with the original wording and the proposed wording.

209.3 The Statutes shall be amended by the Regional Congress by a simple majority of participants, following a debate and amendment process open to all members of Más Madrid.

Article 210. – Federations, confederations or unions

210.1 The constitution and registration of federations, confederations or unions with other parties may be proposed by the Regional Board.

210.2 The constitution and registration of federations, confederations or unions with other parties must be decided by the general assembly, following debate, by an absolute majority of participants.

Article 211. – Dissolution

211.1 The dissolution of Más Madrid may be proposed by the Regional Board.

211.2 Dissolution must be agreed by the Regional Congress, following debate, by a two-thirds majority of the participants.

Translator's notes on terminology: Mesa Regional is rendered as "Regional Board" (the party's highest leadership body between congresses); Equipo Coordinador as "Coordinating Team" (executive body); Coportavocías as "Co-Spokespersons" (the party's three co-leaders and legal representatives); Cartera as "Portfolio" (executive area of responsibility); Asamblea Comarcal as "District-Group Assembly" (groupings of municipalities by electoral zone outside Madrid city); militante as "member" and simpatizante as "supporter".