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2 **EFGP 3rd Congress, Berlin – Draft Resolution**

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4 Tabled by Federazione dei Verdi, Italy

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7 **EUROPEAN POLITICAL PARTIES**

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9 The 3rd Congress of the European Federation of Green Parties

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11 keeping in mind that the democratisation of the European Union recognizes that the setting up of
12 European Political Parties is becoming ever more relevant and significant ;

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14 reminding that the European Political Parties will have the very important function of approaching
15 the citizens to the institutions of the Union and will constitute an indispensable tool to accelerate the
16 process of democratization even in the EU candidate countries;

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18 reminding that it is of fundamental relevance to accelerate the process, already begun, for the
19 drawing up of statutes for European Political Parties and to define the mechanisms for their public
20 funding;

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22 reminding that the European Greens have spoken various times on the necessity and importance of
23 the setting up of a European Green Party;

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25 considering the importance of having a common electoral campaign for the European elections 2004,
26 presenting a programme which is as much as possible homogenous and agreed upon in all the
27 countries of the Union;

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29 sets up an internal commission to analyse and study the possibility of having a common electoral
30 programme for European elections 2004, including the possibility of adopting a common symbol to
31 add to the national symbols, and an organizational and statutory model for a "European Green Party";

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33 such Commission is made up of two sections: the first is entrusted with studying the preamble and
34 the common parts of the electoral programme for 2004, together with the possibility and ways of
35 adoption of the common
36 references in the national symbols; the second will be entrusted with studying the organizational and
37 statutory models;

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40 the Commission will be composed, in each of the two sections, by the Secretary General, the two
41 Spokespersons and the Treasurer or their delegates, by the Green elected members of the
42 Presidency of the Group in the European Parliament or their delegates, and by two members from
43 each National Party who, on a voluntary basis, would like to form part of the Commission;

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46 the national parties that want to be part of the Commission will nominate their representatives by the
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the Commission, having heard the opinions and the considerations of the present working groups on the statutes revision and on the electoral platform for 2004, starts its works by the end of July 2002, fixing a calendar of work, and meets normally every month in order to present its conclusions to the EFGP Council in Autumn 2003;

the meetings of the Commission will be normally held in Brussels, and the travel and hotel costs of the party representatives will be paid for by the national party;

at the end of its work the Commission will meet in the same session with the scope of evaluating and analysing, together with the Federation Bodies, both further programmatic points of agreement and controversial programmatic points;

the works and the conclusions of the Commission will be given a public hearing in a programmatic Convention called for at the end of January 2004, by those parties that would agree to accept them, and who could submit these conclusions to internal referenda.

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