

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

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4 **MOTION ON STRENGTHENING THE EFGP**

5 *Introduced by Bündnis 90/Die Grünen (Germany)*

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8 The congress of the EFGP,

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10 (a) whilst maintaining the present pan-European cooperation,
11 (b) bearing in mind Article 191 EC emphasises the importance of political
12 parties at the European level for forming a European awareness and
13 expressing the political will of the citizens of the Union,
14 (c) bearing in mind that the democratisation of the EU entails a growing
15 importance for European political parties,
16 (d) reminding that European political parties are indispensable for the
17 development of a European public discourse,
18 (e) asserting that the formulation of a statute for European political parties
19 reflects their growing importance,
20 (f) stressing that a strengthening of the EFGP will induce a better fulfilment of
21 green ideas in Europe,

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25 (1) calls upon the national member parties of EFGP to intensify their
26 cooperation on policy issues of common interest,
27 (2) asks the member parties of EFGP to develop concepts for bi- and
28 multilateral exchange programmes, in particular for young members,
29 (3) supports in the medium term the idea of an introduction of an associated
30 membership for individuals without right to vote and acknowledges that
31 certain minimal services are to be put at their disposal,
32 (4) recommends to establish an official commission on the long-term reform of
33 the EFGP with a view to adapting it to coincide with the needs of Article
34 191 EC as amended by the Treaty of Nice.