Amendments to the organisational principles of GYG

Amendment 1

Tabled by: German Young Greens (Grüne Jugend)

Replace in lines 14-17: "Every young person of the age of 35 and under or any youth organisation or political youth wing (Member Organisation) defining itself as “Green” and which obeys the Principles laid out in the Global Greens Charter is invited to join the network and participate in its activities"

with:

"All youth organisations whose mother parties are part of the Global Greens are member organisations of GYG. All other youth organisations as well as NGOs who want to become member organisation and who obey the Principles laid out in the Global Greens Charter need to be approved by the SC with a absolute majority. Young green individuals of the age of 35 and under are always welcome to GYG events and to participate the activities. MOs can decide if they want to be represented within GYG by their federation's umbrella organisation(s)."

Amendment 2

Tabled by: Dutch Young Greens (DWARS)

Add to lines 25 – 27: Individuals and delegates of Member Organisations who wish to be involved in any decision-making processes during the Congress must have formally completed the application process at least 24 hours before the commencement of the Congress.

Add:

‘Only individuals from countries without a Member Organisation can obtain the ability to vote.’

Amendment 3

Tabled by: Young Greens of England and Wales

Add the following to the paragraph in section 4.3, starting at line 136, so it reads.

If a member of the Steering Committee needs to be replaced before the next Congress, the regional federation of the region the person who dropped out is originated in will appoint a replacement. If a member of the Steering Committee is clearly inactive or in any other way disabled to work, the other
members of the Steering Committee can in consensus ask the specific regional federation to replace the inactive member in due time. If the specific regional federation itself, is not responsive, or cannot be contacted within one month, then the Steering Committee can then themselves put out a call for nomination and co-opt someone from the relevant region.

Amendment 4

Tabled by: German Young Greens (Grüne Jugend)

Replace in lines 143-144: "The Steering Committee is to be balanced regionally. The Steering Committee should have no more than 4 members from each region."

with:

"The SC consists of 2 persons from each region (at least one person from each region needs to define themselves as a woman, inter or trans person). The SC members are elected as
• one SC coordinator
• one treasurer
• four intra-region coordinators from four regions (each responsible for the region of their main residence)
• one inter-region coordinator and
• one educational coordinator.
All meetings of the SC need to be regionally balanced and there has to be a participation of at least 50% women, inter, or trans persons."

Amendment 5

Tabled by: German Young Greens (Grüne Jugend)

Replace in lines 153-159: "At least 50% of Steering Committee members must be women. This percentage has to come from at least 50% of women candidate from each region. To ensure potential membership, applicants are vetted by certain requirements as accepted by the Congress. The Steering Committee will allocate itself roles; including convenor, treasurer, secretary, membership co-ordinator and any other roles as required."

with:

"To ease the task of funding SC meetings there always is a main and a deputy SC member from each region. Who is main (travel costs are reimbursed) and who isn't is decided by the SC."
Amendment 6

Tabled by: German Young Greens (Grüne Jugend)

Replace in lines 188-201: "Only registered Individuals and delegates from Member Organisations can vote. One person may not have more than one vote. All Member Organisation can have a maximum of four delegates with one vote each. It is not possible to delegate votes. No region shall have more votes in total than the other regions combined. Of the votes apportioned to each region, a minimum of 2/3 will go to Member Organisations with the remaining going to registered individuals. The calculations will be made at the formal start of the Congress. If a region has no delegates from a Member Organisation, the region will be allocated the same number of Individual votes as the region with the lowest number of allocated Individual votes. If there are more registered Individuals in a region than allocated votes, the votes shall be divided proportionally. If there are more delegates of Member Organisations in a region than allocated delegate votes, the votes of Member Organisations of that region shall be divided proportionally."

with:

"Only delegates from Member Organisations can vote. One person may not have more than one vote. All Member Organisation can have a maximum of four delegates with one vote each. It is not possible to delegate votes. No region shall have more votes in total than the other regions combined. The calculations will be made at the formal start of the Congress. If there are more delegates of Member Organisations in a region than allocated delegate votes, the votes of Member Organisations of that region shall be divided proportionally."

Amendment 7

Tabled by: Dutch Young Greens (DWARS)

Replace lines 189 – 190: All Member Organisation can have a maximum of four delegates with one vote each.

with:

Every Member Organisation has one vote, independent from the size of the delegation.