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Election Regulations **Progressive Alliance Convention 2024**

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Based on November 2019 Convention Rules

1. The delegates of all members and associated organisations of the Progressive Alliance are **entitled to vote**.
2. The Steering Committee shall constitute a **quorum** provided that it has been convened according to the rules with a prior notice of at least of four weeks.
3. Unless otherwise specified in the Guiding Principles of the Progressive Alliance, Steering Committee **decisions** shall be passed on the basis of a **simple majority**.
4. As a matter of principle, all **voting** shall take place in an open ballot by a show of voting cards.
5. As a matter of principle, the **Steering Committee** elects the members of the **Board** by secret ballot.
6. Up to **40 members** can be elected to serve on the Board. Every party/organisation has the right to nominate **candidacies with at least one woman**.



7. Members of the Board are elected in a **list election process** on the basis of a relative majority of valid votes cast.
8. The maximum number of candidates that can be elected in the course of the list election process is equal the maximum number of available posts (40).
9. As a matter of principle, the Board elects the **Coordinator** and the **Auditor** by secret ballot.
10. The Coordinator and Auditor are elected in a **uninomial voting** on the basis of a majority of valid votes cast.
11. In the event of an equality of votes, a second ballot will take place. Should the second ballot lead again to a parity of votes, a decision shall be taken by drawing lots.
12. Two delegates for the **Credentials and Tellers Committee** will be nominated by the Steering Committee and the Board by secret ballot.
13. Any ballot paper which does not unequivocally indicate the voting wishes of the voter shall be declared invalid. If control stamps are used, only those ballot papers bearing the correct control stamp shall be valid.