



# WE Party Conference

15 – 17 October 2020

**Motion Title:** Steering Committee Business

**Amendment Title:** Hub Co-ordinator and PC Terms

**Amended Motion text:**

N.B. New text is in colour and underlined.

1 The Women's Equality Party resolves to amend the Constitution as follows:

2 **A** In Article 7.5.2, delete 'is chaired by the Party Leader or another chair elected by the committee' and  
3 insert 'will elect a chair', to read: 'will elect a chair by a simple majority vote'.

4 **B** In Article 7.5.14, replace 'three' with 'four', to read: 'but no term of office shall ever be longer than four  
5 years.'

6 **C** In Article 7.5.12 (v),

7 1) replace 'three' with 'two', and

8 2) replace 'three-year' with 'two-year',

9 to read: 'for a term of two years or until the next Party Conference following [...] the expiry of that two-year  
10 term'.

11 **D** In Article 7.5.17,

12 1) after 'Steering Committee', insert 'those present of',

13 2) after 'President', replace 'and' with a comma, and

14 3) after 'M.C.' add 'and the Chair',

15 to read: 'those present of the Leader, the President, the M.C. and the Chair shall together agree on the  
16 casting vote.'

17 **E** 1) Conference gives the Steering Committee the discretion to agree minor amendments (e.g. clause  
18 renumbering), provided they are not substantive changes, to allow the Steering Committee to provide a  
19 consistent working Constitution between Conferences; and

20 2) Conference allows the Steering Committee to make substantive amendments on a temporary basis,  
21 pending ratification by the following Conference, provided that such changes are a direct consequence of  
22 such Constitutional changes.

23 **F 1)** In Article 7.5.12(iii), after 'form the Hub', insert: 'as necessary during their period as Hub Co-ordinator,  
24 subject to Article 7.5.13. No term of office shall be longer than four years'.

25 **2)** In Article 7.5.13, after 'under Article 7.5.12' insert '(iii),'

26 **G** In Article 7.6.1, after 'Article 4.11)' delete the comma and insert 'for a term of office of three years and a  
27 maximum of two consecutive terms. The Policy Committee's elected membership is'