R41 Emergency Resolution: LGBTQIA+ rights

Proposer: The Green Parties of: Aotearoa New Zealand, Scotland, Australia, Canada, Malta

Resolution text

- The LGBTQIA+ of community is under attack around the world with growing rates
- worldwide of violence and hate speech as well as homophobia and transphobia
- 3 directly aimed at the community.
- 4 Despite international outrage, the president of Uganda signed the "Anti-
- 5 Homosexuality Act" on May 26th 2023. It heavily restricts freedom of speech with
- regards to human rights of queer people and criminalises certain same-sex acts
- even with the death penalty. Further, The Lemkin Institute for Genocide
- <u>Prevention has described the international 'gender critical movement' as</u>
- genocidal: "the gender critical movement simultaneously denies that transgender
- identity is real and seeks to eradicate it completely from society."
- We call on the Global Greens to:
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- Immediately condemn the anti-gay legislation, and the threat of the death sentence recently introduced in Uganda, and call on the Ugandan government to immediately reverse this decision
- Create (where they do not already exist) LGBTQIA+ liberation (representative) groups within member parties and federations/states
- Seek to introduce legislation (where elected representatives are able) to enable LGBTQIA+ hate crimes to be prosecuted and recorded specifically
- Commit to challenging homophobia, biphobia, transphobia, and all and any forms of discrimination within the Green movement and around the world
- To uphold the resolution made at <u>2017's global congress</u> to advance LGBTQIA+ rights and commit to continual progress of LGBTQIA+ equality.