



To the presidium of FUEN,
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Hurdegaryp,

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Dear presidium of FUEN, dear fellow combatants,

Already a considerable time we have a question about voting on resolutions during the Assembly of Delegates.

The vote itself is definitely a democratic procedure: the Assembly decides on either adoption or rejection.

On the other hand the establishment of the final text of the proposal that was submitted, is reserved to the presidium. The agenda gives no place for discussion on the text and changes in the proposed text are not possible.

This would be acceptable if the changes were always only of formal editorial nature, but sometimes the submitted concept text is significantly softened.

Neither this softening, nor the reasons for it are mentioned to the Assembly, let alone that it can speak out about the changes.

As clear example we refer to what happened with the resolutions proposed by the Breton delegation at the congress in Pécs.

In our opinion in the case of such changes the submitting delegation should be entitled also to propose its own, original version.

In the end it is the Assembly, which shall decide what it wants to adopt as a resolution.

We therefore propose to alter the procedure on resolutions in this sense.

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