SUMMARY

of the Audit Report on the accounting of funds spent on the 2022 parliamentary election campaign in case of FIDESZ-KDNP, Solution Movement, Our Homeland Movement, Hungarian Two-Tailed Dog Party, National Self-Government of Germans in Hungary

The individual candidates of the FIDESZ-HUNGARIAN CIVIC ALLIANCE-CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S PARTY (FIDESZ-KDNP) did not renounce the utilisation of budget support in favour of their nominating organisation. The budget support for the nominating organisation was properly used by FIDESZ-HUNGARIAN CIVIC ALLIANCE-CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S PARTY to finance the expenses related to the election campaign activities during the election campaign period, which was certified by regular accounting documents. It complied with the limitation on the costs of the election campaign, the total expenses related to the campaign activities did not reach the limit of HUF 5.9 million per candidate during the 2022 parliamentary elections. It conformed with the financing prohibitions regarding illegal funding, and did not accept asset contributions from legal entities, organisations without legal personality, other states, foreign organisations and natural persons who are not Hungarian citizens.

The SOLUTION MOVEMENT did not publish any account about its election campaign, thus did not ensure the transparency of its campaign resources and expenses for constituents, its members and donors. The SOLUTION MOVEMENT utilised the budget support renounced by the individual candidates in favour of the party in a regular manner. The SOLUTION MOVEMENT utilised the budget support for the nominating organisation in a regular manner to finance the expenses related to the election campaign activities during the election campaign period, which was certified by regular accounting documents. It complied with the limitation on the costs of the election campaign, the total expenses related to the campaign activities did not reach the limit of HUF 5.9 million per candidate during the 2022 parliamentary elections. It conformed with the financing prohibitions regarding illegal funding and did not accept asset contributions from legal entities, organisations without legal personality, other states, foreign organisations and natural persons who are not Hungarian citizens.

The individual candidates of the OUR HOMELAND MOVEMENT did not renounce the utilisation of budget support in favour of their nominating organisation. The OUR HOMELAND MOVEMENT utilised the budget support for the nominating organisation in a regular manner to finance the expenses related to the election campaign activities during the election campaign period, which was certified with regular accounting documents. It complied with the limitation on the costs of the election campaign, the total expenses related to the campaign activities did not reach the limit of HUF 5.9 million per candidate during the 2022 parliamentary elections. It conformed with the financing prohibitions regarding illegal funding, and did not accept asset contributions from legal entities, organisations without legal personality, other states, foreign organisations and natural persons who are not Hungarian citizens.

The HUNGARIAN TWO-TAILED DOG PARTY did not spend nearly half of the budget support for the nominating organisation, i.e. about HUF 198.7 million, on campaign tools specified in the Act on the election procedure, but distributed them by tenders to achieve the goals indicated by individuals and organisations. The practice utilised by the HUNGARIAN TWO-TAILED DOG PARTY raises the necessity for revising the legal regulations on the concepts of campaign tool and campaign activities and the need for a clearer definition of them. The HUNGARIAN TWO-TAILED DOG PARTY complied with the limitation on the costs of the election campaign, the total expenses related to the campaign activities did not reach the limit of HUF 5.9 million per candidate during the 2022 parliamentary elections. The HUNGARIAN TWO-TAILED DOG PARTY did not utilise any other funds for its campaign.

The NATIONAL SELF-GOVERNMENT OF GERMANS IN HUNGARY utilised the budget support received on the basis of the nationality list in a regular manner to finance the expenses related to the election campaign activities during the election campaign period, which was certified with regular accounting documents. The limitation on the costs of the election campaign was observed by the NATIONAL SELF-GOVERNMENT OF GERMANS IN HUNGARY.