

MOTION FOR 2026 AGM

Proposed for consideration at the 2026 Members Day and Annual General Meeting of Republic Campaign Association and Republic Campaign Ltd:

That this Annual General Meeting expresses no confidence in the Board of Directors of said company and the Executive Committee of said Association.

This motion reflects the view of the members that the board has:

1. Awarded themselves an undemocratic grip on power by:
 - a. manipulating the constitution and articles to:
 - i) empower any cooperating majority of board members to remove and appoint other members with impunity,
 - ii) reduce board headcount to concentrate said power, and
 - iii) resist and reverse reasonable rules about timing of AGM announcements, motion deadlines, agenda finalisation, and notification of agenda items; and
 - b. preventing the membership as a whole from discussing such issues by keeping them splintered into local groups.
2. Recently abused this power to remove board members with dissenting views and co-opt replacements of the board's choice despite elections being imminent.
3. Shown contempt even for the rules thus engineered by:
 - a. passing changes to said rules at a recent EGM in contravention of said rules, and
 - b. attempting to justify the above by:
 - i) bizarrely declaring the EGM to be the convenement of the 2026 AGM at one week's notice and with no call for motions, and
 - ii) accepting votes in an online system nobody can verify, declaring it equivalent to postal voting, which it patently isn't.
4. Underperformed as regards membership growth and profile, use of funds, public image and failure to curtail the monarchy in any concrete way.

The meeting therefore calls upon the board to:

1. add all members of the Association to a single discussion group whose purpose will be to elect a new Committee and rebuild its constitution from scratch,
2. liquidate the Company, whose purpose is unclear, transferring its funds to the Association, and
3. resign en masse from the Committee.