

Alex Toal recounted the huge, well-organised successful campaign by MVM and its allies in Labour to achieve an overwhelming Conference vote for PR. It now remains to convince MPs, party candidates and the leadership that putting PR in the next GE manifesto is electorally advantageous. RC remarked that a pro-PR position will help Labour garner tactical votes where it needs them.

Seema Syeda updated on current and recent actions of Another Europe is Possible, including a public statement and other news. AEIP is now focussing on the current economic crisis and the need for public awareness of its deep links to the Brexit project. Other key campaign themes include Ukraine, Islamophobia and threats to the environment. AEIP will continue to organise and mobilise against anticipated new anti-democratic threats by the current government.

Other points emerging in Q&A included:

- Labour will shortly need to challenge the severe regressive implications of the Retained EU Law (Revocation & Reform) Bill.
- New findings on broad public support for Freedom of Movement are important and should be disseminated.
- Labour's current proposals for point-based immigration rules are unhelpful in terms of better EU relations.
- There is wide scope for progress in UK-EU relations within the current trade and cooperation agreement – given political will on the UK to pursue this.

The full report of this meeting is available on our webpage:

<https://grassrootsforeurope.org/summary-reports/>

Campaign asks are available in a separate briefing note.

Next Meeting: Round Table #30. Tuesday 1st November at 5pm. "Russia and Brexit: hybrid war and dark influence", with Christopher Steele and Turlough Conway.