



5th Congress of the Federation of African Greens organized by Alliance des Ecologistes Congolais – Les Verts at the Hôtel Léon in Kinshasa, from May 23 to 26, 2024.

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Closing speech by Mr Didace Pembe Bokiaga, President of the AECO Party - The Greens (DRC) and President of the Central African Greens.

Ladies and Gentlemen,
Dear colleagues, dear friends,

It is with immense gratitude and deep appreciation that I stand before you to close the Congress of the Federation of African Ecologists.

These last few days have been a true source of inspiration, marked by rich exchanges, innovative ideas, and unwavering commitment to our continent.

Allow me first of all to thank each of you for your presence and active participation. Your dedication to the ecological cause testifies to the collective strength that drives us and our ability to transform environmental challenges into opportunities for a sustainable future.

We covered many crucial topics during this Congress, including:

1. Climate issues for the Congo Basin;
2. International climate governance, particularly the results of Cop28 in Dubai and issues of Cop29 in Baku;
3. Lessons learned from 30 years of European green policy;
4. The strategy for developing the FEVA strategic plan.

Each of these discussions allowed us to better understand the issues specific to our continent while strengthening our solidarity and our determination to act.

As we prepare to close this conference, let us remember that our mission does not end here. The path to an ecological and sustainable future is long and strewn with pitfalls. But, together, we can overcome all obstacles. Our discussions must be transformed into concrete actions. Our ideas must materialize into tangible projects. Our commitments must translate into lasting change.

I urge you to continue to collaborate, share your knowledge, and support the initiatives that are emerging in your respective regions. Unity is our greatest strength, and together we can create a powerful and effective network for the protection of our environment.

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In conclusion,

1. May this congress be the starting point of a new era of collaboration and ecological action in Africa.
2. May our new management team establish a new way of managing the interests of our Federation in order to deserve the trust and respect of all.
3. May we all leave with a renewed sense of determination and responsibility towards our continent and our planet.

Together, we can and must make a difference.

Thank you all, and see you soon for new concrete actions and shared ecological successes.

Long live our Federation, long live Africa, long live the planet!

Thank you.

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