

**CORIEN WORTMANN ♦ KOOL ELECTED NEW EPP VICE ♦ PRESIDENT**

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**CORIEN WORTMANN – KOOL APPOINTED NEW VICE – PRESIDENT OF THE EPP**

Corien Wortmann-Kool MEP has been elected by an overwhelming majority new Vice- President of the European People's Party (EPP) by the Political Bureau of this organisation.

As Vice-President, Mrs Wortmann-Kool will be in charge of the permanent working group 3 dedicated to promoting, facilitating and incorporating new EPP members, associate members, and observers throughout the continent. When a party is accepted in the EPP, its elected representatives automatically join the EPP-ED Group in the European Parliament, and all other EPP Groups and organisations.

Mrs Wortmann-Kool replaces Mr. Camiel Eurlings, who has been appointed Minister in the new Government of the Netherlands.

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