**Table A.3. Robustness check. Multilevel logistic regression including interactions with party system polarization and disproportionality of the electoral system.**

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|  | **Model 1** | **Model 2** | **Model 3** | **Model 4** |
| Congruence | -0.01 | -0.04 | -0.01 | -0.04 |
|   | (0.04) | (0.04) | (0.04) | (0.04) |
| Change in GDP | -0.01 |   |   | **-0.05\*\*** |
|   | (0.02) |   |   | (0.01) |
| Change in unemployment | **0.17\*\*\*** |  | **0.15\*\*\*** |   |
|   | (0.02) |   | (0.02) |   |
| 2 consecutive years of GDP decline |   | **0.16\*\*** | **0.22\*\*\*** |   |
|   |   | (0.05) | (0.05) |   |
| 2 consecutive years of rising unemployment |   | **0.57\*\*\*** |  | **0.61\*\*\*** |
|   |   | (0.05) |   | (0.05) |
| Congruence X change in GDP | 0.00 |   |   | 0.00 |
|   | (0.00) |   |   | (0.00) |
| Congruence X change in unemployment | **0.02\*** |   | 0.01 |   |
|   | (0.01) |   | (0.01) |   |
| Congruence X 2 years GDP decline |   | 0.02 | 0.02 |   |
|   |   | (0.02) | (0.02) |   |
| Congruence X 2 years rise unemployment |   | **0.10\*\*\*** |  | **0.11\*\*\*** |
|   |   | (0.03) |   | (0.03) |
| Ideological extremism | **0.54\*\*\*** | **0.54\*\*\*** | **0.54\*\*\*** | **0.54\*\*\*** |
|   | (0.03) | (0.03) | (0.03) | (0.03) |
| Congruence X ideological extremism | **0.09\*\*\*** | **0.09\*\*\*** | **0.09\*\*\*** | **0.09\*\*\*** |
|   | (0.02) | (0.02) | (0.02) | (0.02) |
| Polarization | 0.02 | -0.00 | 0.02 | -0.02 |
|   | (0.02) | (0.02) | (0.02) | (0.02) |
| Disproportionality | 0.01 | -0.01 | -0.00 | -0.01 |
|   | (0.01) | (0.01) | (0.01) | (0.01) |
| New democracy | **0.57\*\*\*** | 0.21 | **0.73\*\*\*** | 0.08 |
|   | (0.16) | (0.17) | (0.17) | (0.16) |
| Congruence X Polarization | **0.04\*\*\*** | **0.04\*\*\*** | **0.03\*\*\*** | **0.04\*\*\*** |
|   | (0.01) | (0.01) | (0.01) | (0.01) |
| Congruence X Disproportionality | -0.00 | -0.00 | -0.00 | -0.00 |
|   | (0.00) | (0.00) | (0.00) | (0.00) |
| Age | **0.03\*\*\*** | **0.03\*\*\*** | **0.03\*\*\*** | **0.03\*\*\*** |
|   | (0.00) | (0.00) | (0.00) | (0.00) |
| Gender (male) | **0.04\*** | **0.05\*** | **0.04\*** | **0.05\*** |
|   | (0.02) | (0.02) | (0.02) | (0.02) |
| Education | **0.21\*\*\*** | **0.21\*\*\*** | **0.21\*\*\*** | **0.21\*\*\*** |
|   | (0.01) | (0.01) | (0.01) | (0.01) |
| (Intercept) | -0.53 | -0.29 | **-0.61\*** | -0.21 |
|   | (0.28) | (0.28) | (0.28) | (0.28) |
| AIC | 74538.20 | 74461.34 | 74521.47 | 74459.08 |
| BIC | 74711.16 | 74634.30 | 74694.43 | 74632.04 |
| Log Likelihood | -37251.1 | -37212.67 | -37242.73 | -37211.54 |
| Num. obs. | 110100 | 110100 | 110100 | 110100 |
| Num. groups: country\_nam | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 |
| Num. groups: year | 21 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Var: country\_nam (Intercept) | 1.24 | 1.22 | 1.30 | 1.15 |
| Var: year (Intercept) | 0.43 | 0.41 | 0.39 | 0.46 |
| \*\*\*p < 0.001; \*\*p < 0.01; \*p < 0.05 |