

AMENDMENT FORM

Suggestion for amendment of Article 10: Categories of competence

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Article 10: Categories of competence – paragraph 4

4. The Union shall ~~have competence to~~ define and implement a common foreign and security policy, ~~including the progressive framing of a common defence policy~~ **with the objectives and principles set out in [insert reference to location of objectives and principles in Treaty].**

Explanation (if any) :

To reflect the existing wording of Article 11 TEU. The framing of common defence policy is comprehended within the above wording and is better expanded upon in Article 14.

All aspects of CFSP should more properly be set out in Article 14 and in subsequent Articles dealing with CFSP issues.