

AMENDMENT FORM

Suggestion for amendment of Article : 2

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The Union is founded on the values of respect for human dignity, liberty, democracy, the rule of law and respect for human rights, values which are common to the Member States.

Explanation (if any) :

The Treaty should not conflate values with aims and objectives. The aims of the second sentence in the Praesidium draft would be better suited to the Preamble.

It would be useful to have clarification on the intended meaning of 'solidarity' if it is to remain in the values.