

## AMENDMENT FORM

### Suggestion for amendment of Article : 3

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2. The Union shall work for a Europe of sustainable development based on balanced economic growth and social justice, with a free single market, and **an** economic and monetary union **based on a stable currency and sound public finances. It shall aim at a high level of** ~~aiming at full~~ employment and generating high levels of competitiveness and living standards. It shall promote economic and social cohesion, equality between women and men, and environmental and social protection, and shall develop scientific and technological advance ~~including the discovery of space~~. It shall encourage solidarity between generations and between States, and equal opportunities for all

4. In defending Europe's ~~independence and~~ interests, the Union shall seek to advance its values in the wider world **through joint external actions, in particular common foreign and security policy based on solidarity and mutual loyalty**. It shall contribute to the sustainable development of the earth, solidarity and mutual respect among peoples, eradication of poverty and protection of ~~children's~~ **human** rights, strict observance of internationally accepted legal commitments, and peace between States .

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### Explanation (if any) :

*The amendments follow the EPP proposals.*

*I suggest deleting the « discovery of space » as too detailed to be included in the Constitution.*

*I suggest deleting the word “independence” as too strong. It is obvious, that in Europe's interests stays being independent in its policy.*