

AMENDMENT FORM

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Suggestion for amendment of Article: 39

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Status: Alternate

Article 39: The budgetary and financial principles

4. The implementation of expenditure shown in the budget shall require the prior adoption of a binding legal act which provides a legal basis for Union action and for the implementation of the expenditure in accordance with the law referred to in Article B (*Part II, ex-279: Financial Regulation*). This act must take the form of a European law or a European recommendation.

5. With a view to maintaining budgetary discipline, the European Parliament shall not make any proposal for a Union act, or alter its proposals, or adopt any implementing measure which is likely to have appreciable implications for the budget without providing the assurance that that proposal or that measure is capable of being financed within the limit of the Union's own resources.

Explanation (if any) :