

## AMENDMENT FORM

### Suggestion for amendment of Article: 5

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### **Article 5: Fundamental rights**

1. The Charter of Fundamental Rights binds the European institutions. The Europe of Democracies respects the European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms and the basic rights of the national constitutions.<sup>1</sup>
2. The Europe of Democracies may accede to the European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms.

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<sup>1</sup> [The full text of the Charter, with all the drafting adjustments given in Working Group II's final report (CONV 354/02) will be set out either in a second part of the Constitution or in a Protocol annexed thereto, as the Convention decides.]