

AMENDMENT FORM

Suggestion for amendment of Article : Article III-37 (ex Article 27)

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Status : - Alternate

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In carrying out the tasks entrusted to it under [this Subsection] the Commission shall be guided by:

- (a) the need to promote trade between Member States and third countries;
 - (b) developments in conditions of competition within the Union insofar as they lead to an improvement in the competitive capacity of undertakings;
 - (c) the requirements of the Union as regards the supply of raw materials and semi-finished goods; in this connection the Commission shall take care to avoid distorting conditions of competition between Member States in respect of finished goods;
 - (d) the need to avoid serious disturbances in the economies of Member States and to ensure rational and *sustainable* development of production and *an appropriate* level of consumption within the Union.
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Explanation (if any) :

To work towards sustainable development, which is one of the Union's objective.