

AMENDMENT FORM

Suggestion for amendment of Article : III-85a

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1. In order to ensure that economic and monetary union works properly, and in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Constitution, supplementary measures specific to those Member States which are members of the Eurozone may be adopted, to strengthen the coordination of their economic policies and budgetary discipline. These measures shall concern economic policy guidelines and surveillance of them [Article III-68(2) and (4)] and excessive deficits [Article III-73(6), (7), (8) and (11)].

2. For those measures set out in paragraph 1, only Member States which are part of the Eurozone shall vote. A qualified majority shall be defined as the majority of the votes of the representatives of the Member States which are part of the Eurozone, representing at least three fifths of their population. Unanimity of those Member States shall be required for an act requiring unanimity.

The European Parliament has access to all documents on which such decisions are based and must be kept informed, on a regularly basis, on the discussions and decisions.

Explanation if any :

Decisions taken by members of the Eurozone affect the Union as a whole. Therefore timely information of Parliament is necessary.