

AMENDMENT FORM

**Suggestion for amendment of Article : 8**

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**Article 8: [Right of initiative]**

The acts referred to in Chapters 3 and 4 of this Title shall be adopted on a proposal from the Commission *acting either on its own initiative* or on the initiative of a quarter of the Member States.

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**Explanation:**

*Whoever takes the political initiative, the legislative initiative must come from the Commission alone in order to ensure coherence and purposefulness.*