

AMENDMENT FORM

Suggestion for amendment of Article : 154 (ex Article 2), part III of the Constitution

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~~Article III-154 (ex Article 2)~~

~~The European Council shall define the strategic guidelines for legislative and operational planning within the area of freedom, security and justice.~~

Explanation (if any) :

The over-arching aim of the reform is to achieve as high a degree of clarity, simplicity and consistency as possible. Among other things, this means that any derogation from general rules and principles must always be well-founded. As no sufficient grounds have been put forward for the introduction of a separate provision on the role of the European Council within Title IV, the proposed draft Article III-154 should be deleted.