

AMENDMENT FORM

Part III - title III - Chapter III:

Suggestion for amendment of Article : III-192

By Members: Mr Giuliano Amato, Mr Elmar Brok and Mr Andrew Duff

Article III-192 (ex Article 5)

1. The Union Minister for Foreign Affairs, who shall chair the Council of Ministers for Foreign Affairs, shall contribute through his proposals towards the preparation of the common foreign and security policy and shall ensure implementation of the European decisions adopted by the European Council and the Council of Ministers.
 2. For matters relating to the common foreign and security policy, the Union shall be represented by the Union Minister for Foreign Affairs. He shall conduct political dialogue on the Union's behalf and shall express the Union's position in international organisations and at international conferences.
 3. In fulfilling his mandate *under Article I-27*, the Union Minister for Foreign Affairs shall be assisted by ~~a~~ **the** European External Action Service *which shall be established in accordance with Article III-251 and III-300*. This service shall work in cooperation with the diplomatic services of the Member States¹.
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Explanation:

¹ See the Declaration on the creation of a European External Action Service in Annex III.