

## AMENDMENT FORM

**Suggestion for amendment of Article : Article X**

**Suggestion for protocol :**

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### **Article X (implementation of the solidarity clause)**

1. On the basis of a joint proposal by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and the Commission, the Council shall adopt acts defining a framework for the implementation of the solidarity clause referred to in Article X of Part One. These acts shall be adopted in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Constitution.
  2. Should a Member State fall victim to a terrorist attack, the Union and the other Member States shall assist it at the request of its political authorities the Member State concerned. To that end, the Member States shall coordinate between themselves in the Council.
  3. For the purposes of this Article, the Council shall be assisted by the Political and Security Committee and by the Standing Committee on Internal Security, which shall, if necessary, submit joint opinions.
  4. The European Council shall regularly assess the threats facing the Union, on the basis of a report from the Commission, in order to enable the Union to take effective action.
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### **Explanation (if any) :**

Explanation X(2): It is not necessary to refer to the political authorities empowered in the Member States to present the request.