

**AMENDMENT FORM**

**Suggestion for amendment of: Article 12**

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**Aim:**

In the list of paragraph four, add the term "Common Foreign and Security Policy".  
(Consequently, abolish Article 14)

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**Explanation :**

**Article 14 mentions the common foreign and security policy as a competence separate from the three-pronged division established in Articles 11, 12 and 15. The functions involved in CFSP are of a basically executive nature and thus also in this respect distinct from the others, which are mainly of a legislative nature. However, it would be more appropriate to include the CFSP among the shared competences listed in Article 12, even if it would involve the application of specific procedures. With the current formulation, there is the risk of leaving a three-pillared architecture in place exclusively for foreign policy.**