

AMENDMENT FORM

Suggestion for amendment of Article : 16 a (1)

Suggestion for protocol :

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Status : - Member

The European Council shall elect its President, by qualified majority, for a term of two and a half years. ~~renewable once.~~ The person elected must be, ~~or have been for at least two years,~~ a member of the European Council. In cases of serious malpractice, the European Council can end his mandate according to the same procedure.

On issues concerning its common foreign and security policy he shall ensure that the Union at his level is effectively represented in the wider world.

Explanation:

The President should a member of the European Council and be elected for a maximum period of two and a half years.

Explanation (if any) :