

AMENDMENT FORM

Suggestion for amendment of Article III-3: Services of general economic interest

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Article III-3 (ex Article 16)

~~Without prejudice to [Articles III-52, III-53 and III-131 (ex-73, 86 and 87)], and given the place occupied by services of general economic interest as services to which all in the Union attribute value as well as their role in promoting social and territorial cohesion, the Union and the Member States, each within their respective powers and within the scope of application of the Constitution, shall take care that such services operate on the basis of principles and conditions which enable them to fulfil their missions.~~

Explanation:

Article III-3 is unnecessary. Articles III-52, 53 and 131 provides enough room for aid having a social character and aid to promote culture and heritage conservation, for instance.