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Consolidated version of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union

## PART ONE

## **PRINCIPLES**

## TITLE II

## PROVISIONS HAVING GENERAL APPLICATION

Article 7

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