The principle of subsidiarity is fundamental to the functioning of the European Union, and more specifically to EU decision-making. In particular, it aims to ensure that decisions are taken as closely as possible to the citizen and by the power level acting more efficiently in a particular subject. However, subsidiarity is not strictly European related: neighbouring countries, as Ukraine, have recently introduced the principle within their constitutions. Will Constitutional reforms enable the establishment of a modern municipal government in accordance with the principles and the spirit of the European Charter of Local Self-Government?
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