

Academic Paper: CETA will Prevent Implement Of EU's Precautionary Principle

This academic paper researches whether the CETA provisions and the Joint Interpretation Instrument are “sufficient to ensure that the EU and its Member States can implement the precautionary principle laid down in the EU constitutional legal order in the form of a treaty provision (article 191 para 2 TFEU), [in] numerous directives and [in] regulations and [in] the case law of the CJEU [teh EU court]?”

This peer-reviewed academic research paper states clearly: "that is not the case." The authors also add that, "The word 'precaution' does not appear in CETA".

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For more: See the paper's section: '4.3.2 CETA and the Precautionary Principle' which is available as a snippet via Google Books: <https://books.google.ie/books?id=S6kWEAAAQBAJ&pg=PA85&pg=PA85&dq=DOUMA+4.3.2+CETA+and+the+Precautionary+Principle&source=bl&ots=TJJomF1-c&sig=ACfU3U29hSNbTtDZ4mC6eN5f8duD-HaBvw&hl=en&sa=X&ved=2ahUKEwiU6cf--t3yAhUKCsAKHQjPCooQ6AF6BAgdEAM#v=onepage&q=DOUMA%204.3.2%20CETA%20and%20the%20Precautionary%20Principle&f=false>

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