



REASONS WHY AN ADVISORY REFERENDUM ON VENETIAN INDEPENDENCE AND THE SUBSEQUENT DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE IS ADMISSIBLE

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The adverse opinion given by the Legal Department of Veneto's Regional Council regarding the possibility of having an advisory referendum on independence deserves a reply in order to clarify its lack of foundations.