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EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT SPECIAL SESSION
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1. FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE RESOLUTION OF THE PARLIAMENT ON THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL ADOPTED BY THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT ON 30 JUNE BY 114 VOTES IN FAVOUR, 17 AGAINST:

THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT HAVING REGARD TO THE CONCLUSIONS OF THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL MEETING IN STUTTGART FROM 17 TO 19 JUNE 1983,

1. DEEPLY REGRETS THE FAILURE OF THE STUTTGART SUMMIT TO MAKE PROGRESS IN THE SEARCH FOR MEANINGFUL SOLUTIONS TO THE CRISIS NOW FACING THE PEOPLES OF EUROPE AND THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY; IN PARTICULAR IT DEPLORES THE FAILURE TO AGREE ON ANY POSITIVE ACTION TO HELP THE 12 MILLION UNEMPLOYED IN EUROPE AND THE YOUNG PEOPLE WHOSE HOPES FOR THE FUTURE HAVE BEEN BLIGHTED;
2. STRESSES THAT NEGOTIATIONS ON THE MAJOR PROBLEMS FACING THE COMMUNITY WILL BE INITIATED BY URGENT PROCEDURE AT INSTITUTIONAL LEVEL, A COURSE WHICH, UNLIKE SIMPLE INTER-GOVERNMENTAL NEGOTIATIONS, MAY PAVE THE WAY FOR A REVIVAL OF EUROPE;
3. CALLS FOR THE JOINT RESOLUTION, WITHIN THE PROPOSED TIMETABLE OF 5/6 DECEMBER 1983, OF THE PROBLEMS OF NEW COMMUNITY RESOURCES, THE DEVELOPMENT OF NEW POLICIES, THE REFORM OF THE COMMON AGRICULTURAL POLICY UNDER ARTICLE 39 OF THE TREATY, AND THE PROBLEM OF EQUITY AND SOLIDARITY IN THE CONTRIBUTION OF ALL THE PEOPLES TO THE FINANCING OF COMMUNITY POLICIES; IN PARTICULAR THE PROBLEM OF THE COMPENSATION TO THE UNITED KINGDOM FOR 1983 SHOULD BE CONSIDERED IN THE CONTEXT OF THE COUNCIL'S DECLARATION ON THE FUTURE FINANCING OF THE COMMUNITY;
4. NOTES THE SOLEMN DECLARATION ON EUROPEAN UNION AND IN PARTICULAR THE PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE ROLE OF PARLIAMENT, BUT REGRETS THAT THE COUNCIL'S PROPOSALS DO NOT FULLY COMPLY WITH THE WISHES EXPRESSED ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS BY PARLIAMENT, IN PARTICULAR IN ITS RESOLUTION OF 12 APRIL 1983;

5. REITERATES ITS DESIRE TO EXTEND PARLIAMENT'S INFLUENCE AND POWERS ON THE BASIS OF THE INTER-INSTITUTIONAL RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED IN 1980, '81 AND '82 AND ITS RESOLUTION OF 6 JULY 1982 ON EUROPEAN UNION:
- 6 STRESSES THE ASPECTS OF THE DECLARATION REFERRING TO THE INTERNAL MARKET AND INSISTS IN PARTICULAR THAT PRIORITY BE GIVEN TO THE REALIZATION OF THIS MARKET:
7. INSTRUCTS ITS PRESIDENT TO FORWARD THIS RESOLUTION TO THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES AND THE COMMISSION.

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EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT SPECIAL SESSION

1. GENSCHER OPENED THE TWO-DAY SPECIAL SESSION ON THE OUTCOME OF THE STUTTGART EUROPEAN COUNCIL AND THE GERMAN PRESIDENCY WITH AN UNREMARKABLE SPEECH ON THE PRESIDENCY. VARFIS ATTENDED FOR THE GREEK PRESIDENCY. KOHL WILL SPEAK TOMORROW ABOUT THE EUROPEAN COUNCIL.

2. THORN FOLLOWED GENSCHER WITH A MORE INTERESTING STATEMENT, DESIGNED TO ALLY THE COMMISSION WITH THE PARLIAMENT IN THE FOLLOW-UP TO STUTTGART. THE PARLIAMENT GAVE HIM A CONSIDERABLY BETTER RECEPTION THAN USUAL.

3. ON THE DECISION ON THE UK REFUND FOR 1983, THORN SAID THAT THERE MUST BE NO MORE INTERIM SOLUTIONS OTHER THAN IN THE CONTEXT OF THE LONG-TERM ARRANGEMENT. DISAGREEMENT ON THE REFUND TO THE UK - WHICH HAD BEEN PROMISED IN MARCH - WOULD HAVE LED TO A CRISIS OF CONFIDENCE. NINE MEMBER STATES HAD AGREED TO GRANT COMPENSATION TO THE TENTH FOR A SITUATION WHICH THEY ALL AGREED TO BE UNACCEPTABLE AND IN THE KNOWLEDGE THAT DISAGREEMENT WOULD LEAD TO CRISIS. HOWEVER THE AGREEMENT ON COMPENSATION OF 750 MECU NET WAS:

- (A) IN THE CONTEXT OF THE ADOPTION OF A DECLARATION ON THE FINANCING OF THE COMMUNITY AND
- (B) COVERED ONLY 1983

4. DEBATE ON THE STATEMENTS WILL BE TOMORROW. THE POLITICAL GROUPS ARE TABLING DRAFTS FOR A SINGLE RESOLUTION TO VOTED UPON TOMORROW, AND DESIGNED TO PROVIDE A COMMENT BY THE PARLIAMENT ON THE OUTCOME OF STUTTGART.

5. TEXTS OF THE SPEECHES BY BAG TO ECD(1) AND UKREP.

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