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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by

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on behalf of the Socialist Group

pursuant to Rule 25 of the Rules of Procedure

on the ~~situation~~ situation in Nicaragua

The European Parliament,

- deeply disturbed by the political situation in Nicaragua where a civil war is raging,
- 1. Condemns the dictatorial regime of President Somoza;
- 2. Calls for the establishment of a democratic system in which respect for fundamental liberties and the rights of man will be ensured;
- 3. Gives its resolute support to the Sandinist Front as the authentic representative of the forces of democracy;
- 4. Accordingly, calls upon all the Governments
 - to freeze their diplomatic relations with the present regime,
 - to recognize the provisional Sandinist Government,
 - to suspend all economic, financial and military aid to the present regime;
- 5. Calls upon the Commission and the Member States to take a decision to grant food, medical and more generally humanitarian aid to the provisional Government and to the refugees;
- 6. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Commission and Council and the Governments of the Member States.