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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by

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Mr DAMETZ, Mrs DE MARCH, Mr DENIS, Mr FERNANDEZ,
Mr FRISCHMANN, Mr GREMETZ, Mrs HOFFMANN, Mrs LE ROUX,
Mr MAFFRE-BAUGE, Mr Maurice MARTIN, Mr PIQUET,
Mrs POIRIER, Mr PRANCHERE, Mr VERGES and Mr WURTZ

with request for an early vote

pursuant to Rule 47(5) of the Rules of Procedure

to wind up the debate on oral question Doc. 1-300/79

on Community armaments procurement programmes within
the framework of industrial policy

The Assembly of the European Communities,

- whereas matters of defence do not under any circumstances fall within the European Community's terms of reference,

- whereas national defence must remain the exclusive responsibility of the national parliament of each Member State of the EEC.

1. Disclaims the right, therefore, to place on its agenda any matter relating to defence;
2. Considers it unacceptable for the Commission to deal in any way - including the joint production of armaments - with questions of defence;
3. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and Commission and to the Governments of the Member States.