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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by

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with request for urgent debate pursuant to Rule 14 of the Rules of Procedure

on emergency aid to Nicaragua

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#### The European Parliament,

- having regard to the serious situation in Nicaragua, where 300 tonnes of food supplies are needed every day to prevent people dying from starvation,

- whereas, if this situation is not alleviated, it could seriously disrupt the climate of national unity,
- Requests the Council and Commission, as an emergency and exceptional measure, to send food supplies from Community stocks, in particular, corn, butteroil and powdered milk;
- 2. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and Commission.

### REASONS SUPPORTING REQUEST FOR URGENT DEBATE

It is important to debate this motion for a resolution at the present part-session in view of the serious food situation in Nicaragua and of the need for the European Parliament to state its position as soon as possible.