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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mrs SCAMARONI

pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on the organization during this year of a European Day  
of the Sea

PE 85.950

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the Vié report on the Law of the Sea (Doc. 1-793/82),
  - having regard to the motion for a resolution tabled by Mr Seeler and Mr Glinne on the signing of the Final Act of the Conference on the Law of the Sea by the European Community (Doc. 1-417/83),
  - having regard to the draft report by Mr Kaloyannis on the creation of a European Foundation for Safety at Sea (PE 81.377/rev.),
  - A - having regard to Europe's orientation towards the sea and the lengthening of its seaboard consequent upon its enlargement to include Spain and Portugal,
  - B - having regard to the need to increase protection of the oceans and to improve controls on their exploitation,
  - C - having regard to the many and varied problems connected with the marine environment,
  - D - having regard to the difficult situation facing undertakings in the European shipbuilding industry,
  - E - anxious to guarantee and even increase employment in those undertakings,
  - F - having regard to the importance of independent ports in the total volume of international trade,
  - G - wishing to achieve better coordination at European level in fields of research, exploitation and management of coastal areas,
  - H - welcoming the continuing development of leisure activities and its positive impact on employment,
  - I - underlining the need for an overall policy to be formulated in respect of the sea,
1. Calls for the organization of a European Day of the Sea;
  2. Proposes that this event be subsidized to a small extent by the Community budget, the main expenditure being borne by public and private organizations.