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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mr ISRAEL, Mr GAUTHIER and Mr MOUCHEL

pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on German internal trade

The European Parliament,

- A. having regard to the inadequacy of the information at its disposal on the repercussions of German internal trade on the Community market, more particularly on the problem of identifying products of East German origin re-exported to Community countries,
- B. having regard to the lack of legal rigour surrounding German internal trade fostered by the differences in interpretation among the Member States,
  - 1. Calls urgently on the Commission to conduct an inquiry in the Member States on their legal definition of German internal trade and of the right of re-exportation to other EEC countries for East German products conveyed in transit through the Federal Republic of Germany;
  - 2. Calls urgently on the Commission to conduct an inquiry into the individual product measures which have been or could be adopted by each Member State pursuant to Article 3 of the Protocol of 25 March 1957 on German internal trade, in order to prevent and combat fraudulent trade, and in particular into measures which would make it possible to identify and trade products of East German origin, especially agricultural produce, which were re-exported.