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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mr de la MALENE on behalf of the Group of European Progressive Democrats

pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on safeguarding the production of zinc in France

THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT,

- A. wishing to safeguard the production of zinc in Europe,
- B. aware of the need for continuity in the efforts to reduce unemployment effectively,
- C. wishing to take an approach which is realistic and hence inspires confidence,
- D. aware of the desirability of regional balance and of safeguarding regions in decline and sectors at risk,
- E. deeply disturbed by the crisis facing the Vieille Montagne factory at Viviez,
- 1. Calls on the Commission of the European Communities to give urgent attention to the problem raised by the production of zinc in Europe, and in France in particular, with special reference to the difficult situation of the Vieille Montagne factory at Viviez;
- 2. Calls for the mobilization of all the resources of the Regional Fund and the European Investment Bank to safeguard the production of zinc in the Aveyron region;
- 3. Hopes that the necessary conversion measures will ultimately be taken with the assistance of the European Social Fund;
- 4. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Commission of the European Communities.