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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mr TRAVAGLINI, Mr DIANA, Mr COLLESELLI, Mr COSTANZO and Mr STELLA

pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on the wine sector

## The European Parliament,

- A. whereas it has not yet been possible to introduce an appropriate policy for the rationalization and development of the wine sector and whereas, however, reforms of the common organizatin of the market continue to be adopted from time to time,
- B. whereas even the most recent amendment to the basic regulations<sup>1</sup> leaves unsolved serious problems such as the improvement of quality, the growth of exports, the control of imports from third countries, the reduction of customs duty, the speeding-up of the implementation of structural measures and the strengthening of anti-fraud checks,
- C. whereas in spite of the fact that these problems are bound inevitably to worsen with the future accession of Spain, the Commission and the Council still seem to believe that the problems of enlargement can be resolved merely by enforcing compulsory preventive distillation,
- D. whereas only a very small proportion of the measures which were requested<sup>2</sup> long ago to restore equilibrium in this sector have been carried out,
- Calls upon the Commission speedily to submit a report on the policy which it intends to follow in connection with the work on the Community patrimony in the wine sector;
- Requests the Commission and the Council to give positive and careful attention to all the measures to restore the equilibrium of the wine sector proposed and adopted by a large majority in the above-mentioned resolution of 7 July 1982.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Regulation (EEC) No. 2144/82 of 27 July 1982, 0J No. L227, p.1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Colleselli report of 7 July 1982, Doc. 1-412/82, OJ No. C238, p.87