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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

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pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on aid for the reconstruction of Tahiti and French Polynesia
following devastation by several cyclones

PE 85.672

The European Parliament,

- A. whereas Tahiti and French Polynesia have been devastated by several powerful cyclones, which destroyed thousands of lightly built homes, roads, ports and industrial infrastructure and damaged local agriculture,
- B. whereas French Polynesia is an integral part of the territory of a Member State of the Community and closely depends on that State for its development,
- C. having regard to the very slim resources of French Polynesia,
 - 1. Approves the principle of granting a substantial amount of Community aid for the reconstruction of French Polynesia.
 - 2. Calls on the Commission to submit within three months a special programme to aid the reconstruction of Polynesia as part of its programme to promote development.
 - 3. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Commission, the Council and the governments of the French Republic and of the other Member States of the Community.