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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

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on the expulsion and banishment of democratic

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opposition leaders in Chile

The European Parliament

- alarmed at the expulsion of the former Minister of Justice, internationally respected lawyer and chairman of the Chilean Human Rights Commission, Jaime Castillo,
- concerned at the use of arbitrary expulsion of opponents of the regime to silence democratic opposition in Chile, another victim of such treatment being the chairman of the Christian Democratic Party of Chile, Andrés Zaldivar,
- convinced that to take such measures is to play into the hands of political extremists,
- 1. Calls on the Chilean Government,
 - (a) to allow Jaime Castillo, Andrés Zaldivar and other expelled persons to return home forthwith,
 - (b) to put an immediate end to expulsions of political opponents;
- Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, the Commission, the Foreign Ministers meeting in political cooperation and the Governments of the Member States.