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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

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with request for urgent debate pursuant to Rule 14
of the Rules of Procedure

on Community aid to the areas in southern Italy
stricken by earthquake

THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT,

- having regard to the enormous amount of damage which the earthquake of 23 November caused to parts of southern Italy with grave loss of human life and destruction of towns, villages and homes,
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 - confirming its wish that the European Community should give practical expression to its solidarity with the victims of natural disasters,
 - having regard to the 1980 budget and in particular Chapter 59 thereof which contains appropriations for emergency aid to disaster victims in the Community,
1. Expresses its solidarity with those affected by the disaster;
 2. Calls on the Commission and Council as a matter of urgency to provide assistance for the victims of the disaster and to ensure that such assistance is sent and used with all possible speed;
 3. Asks the Commission to plan and put into effect a system of aid designed to contribute effectively to the economic recovery of the regions affected by the earthquake;
 4. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, to the Commission, to the Italian Government and to the Regional Councils of the stricken areas.

Justification:

Urgent procedure is justified by the content of the resolution.