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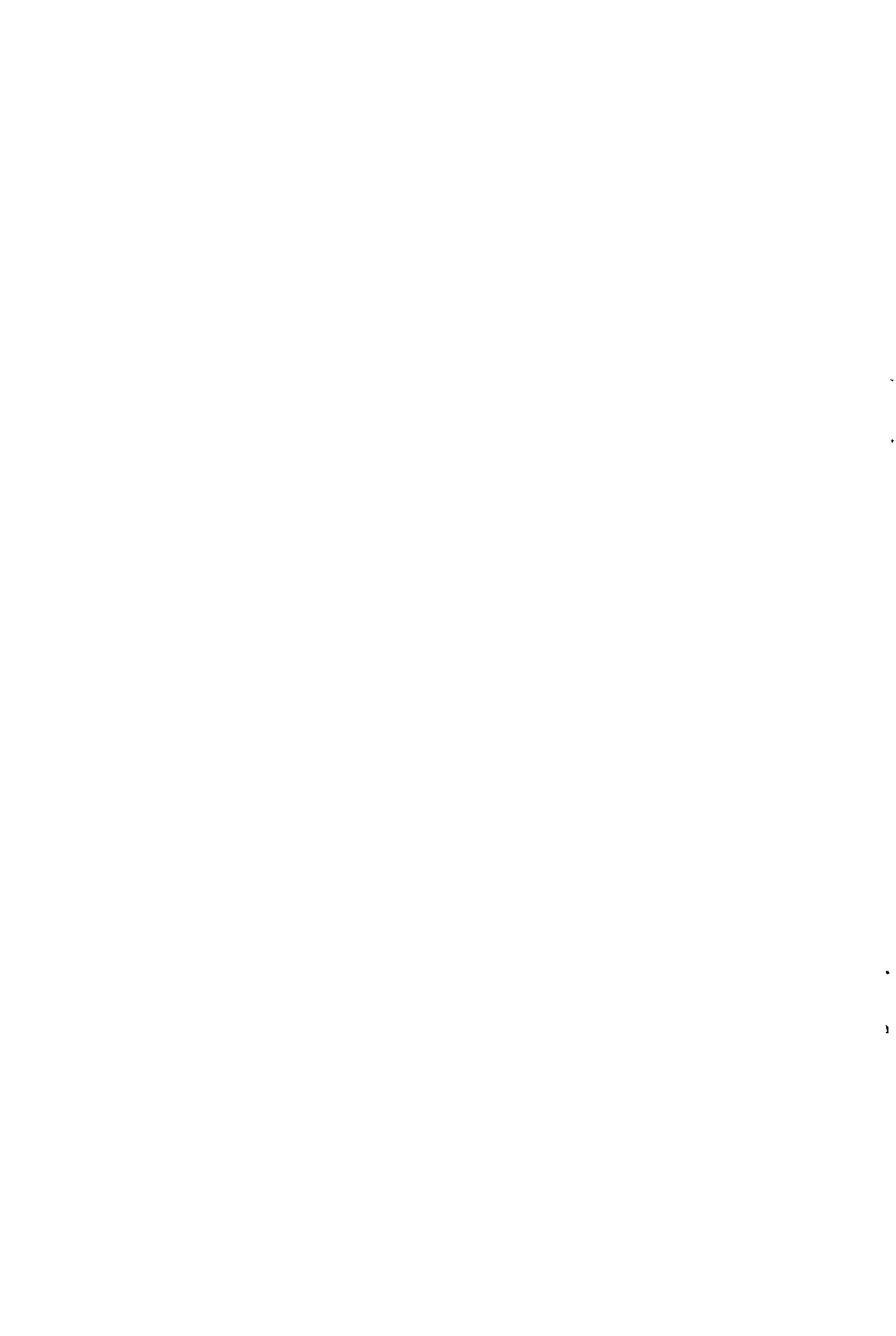
drawn up on behalf of the Committee on External
Economic Relations

on the recommendations from the Commission of the
European Communities to the Council (Doc. 496/74)
for /

- a regulation concluding an agreement extending
the association agreement between the European
Economic Community and the Tunisian Republic
- a regulation concluding an agreement extending
the association agreement between the European
Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco

Rapporteur: Mr G. Kaspereit

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By letter of 14 February 1975 the President of the Council of the European Communities requested the European Parliament to deliver an opinion on the proposals from the Commission of the European Communities to the Council for a recommendation for

- a regulation concluding an agreement extending the association agreement between the European Economic Community and the Tunisian Republic

and a recommendation for

- a regulation concluding an agreement extending the association agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco

On 14 February 1975 the President of the European Parliament referred these proposals to the Committee on External Economic Relations as the committee responsible and to the Political Affairs Committee for its opinion.

On 5 November 1974 the Committee on External Economic Relations appointed Mr Kaspereit rapporteur and at the same meeting unanimously adopted the motion for a resolution and the explanatory statement.

Present: Mr de la Malène, chairman; Mr Boano and Mr Thomsen, vice-chairmen; Mr Kaspereit, rapporteur; Mr Baas, Mr Brégère, Mr Cousté, Mr D'Angelosante, Mr De Clercq, Mr Dunne, Mr De Koning, Mr Lange, Mr Maigaard, Mr Pintat, Mr Radoux, Mr Rivierez, Lord St. Oswald, Mr Sandri.

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A

The Committee on External Economic Relations hereby submits to the European Parliament the following motion for a resolution, together with explanatory statement:

MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

embodying the opinion of the European Parliament on the recommendations from the Commission of the European Communities to the Council for

- a regulation concluding an agreement extending the association agreement between the European Economic Community and the Tunisian Republic
- a regulation concluding an agreement extending the association agreement between the European Economic Community and the Kingdom of Morocco

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the proposal from the Commission of the European Communities to the Council (COM(74) 1480/final);
 - having been consulted by the Council pursuant to Article 238 of the Treaty establishing the EEC (Doc. 496/74);
 - having regard to the report of the Committee on External Economic Relations (Doc. 497/74);
1. Approves the Commission's recommendations for regulations;
 2. Instructs its President to forward this resolution and the report of its committee to the Council and Commission of the European Communities

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

1. Since the agreements establishing an association between the European Economic Community and the Tunisian Republic and the Kingdom of Morocco expired on 31 August 1974, the contracting parties have decided, pending negotiation of a new, broader-based agreement, to extend the existing agreement until the entry into force of a new agreement. The extension of the present agreements shall expire not later than 31 August 1975.

2. Since this is simply an extension of the agreements, it is the committee's opinion that the Commission's proposal should be accepted.