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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mr PEARCE

pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on delays in consulting Parliament or in acting on  
propositions for which an opinion has been given by  
Parliament

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The European Parliament,

1. Considers that the President of Parliament should automatically put on Parliament's agenda proposals for regulations or directives sent by the Commission of the European Communities to the Council of Ministers which have either:
  - (a) not been sent to Parliament, in the normal way of consultation, within 12 months of their being sent by the Commission to the Council,
  - (b) not been approved (with or without amendment) by the Council within 12 months of Parliament's opinion being given;
2. Considers that the President-in-Office of the Council of Ministers should be invited to participate in such debates;
3. Considers that the President of Parliament may however postpone operation of this procedure for up to 12 months if he considers the matter to be of minor importance.