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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

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pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on the situation in Lebanon

The European Parliament,

- A - greatly concerned at the worsening situation in Lebanon, where the confused fighting and bloodshed create danger on every side,
- B - recalling the guidelines issued by the Foreign Ministers of the Community meeting in political cooperation and the agreements between Lebanon and Israel,
- C - emphasizing that for some time initiatives have been under way in the region with the aim of securing peace which is shared by those who are most closely involved in the situation and by most countries of the world that would like to see a free Lebanon rid of outside interference,
- (1) Deplores the situation which has developed in Lebanon and calls on Syria, the Soviet military experts and any others who are improperly involved in the dramatic events taking place in the area to suspend all military action which may lead to loss of life among the civilian population;
 - (2) Requests that support be given to President Jemayel's efforts to restore peace and calm in Lebanon;
 - (3) Thanks the multinational force for the sacrifices it is making to provide help to the people and bring about progress towards a peaceful solution;
 - (4) Invites the Governments of the Member States of the Community to take appropriate political steps to restore peace to the entire region, in cooperation with the United Nations, in order to reach a peaceful settlement of the grave problems of the region which are having disturbing repercussions throughout the world;
 - (5) Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the European Council, the Council of Ministers, the Ministers of State of the EEC meeting in political cooperation, the Commission and the United Nations.