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with debate, pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure,

by Mrs GOUTMANN and Mr MARRAS, on behalf of the Communist Group,

to the Commission of the European Communities

Subject: Measures by the Commission concerning migrants

Noting that the last meeting of the Council of Social Affairs Ministers adopted an action programme on migrants - by means, however, of a resolution, which is apparently not binding on the Community institutions - we deplore the serious consequences for migrant workers of the economic and social crisis in the Community labour market, as revealed by the latest figures issued by the Commission.

In Germany alone the number of foreign workers has dropped by over half a million (almost 20%) in the last two years.

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It is common knowledge that, at the Brussels Tripartite Conference, the emigrant workers' representative organizations presented a document containing a range of measures designed to protect the jobs of workers abroad.

## We wish to ask the Commission:

- 1. To what extent does it intend to take these proposals into account in drawing up the document requested by the Rome Summit in preparation for the Second Tripartite Conference announced by the Paris Summit?
- 2. Does the Commission feel that the time has come to submit the draft statute for migrant workers, which it undertook to present by 31 March 1975?
- 3. When does it intend to organize the Conference of migrant workers' representative organizations (trade unions, associations, etc.) following the request by the European Parliament (see resolution tabled by Mr Albers in October 1975)?