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The European Parliament,

- having regard to the UN Charter of Human Rights;
- deeply disturbed by the military coup d'état in Chile which led to the death of President Allende and many of his countrymen, and seriously concerned by current developments;
- recalling its friendly and constructive ties with the Latin-American Parliament, in which the freely elected representatives of the Chilian Parliament now subjected to a military dictatorship also had their seats;
- condemning all action which interferes with the legitimate constitution based on free democratic elections;
- condemning all violations of the basic rights and fundamental freedoms of man, in particular torture, imprisonment, persecution and execution on political grounds;
- expressing its wholehearted support for those in Chile striving to restore constitutional democracy;
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 - a rapid return to democratic government and basic human rights and freedoms in Chile,
 - an immediate stop to the military regime's repressive measures against the people of Chile,
 - consideration of practical measures that could be taken by the Community to restore a democratic and constitutional government;
- 2. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and Commission of the European Communities and to the Governments of the Member States.

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