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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mr D. CURRY

on behalf of the European Democratic Group

pursuant to Rule 25 of the Rules of Procedure
on the/fisheries policy

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the continuing difficulties of the Commission and the Council in reaching an agreement acceptable to all Member States on the future of Community arrangements for its fishing industry,
- 1. believes it essential for the preservation of the fish stocks on which the livelihood of Europe's fishing community depends, that a comprehensive conservation policy based on scientific rather than political criteria should be established as soon as possible;
- 2. calls on the Commission to draw up new proposals for 1980 in close consultation with the European Parliament;
- 3. calls for new initiatives in the search for a settlement which take fair account of the legitimate needs and aspirations of all of Europe's fishing community;
- 4. instructs its President to forward this Resolution to the Presidents of the Commission and Council.