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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mrs DUPORT, on behalf of the Socialist Group

with request for topical and urgent debate
pursuant to Rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure

on the consequences of the drought in Isère (France)

PE 86.330
Or. Fr.

The European Parliament,

- A. having regard to the catastrophic situation confronting farmers in the French Department of Isere as a result of the unprecedented drought in the months of July and August 1983,
- B. whereas the first figures available for the harvest are alarming :
 - drop of 30% in the wheat harvest
 - 42% in the barley harvest
 - 10% in the colza harvest
 - 50% in the maize harvest
- C. whereas 71% of the farms in this department are less than 20 hectares in size and 45% less than 10 hectares,
 - 1. Calls upon the Commission to make available to the farmers concerned aid to supplement national and local aids;
 - 2. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Commission and Council.