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PROPOSITION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mrs VAN HEIMELDONCK

pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on the age of majority

The European Parliament,

- noting that the national legislation of the Member States lays down when a subject becomes of age under civil and labour law,
  - noting that there are significant differences between the Member States on this issue,
  - whereas, with a view to further European integration, efforts should be made to harmonize the various legal provisions in this field,
1. Calls for the age of majority under civil and labour law to be fixed at 18;
  2. Calls on the Member States to harmonize their legislation on this basis as quickly as possible;
  3. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, the Commission and the governments and parliaments of the Member States.