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ORAL QUESTION (0-1/79)

with debate pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure by Mr PINTAT on behalf of the Liberal and Democratic Group to the Commission of the European Communities

Subject: Actions undertaken by the Commission in the iron and steel sector in the last two years and future prospects

With direct elections in the offing, could the Commission provide an overall balance sheet of its activities in the European iron and steel sector from the point of view of

- the market for iron and steel products
 - . respect for internal prices and production programmes,
 - . respect for bilateral agreements with third countries,
- restructuring:
 - . Commission's general targets for 1985,
- reconversions of redundant workers, quoting the specific achievements in each case?

In view of the unsatisfactory nature of some results, particularly in the restructuring and reconversion fields, what action does the Commission intend to take in the months and years to come?