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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by
Mr SARRE and Mr JAQUET
on behalf of the Socialist Group

pursuant to Rule 25 of the Rules of Procedure

on the situation in the Central African State

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The European Parliament,

- having regard to the publication of the report of the African committee of investigation.
- whereas the forces of political opposition are regrouping within a coordination committee.
- Condemns the bloody regime of 'Emperor' Bokassa I;
- 2. Invites the Commission and the Member States to withhold from him all economic, financial and military aid;
- 3. Calls on the countries bound by the Lomé agreements systematically to boycott the Central African State;
- 4. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, the Commission and the Governments of the Member States.

REASONS SUPPORTING THE REQUEST FOR URGENT DEBATE

This resolution is justified by the report of the investigation committee which confirms the existence of a regime of oppression in the Central African Empire.

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