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MOTION FOR A RESOLTUION

tabled by Mr LAGAKOS

pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on measures to alleviate the crisis in the shipping industry

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The European Parliament

- A. having regard to the severe crisis in the Community shipping industry and the social repercussions of this crisis on all peoples of the Community,
- B. considering the impartance of the shipping industry as a basic sector of Community transport,
- C. having regard to the adverse consequences of the shipping crisis for Greece, which accounts for 38% of the Community merchant marine fleet and 10% of the world fleet,
- 1. Proposes:
 - (a) that the Community take immediate measures and find solutions for dealing with the shipping crisis,
 - (b) that immediate steps be taken to tackle the problems of unemployment in the shipping industry (seamen, shipping clerks, shipping agents, etc.);
- 2. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Commission, the Council and the Governments of the Member States.

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