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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

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

on the MIDDLE EAST

The European Parliament,

- A - having examined the proposals made by the President of the United States for a peaceful and definitive solution to the Israeli and Palestinian questions,
- B - having examined the conclusions of the Arab Conference of Fez,
- C - noting with satisfaction that at least a new readiness is emerging to find a political solution based on a process of rapprochement and mutual recognition,
- D - hoping that the State of Israel will fulfil its duty to answer, and examine the contents of, the peaceful overtures from its historical enemies,
- E - recalling the position adopted several times by the Member States of the Community in various international fora concerning the right of the State of Israel to a guarantee of security, the right of the Palestinians to self-determination and the withdrawal of Israel from the occupied territories,
  - 1. Calls on the Foreign Ministers of the Community meeting in political cooperation in accordance with the Venice Declaration to take all the measures necessary to keep the diplomatic process open to ensure that the European Community can thus develop the role which belongs to it by virtue of its geographical interests, its international political importance and democratic and peace-loving ideals;
  - 2. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council and to the Foreign Ministers meeting in political cooperation.