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### MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

tabled by Mrs CHOURAQUI, Mr FLANAGAN, Mr BUCHOU,  
Mrs DIENESCH, Mr REMILLY, Mr DELEAU, Mr LABBE,  
Mr PONCELET, Miss De VALERA, Mr DAVERN, Mr CRONIN,  
Mr LALOR, Mr ANSQUER, Mrs WEISS, Mr GILLOT,  
Mr NYBORG, Mrs EWING, Mr De La MALENE, Mr DEBRE,  
Mr MESSMER, Mr DRUON and Mr CHIRAC

with request for urgent debate

pursuant to Rule 14

on Yugoslavia after Tito

The European Parliament,

- having regard to the declaration of the Nine on democratic principles,
  - considering the proposed cooperation agreement between the EEC and Yugoslavia and the agreement concluded by the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community with Yugoslavia,
  - considering that the accession of Greece to the Community will necessitate greater ties between Yugoslavia and the EEC,
  - considering the vast number of Yugoslavian migrant workers residing on Community territory,
  - considering the need to establish closer links between the European Parliament and the Yugoslavian Assembly,
1. Expresses its profound sympathy with the people of Yugoslavia on the death of their esteemed President, Mr Josip Broz TITO;
  2. Urges the Governments of the Nine Member States to reiterate to the Government of Yugoslavia their profound concern for the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Yugoslavia;
  3. Stresses that economic and social cooperation between the European Economic Community and Yugoslavia would be severely jeopardized if instability was to set in in the region;
  4. Condemns Soviet hegemony and expansionism;
  5. Calls on all countries to refrain from increasing tension in the area and to continue to pursue a policy of détente;
  6. Notes that Yugoslavia, apart from being a Mediterranean country with all the political and economic problems characteristic of that region, is also a non-aligned country which skilfully balances its domestic and foreign policies;
  7. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, the Commission and the Foreign Ministers meeting in political cooperation.

JUSTIFICATION

Urgency is justified by the critical situation due to uncertainties and tensions in the region following the death of President Tito.