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pursuant to Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure

on the foundation of a Euro-Arab University for postgraduate students at one

of the traditional meeting places of Islamic and European culture on Spanish soil

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The European Parliament,

- A having regard to the need for the Community to provide tangible evidence of its willingness to accept Spain as one of its Member States;
- B conscious of the importance of the exchange of academic knowledge and cultural values as part of the Euro-Arab dialogue,
- C taking the view that, as the historical meeting place of Islamic and European culture, Spain is the ideal country for the seat of a Euro-Arab University,
- D believing that an institution of this kind would foster understanding of both the Arab and the European nations while emphasizing Spain's role as mediator and that the costs should be jointly borne by these three,
- E aware that both Spain and various Arab States are receptive to this proposal,
- Calls on the Council and the Commission to cooperate with all those directly concerned in the planning and implementation of this project and in the provision of financial resources;
- Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, the Commission and the governments of the Member States and the prospective partners.

JUSTIFICATION

The Euro-Arab University should be available for postgraduate studies in <u>linguistics</u>, the <u>natural sciences</u> and <u>humanities</u> and should offer a recognized final certificate. As well as teaching it should, in particular, conduct forward-looking research under contract but independently of industry. The University must in principle be open to students and academic staff of all nationalities, its specific task being, however, to foster Euro-Arab exchanges of knowledge.

It should be an autonomous entity governed by public law, with parity of membership of its organs and so financed as to be free from political influence.

It should be set up with the participation of all the partner countries which seek a peaceful balance of interests and growing mutual understanding for the good of all. -2-

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CORRIGENDUM

to the motion for a resolution (Rule 47) tabled by Mr VAN AERSSEN and 263 other signatories

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> Delete <u>Mrs FUILLET</u>'s name from the list of signatories of this motion for a resolution.

27.8.1982

