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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

with request for an early vote, to wind up the debate on
Oral Questions B3-81, 82 and 83/92

pursuant to Rule 58(7) of the Rules of Procedure

by Mrs AGLIETTA and Mr LANGER

on behalf of the Green Group

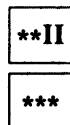
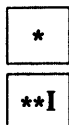
on the situation in the former Yugoslav republics

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The European Parliament,

- A. having regard to the outcome of the referendum in Bosnia-Herzegovina, where the majority of citizens voted in favour of independence, thus fulfilling the conditions for its recognition by the EC laid down by the Arbitration Commission of the Conference on peace in Yugoslavia,
- B. welcoming the decision taken by the UN Security Council, which has already been put into effect, to send 13 000 peace-keeping troops to the territory of the former Yugoslavia,
- C. concerned at the budget problems raised by certain UN Member States, in particular the USA,
- D. drawing attention to the decisions regarding Macedonia taken by the Badinter Commission and pointing out that the use of the name 'Macedonia' cannot imply a territorial claim vis-à-vis another state, in accordance with decisions taken by that republic itself,
- E. concerned at the renewal of fighting in Croatia in defiance of the cease-fire agreements,
 - 1. Condemns strongly all cease-fire violations and calls for the immediate cessation of hostilities in Croatia, particularly in the town of Osijek;
 - 2. Expresses its full support for the UN Security Council's decision to send peace-keeping forces and expresses the hope that the alleged 'budget' problems will be resolved;
 - 3. Calls on the Commission and Council to make every effort to encourage and support grassroots moves to initiate inter-ethnic dialogue and guarantee independent, non-nationalist information in the former Yugoslavia;
 - 4. Reiterates, in accordance with the United Nations Charter and the Helsinki Final Act, that the external frontiers of the former Yugoslavia should not be changed in any way; changes to the internal borders between the various republics can be accepted only if they have been negotiated;
 - 5. Recognizes the referendum in Bosnia-Herzegovina and considers, therefore, while reiterating its commitment to respect for human rights, in particular of minority groups, that the conditions for the recognition of that republic by the EC laid down by the Badinter Commission have now been met, and strongly condemns the acts of violence perpetrated by Serbs, which claimed a number of victims during and after the referendum;
 - 6. Takes the view that the Republic of Macedonia can be recognized by the EC as it has renounced all territorial claims;
 - 7. Calls on the Commission and Council to initiate all the requisite procedures with a view to concluding, as soon as possible, economic and financial agreements with the Republics of Croatia and Slovenia; similar steps should be taken as soon as possible vis-à-vis Bosnia-Herzegovina and Macedonia;
 - 8. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, the Commission, EPC, the governments and parliaments of the former Yugoslav republics and the UN Security Council.