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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE SITTING OF MONDAY, 15 APRIL 1991

(91/C 129/01)

PART I

Proceedings of the sitting

IN THE CHAIR: MR BARÓN CRESPO

President

(The sitting was opened at 5 p.m.)

1. Resumption of session

The President declared resumed the session of the European Parliament which had been adjourned on 15 March 1991.

2. Approval of minutes

The following spoke:

— Mr Cot, *Chairman of the SOC Group*, who asked whether the Presidency of the Council had responded to Parliament's request to be consulted on the question of lifting sanctions affecting South Africa (the President, recalling that this question had been raised in Brussels at the Enlarged Bureau meeting open to all members, pointed out that he had had contacts with the President-in-Office of the Council during which he had conveyed Parliament's concern);

— Mr Donnelly, who congratulated the EPP Group for rejecting the British Prime Minister's proposal that the ED Group should join the EPP Group;

— Mrs Banotti who, in reference to the topical and urgent debate, asked to know what had resulted from the contacts which the President had been asked to make with the Iranian, Syrian and Lebanese Governments with regard to the hostages in the Middle East, especially Mr McCarthy (*part II, item 5 (a) of minutes of 14 March 1991*) the President replied that unfortunately he had no positive news to give).

The minutes of the previous sitting were approved.

The President read out an announcement to Parliament in which he condemned recent acts of terrorism in Europe, and especially those in Northern Ireland, Germany and Spain. He emphasized that the European Parliament wished to put on record once more its commitment to freedom, democracy and respect for human rights and the right to life as the most basic of those rights. There was no place in a democratic and pluralist society for the use of force or violence. Terrorist viol-

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ence should never further a political objective. Parliament would never allow terrorism to take the place of universal suffrage and the free handover of political power.

He concluded by announcing that, on Parliament's behalf, he had expressed his sympathy to the families of the victims and the governments and political parties concerned.

3. Membership of Parliament

The President announced that Mr Gorla, who had been appointed Minister for Agriculture in the Italian Government, had informed him in writing of his resignation as Member of Parliament with effect from 13 April 1991.

In accordance with Article 12 (2), second subparagraph of the Act concerning the election of representatives to the European Parliament, Parliament established that there was a vacancy; the Member State would be informed accordingly.

He also announced that the competent Spanish authorities had informed him that Mr Garaikoetxea Urriza's replacement would be Mr Barrere I Costa, with effect from 21 March 1991.

He welcomed the new colleague and drew attention to the provisions of Rule 6 (3).

4. Request for the waiver of a member's immunity

The President announced that he had received from the Italian authorities a request for the waiver of Mr Pannella's parliamentary immunity.

In accordance with Rule 5, the request had been referred to the appropriate committee, in this instance the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities.

5. Membership of committees

At the request of the RB Group, Parliament ratified the appointment of Mr Barrera I Costa as member of the Committee on Youth.

6. Petitions

The President announced that he had received the following petitions:

by Mr Thomas Lerche (No 141/91);

by Seven Sisters Playgroup (No 142/91);

by Mr Renzo Mammini (No 143/91);

by Mr Jean Lazic (No 144/91);

by Mr Peter M. Hawkins (No 145/91);

by Collectif d'Associations de l'Environnement Lyonnais (No 146/91);

by Craigavon Borough Council (No 147/91);

by International Council of Aircraft Owner and Pilot Associations (No 148/91);

by Mr Société Catalane de Botanique & Ecologie Vegetale and 25 other signatories (No 149/91);

by Compassion in World Farming and 1 000 000 other signatories (No 150/91);

by Mr Maurice van der Weerden (No 151/91);

by Mr Peter Weber (No 152/91);

by Bund für Umwelt und Naturschutz Deutschland e.V. (No 153/91);

by Mrs Sabine Didier (No 154/91);

by Gemeinschaft für Biblische Forschung und Unterweisung e.V. and 48 other signatories (No 155/91);

by Mr Michel Plisson (No 156/91);

by Mr Jesus Manuel Suárez Gende (No 157/91);

by Stiftung europäisches Naturerbe (No 158/91);

by Mr Joaquim Oliveira Adrego (No 159/91);

by Förderkreis alte Kirchen e.V. (No 160/91);

by Mr Michael McCarthy (No 161/91);

by Mr Jean Mortes and three other signatories (No 162/91);

by Mrs Paul Martel and 20 other signatories (No 163/91);

by M. Eag Vallis (No 164/91);

by Mrs Gelika Charokopoy (No 165/91);

by Mrs Joan Isherwood (No 166/91);

by Mr Kenneth M. Bryant (No 167/91);

by Mr Rudolf Lehnen (No 168/91);

by Mrs Thalia Nanou Gourzi and 30 other signatories (No 169/91);

by Comm. Coordinatrice des Propriétaires d'Immeubles qui ont subi un Tort and five other signatories (No 170/91);

by Mr Cornelis W. B. van de Bunt (No 171/91);

by Mr Gianfranco Morello and two other signatories (No 172/91);

by Vereinigung Europäischer Grenzgänger (No 173/91);

by Bund gegen den Mißbrauch der Tiere e.V. (No 174/91);

by Mr Jose Allende Landa (No 175/91);

by Mr Alfred Schneider (No 176/91);

by Mr F. Gerhardt (No 177/91);

by Mr Manuel Moreno Ramirez (No 178/91);

by Mr Jean-Claude Ghys (No 179/91);

by Fédération Aéronautique Luxembourgeoise (No 180/91);

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by Mr Willy Depoorter (No 181/91);
 by Mr Dimitrios Petropoulos (No 182/91);
 by Mrs Verfaillie (No 183/91);
 by Mr Fredi Merschmann (No 184/91);
 by Mr J. J. Rocha Ramos (No 185/91);
 by Mr W. Gatherer and 35 other signatories (No 186/91);
 by Mr Gill Satchwell and two other signatories (No 187/91);
 by International Council of Aircraft Owner and Pilot Associations (No 188/91);
 by Urtica (No 189/91);
 by Mrs P. E. Warbuton (No 190/91);
 by Mr Carmine Amodeo (No 191/91);
 by Committee of Initiative of Romanians (No 192/91);
 by Mr Georges Lefere (No 193/91);
 by Mr Louis Verdier (No 194/91);
 by Mr Henri Trolliet (No 195/91).

These petitions had been entered in the register pursuant to Rule 128 (3) and had been referred to the Committee on Petitions pursuant to paragraph 4 of that rule.

Decisions on various petitions:

(a) petitions declared admissible pursuant to Rule 128 (4) (consideration closed):

— Nos 560 and 589/90: information would be sent to the petitioners and petitions forwarded to the relevant committee for information;

— Nos 254/89 and 123/90: declared admissible on the basis of information supplied by the Commission; consideration closed, as this information had been sent to the petitioners;

— No 603/90: information would be sent to the petitioner;

— Nos 613, 617, 646, 655 and 670/90: sent to the appropriate parliamentary committee or delegation for information and possible action;

— No 623/90: sent to Mrs Vayssade, Parliament's ombudsman on the question;

— No 630/90: the petitioner would receive the committee's report on transfrontier property transactions and would be advised to contact the Spanish office for consumer protection;

— Nos 647, 649 and 663/90: the petitioners would receive a copy of the Commission's answer to other petitions on the same subject;

(b) petitions declared admissible pursuant to Rule 128 (4) (action to be taken):

— Nos 351, 543 ⁽¹⁾, 546, 602, 605 ⁽¹⁾, 608, 615, 624, 625, 628, 631, 633, 634, 637, 644, 645, 651, 656, 658, 660, 661, 669, 671, 675 and 681/90: forwarded to the Commission for further information;

(c) petitions on which consideration had closed:

on the basis of information supplied by the Commission pursuant to Rule 128 (3):

— Nos 58, 119, 366, 376 ⁽²⁾, 462, 472, 475, 484, 529 and 567/89, 94, 197, 240, 259, 262, 265, 329, 331, 343, 372 and 397/90;

on the basis of an opinion from Parliament's Legal Service and the Committee on Women's Rights and information supplied by the Secretary-General of Parliament:

No 239/87;

on the basis of an opinion from the Committee on Development (the petitions had been referred to that committee along with the suggestion to draw up a report on the subject):

Nos 158 and 184/89;

in the absence of any reply from the petitioner to a request for more detailed information:

No 92/90;

on the basis of further information supplied by the petitioner:

No 211/90;

(d) petitions declared inadmissible, pursuant to Rule 128 (5), and filed accordingly:

— Nos 95, 256 ⁽³⁾, 346 ⁽¹⁾, 601, 604, 606, 607, 609 ⁽⁴⁾, 616, 621 ⁽²⁾, 626, 627 ⁽⁵⁾, 632, 635, 636, 643 ⁽²⁾, 648 ⁽²⁾, 650 ⁽³⁾, 653, 654, 662, 665, 666, 667, 673, 674 ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾, 676 ⁽²⁾, 677 ⁽²⁾, 678 ⁽²⁾, 679 and 680 ⁽²⁾/90.

7. Referrals to committee

The Political Affairs Committee had been asked for an opinion on the question of association agreements with

- (1) Also sent to the appropriate committee for information.
 (2) The President of Parliament would be asked in a separate letter to contact the French authorities.
 (3) Decision taken on the basis of information supplied by the Commission.
 (4) The petitioners would be advised to contact their national ombudsmen.
 (5) The petitioners would be advised to contact the European Commission on Human Rights.

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the countries of Central and Eastern Europe: general outline (authorized to draw up a report: RELA (Randzio-Plath report — A 3-0055/91); already asked for an opinion: CULT).

The External Economic Relations Committee had been asked for an opinion on the Commission communication to the Council on the development and future of the CAP (C 3-0085/91) (responsible: AGRI; already asked for opinions: BUDG, REGI, ENVI).

8. Authorization to draw up reports

The Enlarged Bureau had authorized the External Economic Relations Committee to draw up a report on the free trade zone between the US, Canada and Mexico (asked for an opinion: POLI).

9. Written declarations (Rule 65)

Written declaration No 1/91 had not received the required number of signatures and had therefore lapsed pursuant to the provisions of Rule 65 (5).

10. Documents received

The President announced that he had received:

(a) from the Council:

(aa) requests for opinions on the following proposals from the Commission of the European Communities to the Council:

— Proposal for a decision setting up a programme of options specific to the remote and insular nature of Madeira and the Azores (POSEIMA) (COM(90) 0687 — C 3-0099/91)

referred to responsible: REGI
opinion: AGRI, BUDG

legal basis: EEC

— Proposal for a regulation on the application of the provisions of Community law to the Canary Islands (COM(90) 0686 — C 3-0100/91)

referred to responsible: POLI
opinion: AGRI, BUDG, ECON, REGI

legal basis: Article 025 paragraph 4 Accession 85

— Proposal for a decision setting up a programme of options specific to the remote and insular nature of the

Canary Islands (POSEICAN) (COM(90) 0686 — C 3-0101/91)

referred to responsible: REGI
opinion: AGRI, BUDG

legal basis: Article 025 paragraph 4 Accession 85

— Proposal for a regulation amending Council Regulation (EEC) No 1191/89 derogating from Regulation (EEC) No 797/85 as regards certain investment aids in the pig production sector (COM(91) 0024 — C 3-0102/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a directive on the application of open network provision to leased lines (COM(91) 0030 — C 3-0103/91 — SYN 328)

referred to responsible: ECON
opinion: ENER

legal basis: Article 100a EEC

— Proposal for a draft decision on the association of the overseas countries and territories with the European Economic Community (COM(90) 0387 — C 3-0104/91)

referred to responsible: DEVE
opinion: BUDG

legal basis: Article 136 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation of introducing a temporary set-aside scheme for arable land for the 1991/1992 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0107/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 2727/75 on the common organization of the market in cereals (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0108/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the prices applicable to cereals for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0109/91)

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referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the co-responsibility levy on cereals for the 1991/92 marketing year

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the aid for durum wheat for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0111/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the monthly price increase for cereals, wheat and rye flour and wheat groats and meal for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0112/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the production aid for certain cereals sown in the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0113/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for fixing the overall amount of the aid granted to small producers under the co-responsibility arrangements in the cereals sector (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0114/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the aid for small producers of certain arable crops sown in the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0115/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the production aid for certain varieties of high-quality flint maize sown in the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0116/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the minimum price for potatoes to be paid by potato-starch manufacturers to potato producers for the 1991/92 cereal marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0117/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing prices for rice for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0118/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the monthly price increases for paddy rice and husked rice for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0119/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the production aid for certain varieties of rice sown in the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0120/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing certain sugar prices and the standard quality of beet for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0121/91)

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referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the derived intervention prices for white sugar, the intervention price for raw sugar, the minimum prices for A and B beet, the threshold prices, the amount of compensation for storage costs and the prices to be applied in Spain and Portugal for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0122/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation concerning the alignment of the sugar beet prices applicable in Spain on the common prices (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0123/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the production target prices, the production aid and the intervention price of olive oil for the 1991/92 marketing year as well as the maximum guaranteed quantity (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0124/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the guide price for unginned cotton for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0125/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the maximum guaranteed quantity of cotton and the minimum price for unginned cotton for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0126/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the aid for fibre flax and hemp and the amounts withheld to finance measures to promote the use of flax fibre for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0127/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI,
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the guide price for flax seed for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0128/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the aid for hemp seed for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0129/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the aid in respect of silkworms for the 1991/92 rearing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0130/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation No 136/66/EEC on the establishment of a common organization of the market in oils and fats (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0131/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the target prices and intervention prices for rape and sunflower seed for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0132/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the monthly increase in the target price, the intervention price and

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the buying-in price for the rapeseed and sunflower seed for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0133/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1491/85 laying down special measures in respect of soya beans (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0134/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 2194/85 adopting general rules concerning special measures for soya beans (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0135/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the guide price for soya beans for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0136/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the minimum price for soya beans for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0137/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1431/82 laying down special measures for peas, field beans and sweet lupins (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0138/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the activating threshold price for aid, the guide price and the minimum price for peas, field beans and sweet lupins for

the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0139/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the monthly increase in the activating threshold price and the guide price for peas and field beans for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0140/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the guide price for dried fodder for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0141/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 on the common organization of the market in milk and milk products (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0142/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the target price for milk and the intervention prices for butter, skimmed-milk powder and Grana padano and Parmigiano reggiano cheeses for the 1991/92 milk year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0143/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1079/77 as regards the co-responsibility levy on milk and milk products (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0144/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the threshold prices for certain milk products for the 1991/92 milk year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0145/91)

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referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation modifying the buying-in arrangements for butter and skimmed-milk powder laid down in Regulation (EEC) No 777/87 (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0146/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 857/84 adopting general rules for the application of the levy referred to in Article 5c of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 in the milk and milk products sector (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0147/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation establishing the Community reserve for the application of the levy provided for in Article 5c of Regulation (EEC) No 804/68 on milk and milk products for the period 1 April 1991 to 31 March 1992 (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0148/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation laying down transitional provisions for the common organization of the market in milk and milk products in Portugal (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0149/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 805/68 on the common organization of the market in beef and veal (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0150/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the guide price and the intervention price for adult bovine animals for

the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0151/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 3013/89 on the common organization of the market in sheepmeat and goatmeat (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0152/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the basic price, the guide level and the seasonal adjustments to the basic price and the guide level for sheepmeat for the 1992 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0153/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1323/90 as regards the amount of the specific aid for sheep and goat farming from the 1992 marketing year onwards (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0154/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the basic price and defining the standard quality for pig carcasses for the period 1 July 1991 to 30 June 1992 (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0155/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing certain prices and other amounts applicable in the fruit and vegetables sector for the 1991/92 marketing year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0156/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulations (EEC) Nos 1035/72, 2240/88 and 1121/89 as regards

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the intervention thresholds mechanism in the fresh fruit and vegetables sector (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0157/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 790/89 as regards the maximum amount of aid for quality and marketing improvement in the nut and locust bean sector (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0158/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 on the common organization of the market in wine (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0159/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the guide prices for wine for the 1991/92 wine year (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0160/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1442/88 on the granting, for the 1988/89 to 1995/96 wine years, of permanent abandonment premiums in respect of wine-growing areas (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0161/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 358/79 as regards sparkling wines produced in the Community as defined in point 15 of Annex I to Regulation (EEC) No 822/87 and Regulation (EEC) No 4252/88 on the preparation and marketing of liqueur wines produced in the Community (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0162/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 727/70 on the common organization of the market in raw tobacco (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0163/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the norm and intervention prices and the premiums granted to purchasers of leaf tobacco, the derived intervention prices for baled tobacco, the reference qualities and the production areas for the 1991 harvest and the maximum guaranteed quantities and amending Regulation (EEC) No 1331/90 (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0164/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation fixing the amounts of aid for seeds for the 1992/93 and 1993/94 marketing years (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0165/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1678/85 fixing the conversion rates to be applied in agriculture (COM(91) 0072 — C 3-0166/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI, DEVE

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a directive on minimum requirements to improve the mobility and the safe transport to work of workers with reduced mobility (COM(90) 0588 — C 3-0167/91 — SYN 327)

referred to responsible: SOCI
opinion: TRAN

legal basis: Article 118a EEC

— Modification of the proposal for a directive on the charging of transport infrastructure costs to heavy goods vehicles (COM(90) 0540 — C 3-0168/91)

referred to responsible: TRAN
opinion: ECON

legal basis: Article 075 EEC, Article 099 EEC

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— Proposal for a regulation concerning financial cooperation in respect of all the Mediterranean non-member countries (COM(91) 0048 — C 3-0175/91)

referred to responsible: DEVE
opinion: BUDG, RELA, ENVI

legal basis: Article 235 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 823/87 laying down special provisions relating to quality wines produced in specified regions (COM(90) 0554 — C 3-0176/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 358/80 on sparkling wines produced in the Community (COM(90) 0554 — C 3-0177/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI

legal basis: Article 043 EEC

— Proposal for a regulation on the 'EC-International Investment Partners' financial facility for countries of Asia, Latin America and the Mediterranean region (COM(90) 0575 — C 3-0178/91)

referred to responsible: DEVE
opinion: BUDG, RELA

legal basis: Article 235 EEC

— Proposal for a directive fixing certain rates and target rates of excise duty on mineral oils (COM(91) 0043 — C 3-0179/91)

referred to responsible: ECON
opinion: TRAN, ENVI

legal basis: Article 099 EEC

— Proposal for a directive amending Annex II to Directive 79/409/EEC on the conservation of wild birds (COM(91) 0042 — C 3-0180/91)

referred to responsible: ENVI

legal basis: Article 130s EEC

— Orientation from the Council for Budgetary provisions of the draft Regulation on the Community trade mark and other related provisions (C 3-0181/91)

referred to responsible: BUDG
opinion: ECON, LEGA

legal basis: EEC

— Proposal for a regulation on improving the efficiency of agricultural structures (SEC(91) 0268 — C 3-0182/91)

referred to responsible: AGRI

legal basis: Article 042 EEC, Article 043 EEC

(ab):

— Draft supplementary and amending budget No 1 for the financial year 1991 (5290/91 — C 3-0105/91)

referred to responsible: BUDG

legal basis: Article 078 ECSC, Article 203 EEC, Article 177 Euratom, Article 020 Merger Treaty

— Council decision of 18 March 1991 giving discharge to the Administrative Board of the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions in respect of the implementation of the statement of revenue and expenditure of the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions for the financial year 1989 (C 3-0169/91)

referred to responsible: CONT
opinion: SOCI

legal basis: Article 206b EEC

— Council decision of 18 March 1991 giving a discharge to the Management Board of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training in respect of the implementation of the statement of revenue and expenditure of the Centre for the financial year 1989 (C 3-0170/91)

referred to responsible: CONT
opinion: SOCI

legal basis: Article 206b EEC

— Council recommendation of 18 March 1991 concerning the discharge to be given to the Commission in respect of the implementation of the operations of the European Development Fund (1975) (Fourth EDF) for the financial year 1989 (C 3-0171/91)

referred to responsible: CONT
opinion: DEVE

legal basis: Article 206b EEC

— Council recommendation of 18 March 1991 concerning the discharge to be given to the Commission in respect of the implementation of the operations of the European Development Fund (1979) (Fifth EDF) for the financial year 1989 (C 3-0172/91)

referred to responsible: CONT
opinion: DEVE

legal basis: Article 206b EEC

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— Council recommendation of 18 March 1991 concerning the discharge to be given to the Commission in respect of the implementation of the operations of the European Development Fund (1984) (Sixth EDF) for the financial year 1989 (C 3-0173/91)

referred to responsible: CONT

opinion: DEVE

legal basis: Article 206b EEC

— Council recommendation of 18 March 1991 on the discharge to be given to the Commission in respect of the implementation of the general budget of the European Communities for the financial year 1989 (SEC(90) 0700 — C 3-0174/91)

referred to responsible: CONT

opinion: ENER, RELA, SOCI, REGI, TRAN, ENVI, CULT, DEVE, WOME

legal basis: Article 078g ECSC, Article 206b EEC, Article 180b Euratom, Article 020 Merger Treaty

referred to responsible: BUDG;

— opinion on the request for carry-overs of appropriations from the financial year 1990 to the financial year 1991, Section I — Parliament, Section III — Commission (non-automatic carry-overs) (C 3-0093/91) (C 3-0183/91)

referred to responsible: BUDG

(b) from the parliamentary committees, the following reports:

— Report of the Committee on Budgetary Control on the discharge to the Commission of the European Communities in respect of the ECSC accounts for the financial year 1989 (Annex of the Court of Auditors to the 1989 ECSC annual report). Rapporteur: Mrs Hoff (A 3-0052/91)

— Report of the Committee on Budgetary Control giving discharge to the Administrative Board of the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions (Dublin) in respect of the implementation of their budget for the 1989 financial year. Rapporteur: Mr Kellett-Bowman (A 3-0053/91)

— Report of the Committee on Budgetary Control giving discharge to the Management Board of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training (Berlin) in respect of the implementation of their budget for the 1989 financial year. Rapporteur: Mr Kellett-Bowman (A 3-0054/91)

— Report of the Committee on External Economic Relations on a general outline for association agreements with the countries of Central and Eastern Europe. Rapporteur: Mrs Randzio-Platz (A 3-0055/91)

— *** Report of the Committee on External Economic Relations on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for the conclusion of a Protocol extending the first stage of the Agreement establishing an association between the European Economic Community and Malta. Rapporteur: Mrs Magnani Noya (A 3-0058/91)

— * Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs and and Citizens' Rights on the proposals from the Commission to the Council for

I. a regulation amending the Staff Regulations of officials of the European Communities and the conditions of employment of other servants of those Communities in respect of detailed rules for adjusting the remuneration (SEC(90) 1836 — C 3-0375/90 — CSA 3759) and

II. a regulation amending Staff Regulations of officials and the conditions of employment of other servants of the European Communities with respect to the payment of remuneration, pensions and other allowances in ECUs (SEC(90) 1836 — C 3-0376/90 — CSA.3769).

Rapporteur: Mrs Vayssade (A 3-0059/91)

— * Report of the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Rural Development on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a regulation on the conclusion of the Protocol establishing, for the period from 1 June 1990 to 31 May 1993, the fishing rights and financial compensation provided for in the agreement between the European Economic Community and the Government of the Democratic Republic of Sao Tome e Principe on fishing off Sao Tome e Principe (COM(90) 0429 — C 3-0333/90). Rapporteur: Mr Vázquez Fouz (A 3-0061/91)

— * Report of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a decision establishing a multiannual programme for the development of European statistics on services (COM(90) 0578 — C 3-0071/91). Rapporteur: Mr Beumer (A 3-0062/91)

— ** I Report of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a directive concerning the efficiency requirements for new, hot-water boilers fired with liquid or gaseous fuels (COM(90) 0368 — C 3-0386/90 — SYN 294). Rapporteur: Mr Lataillade (A 3-0063/91)

— * Report of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a directive determining the scope of Article 14 (1) (d) of Directive 77/388/EEC as regards exemption from value added tax on the final importation of certain goods (SEC(90) 2249 — C 3-0027/91). Rapporteur: Mr Beumer (A 3-0064/91)

— Report of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Stamoulis to be waived. Rapporteur: Mr Gil-Robles Gil-Delgado (A 3-0066/91)

— Report of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Taradash to be waived. Rapporteur: Mr Gil-Robles Gil-Delgado (A 3-0067/91)

— Report of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities

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on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Pannella to be waived. Rapporteur: Mr Gil-Robles Gil-Delgado (A 3-0068/91)

— Report of the Committee on Budgetary Control on the granting of discharge to the Commission in respect of the financial management of the fourth, fifth and sixth European Development Funds for the 1989 financial year. Rapporteur: Mrs Simons (A 3-0070/91)

— Report of the Committee on Budgetary Control on giving discharge to the Commission in respect of the implementation of the budget of the European Communities for the 1989 financial year (SEC(90) 0700 — C 3-0174/91). Rapporteur: Mr Wynn (A 3-0071/91)

— Report of the Committee on Women's Rights on childcare and equality of opportunity. Rapporteur: Mrs Pollack (A 3-0072/91)

— Report of the Committee on Women's Rights on a European prize for women. Rapporteur: Mrs Llorca Vilaplana (A 3-0073/91)

— * Report of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a regulation laying down the health rules for production and placing on the market of minced meat, meat preparations and comminuted meat for industrial use (COM(89) 0671 — C 3-0079/90). Rapporteur: Mrs Green (A 3-0074/91)

— * Report of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a regulation (EEC) laying down health rules for the production and placing on the market of fresh meat (COM(89) 0673 — C 3-0056/90). Rapporteur: Mr Florenz (A 3-0075/91)

— Report by the Political Affairs Committee on the role of Europe in relation to security in the Mediterranean. Rapporteur: Mrs van den Brink (A 3-0076/91)

— Report of the Political Affairs Committee on Community enlargement and relations with other European countries. Rapporteur: Mr Planas Puchades (A 3-0077/91)

— * Report of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a regulation adopting health rules for the production and placing on the market of heat-treated drinking milk (COM(89) 0672 — C 3-0107/90). Rapporteur: Mr Seligman (A 3-0078/91)

— * Report of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a regulation laying down the health conditions for the production and placing on the market of fishery products (COM(89) 0645 — C 3-0080/90). Rapporteur: Mr Vernier (A 3-0079/91)

— ** I Report of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a

directive on sweeteners for use in foodstuffs (COM(90) 0381 — C 3-0320/90 — SYN 296). Rapporteur: Mrs Jackson (A 3-0080/91)

— Report of the Committee on Budgets on draft supplementary and amending budget No 1 of the European Communities for the financial year 1991 (5290/91 — C 3-0105/91). Rapporteur: Mr Lamassoure (A 3-0081/91)

— Report of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the danger to natural and semi-natural habitat in the Alps EC and EFTA countries posed by the steady increase in summer and winter tourism in these areas. Rapporteur: Mr Partsch (A 3-0084/91)

— Report of the Committee on Institutional Affairs on the nature of Community acts. Rapporteur: Mr Boulranges (A 3-0085/91)

— * Report of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a directive amending Directive 72/461/EEC on health problems affecting intra-Community trade in fresh meat and Directive 72/462/EEC on health and veterinary inspection problems upon importation of bovine animals and swine and fresh meat or meat products from third countries (COM(90) 0175 — C 3-0190/90). Rapporteur: Sir James Scott-Hopkins (A 3-0086/91)

— * Report on the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a regulation laying down the health rules for production and placing on the market of raw milk for the manufacture of milk-based products and of milk-based products (COM(89) 0667 — C 3-0060/90). Rapporteur: Mr de la Cámara Martínez (A 3-0089/91)

— * Report of the Committee on Youth, Culture, Education, the Media and Sport on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a decision adopting an action programme to promote youth exchanges and mobility in the Community — the 'Youth for Europe' programme (COM(90) 0470 — C 3-0006/91). Rapporteur: Mrs Fontaine (A 3-0090/91)

— ** I Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Citizens' Rights on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a directive on unfair terms in consumer contracts (COM(90) 0322 — C 3-0319/90). Rapporteur: Mr Hoon (A 3-0091/91)

— * Report of the Committee on Youth, Culture, Education, the Media and Sport on the proposal from the Commission to the Council for a decision concerning an action programme for the vocational qualification of young people and their preparation for adult and working life (COM(90) 0467 — C 3-0396/90). Rapporteur: Mrs Banotti (A 3-0092/91)

(c) from the parliamentary committees, the following recommendation for the second reading:

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection

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on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive amending for the 10th time Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (COM(89) 0548 — C 3-0064/91). Rapporteur: Mrs Schleicher (A 3-0056/91)

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive amending Directive 89/392/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to machinery (COM(89) 0624 — C 3-0011/91). Rapporteur: Mr Christiansen (A 3-0057/91)

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive on control of the acquisition and possession of weapons (COM(89) 0446 — C 3-0061/91). Rapporteur: Mr von Wogau (A 3-0060/91)

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on Social Affairs, Employment and the Working Environment on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive amending Directive 83/477/EEC on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to asbestos at work (second individual Directive within the meaning of Article 8 of Directive 80/1107/EEC) (COM(90) 0184 — C 3-0015/91). Rapporteur: A 3-0065/91)

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on Energy, Research and Technology on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive on the transit of natural gas through grids (COM(89) 0334 — C 3-0012/91). Rapporteur: Mr Gasòliba i Böhm (A 3-0069/91)

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Citizens' Rights on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive on prevention of the use of the financial system for the purpose of money laundering (COM(90) 0106 — C 3-0062/91). Rapporteur: Mr Hoon (A 3-0082/91)

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Citizens' Rights on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive on the legal protection of computer programs (COM(88) 0816 — C 3-0018/91). Rapporteur: Mrs Salema (A 3-0083/91)

— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Rural Development on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a regulation laying down general rules on the definition, description and presentation of aromatized wines, aromatized wine-based drinks and aromatized wine-product cocktails (COM(82) 0328 — C 3-0010/91). Rapporteur: Mr Dalsass (A 3-0087/91)

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— ** II Recommendation of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive amending for the 11th time Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (COM(89) 0665 — C 3-0063/91). Rapporteur: Mrs Schleicher (A 3-0088/91)

(d) the following oral questions with debate:

— Oral Question by Mr Collins, on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, to the Commission: General directive on food hygiene (B 3-0274/91);

— Oral Question by Mrs Cassanmagnago Cerretti, on behalf of the Political Affairs Committee, to EPC: Need for a common foreign and security policy (B 3-0275/91);

— Oral Question by Mr Oreja and Mr D. Martin, on behalf of the Committee on Institutional Affairs, to the Commission: Strengthening democratic legitimacy through the Intergovernmental Conference on Political Union (B 3-0276/91);

— Oral Question by the following members: Piquet, Ephremidis, Miranda da Silva and De Rossa, on behalf of the LU Group, to EPC: Position of EPC on arms exports and disarmament measures in the Middle East and worldwide (B 3-0277/91);

— Oral Question by the following members: Porrazzini, Speciale, Catellina, Papayannakis, Puerta Gutiérrez, Rossetti and Iversen, on behalf of the EUL Group, to EPC: Gulf crisis and arms export policy (B 3-0278/91);

— Oral Question by Mr Poettering and Mr Penders, on behalf of the EPP Group, to EPC: Gulf crisis and arms exports (B 3-0500/91);

(e) oral questions from the following members, pursuant to Rule 60, for Question Time on 17 April 1991 (B 3-0501/91):

Cushnahan, Elliott, McIntosh, von Wechmar, B. Simpson, Robles Piquer, Sakellariou, Gangoit Llaguno, Dessylas, Pagoropoulos, Banotti, McCartin, Ruiz-Gimenez Aguilar, Lane, Cooney, Ca. Jackson, Pompidou, Raffarin, Bird, Kostopoulos, Banotti, De Rossa, Pagoropoulos, Cushnahan, Roumeliotis, Alavanos, Falconer, Hughes, Newens, Rawlings, McMillan-Scott, Scott-Hopkins, Lomas, Livanos, Ephremidis, Arbeloa Muru, Dury, Pierros, Bowe, Ewing, de Donnea, Langer, Crampton, Arbeloa Muru, Papayannakis, Pierros, Pompidou, Seligman, Kellett-Bowman, Lauga, Robles Piquer, Newton Dunn, Roumeliotis, Amendola, Bowe, Bettini, Monnier-Besombes, Bjørnvig, Iversen, Puerta Gutiérrez, Bandres Molet, Domingo Segarra, Santos, Alavanos, Zeller, McMillan-Scott, Rawlings, S. Martin,

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Schleicher, Bonde, Sandbæk, Hadjigeorgiou, McIntosh, Braun-Moser, Llorca Vilaplana, Gangoiti Llaguno, Anastassopoulos, de los Santos López, Stewart-clark, Jepsen, Nicholson, Elliott, Beazley, O'Hagan, Dessylas, De Vries, Schmid, Kostopoulos, Pagoropoulos, Livanos, Dury, Cushnahan, Porrazzini, McMahon, A. Smith, Wilson, Crawley, Cooney, Simeoni, Banotti, McCartin, Killilea, Ewing, Maher, Ca. Jackson, De Rossa, Ainardi, Raffarin, Christiansen, Ephremidis, Lomas, Bird, Gutiérrez Díaz, Ford, Oddy, Marck, Valverde López, Ferrer, Scott-Hopkins, Pollack, Chabert, Cassidy.

(f) the following written declaration, for entry in the register, pursuant to Rule 65:

— by Mr Robles Piquer on the Manifesto for a new South Africa (No 8/91);

(g) from the Commission:

— Report from the Court of Auditors of the European Community on the 1989 accounts of the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and working Conditions (Dublin Foundation) accompanied by the comments of the foundation and the accounts for the year 1989 (C 3-0094/91)

referred to
responsible: CONT
opinion: SOCI

legal basis: Article 206b EEC

— Report from the Court of Auditors of the European Community on the 1988 accounts of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training (Berlin Centre) accompanied by the replies of the centre (C 3-0095/91)

referred to
responsible: CONT
opinion: SOCI

legal basis: Article 206b EEC

— Proposal for a Community action programme: towards Trans-European Networks (COM(90) 0585 — C 3-0106/91)

referred to
responsible: ECON
opinion: BUDG, ENER, REGI, TRAN

legal basis: EEC

11. Texts of treaties forwarded by the Council

The President announced that he had received from the Council certified true copies of the following documents:

— Decision No 1/90 of the EEC-EFTA Joint Committee on Common Transit amending Appendices I

and II to the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a common transit procedure;

— Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation on the simplification of inspections and formalities in respect of the carriage of goods;

— Protocol on financial and technical cooperation between the European Economic Community and the Syrian Arab Republic;

— Agreement in the form of an exchange of letters between the European Economic Community and the Republic of Tunisia laying down the arrangements applicable from 1 January 1991 to imports into the Community of untreated olive oil originating in Tunisia.

The following spoke:

— Mr Crampton, who referred to difficulties facing British Members as a result of the cancellation by Air France of a flight to London City Airport which they usually took on a Friday (the President noted these remarks);

— Mrs Ewing, who called for the Council to make a statement on the lifting of sanctions against South Africa;

— Mr Fitzgerald, who informed Parliament that yet another Irish trawler had been rammed by another vessel off the coast of Ireland.

12. Order of business

The next item was the order of business.

The President announced that the draft agenda for that part-session (PE 149.663) had been distributed, and that the following changes had been made or proposed to it (Rules 73 and 74):

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the Lataillade report on hot-water boilers (A 3-0063/91, item 29) would be postponed to a future part-session so that Parliament could debate it together with the SAVE Programme as a whole;

a Commission statement on shipbuilding would be added to the end of the agenda.

The following spoke:

— Mr Patterson, who protested at the postponement of the Lataillade report and wanted to know who had requested this postponement (the President replied that the request had been made by the Committee on Energy);

— Mr Lataillade, who also regretted that his report would not be taken at the current part-session and

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asked, in general, for the Bureau to look carefully into referrals to committee;

— Mr Donnelly, who also argued in favour of keeping the report on the agenda.

The President consulted Parliament on whether or not to postpone the report to a future part-session.

Parliament decided to keep the report on the agenda.

Tuesday, 16 April:

depending on the outcome of the meeting of the Committee on Budgets that evening, Mr von der Vring, *Chairman of the committee*, would make an announcement on the emergency financial aid for the Kurds proposed by the European Council on 8 April;

the Hughes report on the European Year of Safety, Hygiene and Health Protection at Work (item 39) had not been adopted in committee and had therefore been taken off the agenda;

the Lamassoure report on the revision of the financial perspective (item 47) had not been adopted in committee and had therefore been taken off the agenda;

as there would be two formal sittings at this part-session, there would be an exceptional voting time from 6 to 7 p.m. on Tuesday and the sitting would continue until 8 p.m.

Wednesday, 17 April:

in addition to the Council, the Commission would also make a statement on the Intergovernmental Conference on Political Union (item 49). The debate would continue until 11.30 a.m.

due to lack of time, the joint debate under items 52 and 53 would be confined to a statement by the President-in-Office of the European Council on the Luxembourg European Council, with special emphasis on the situation of the Kurds, a statement by the President of the Commission and, possibly, the introduction of Oral Question B 3-0275/91 by Mrs Cassanmagnago Cerretti. The debate itself would be on Thursday.

the following five oral questions would be included in the joint debate on oral questions to EPC on arms exports (items 54 to 58):

by the RB Group (0-0086/91),

by the EDA Group (0-0092/91),

by Mr Pannella and others (0-0093/91),

by the ER Group (0-0094/91),

by the LDR Group (0-0097/91).

Given the heavy load on the agenda, speaking time for authors of questions would be reduced to two minutes.

The following spoke:

— Mr Bourlanges, who asked for the vote on his report on the nature of Community acts (A 3-0085/91) to be taken on Wednesday evening rather than on Thursday evening;

— Mr Cot, *Chairman of the SOC Group*, who said that the political group chairmen had thoroughly studied this question and concluded that, since the positions of the Luxembourg Presidency were not yet available but were due to be tabled that day, it would be more prudent to leave the votes on all these political questions, including the Bourlanges report, until voting time on Thursday;

— Mrs Aglietta, who objected to the procedure proposed for examining items 52 and 53, which meant there would be no debate on the oral question from Mrs Cassanmagnago Cerretti;

— Mr von der Vring, *Chairman of the Committee on Budgets*, who stressed the need to distinguish between humanitarian aid and political decisions with regard to the situation of the Kurds;

— Mr Chanterie, who pointed out that the Enlarged Bureau had only authorized one question by the Political Affairs Committee to be included on the agenda for joint debate with the statement on the Luxembourg European Council;

— Mrs Aglietta, who proposed that this question should be followed by a debate during the next part-session, acknowledging that the heavy load on the agenda did not allow it to take place during the current part-session;

— Mr Cot, who agreed with this proposal which was accepted;

— the President, who asked Mrs Aglietta whether she wanted Mrs Cassanmagnago Cerretti's oral question (B 3-0275/91) to be taken off agenda for the present part-session;

— Mrs Aglietta, who made it clear that she had not at any time asked for the question to be withdrawn.

Thursday, 18 April:

— there would be a debate of one and a half hours (10 to 11.30 a.m.) on the statements made to Parliament the previous day by the European Council and the Commission on the extraordinary meeting of the European Council in Luxembourg, and more especially on the situation of the Kurds (the topical and urgent debate would therefore be from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.);

— the oral question by Mr Collins, on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, on food hygiene (B 3-

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0274/91), which had initially been included as a footnote in the joint debate on health conditions (items 64 to 73), would be entered as the first item in the joint debate.

The following spoke: Mrs Crawley, who asked whether an oral question with debate on the same subject by the Committee on Women's Rights had in fact been tabled, and Mr Collins, *Chairman of the Committee on the Environment*, who pointed out that the question she was referring to was in fact about infant milk, which was another subject altogether; he added that a motion for a resolution on infant milk had been tabled under Rule 41 (4) for inclusion in the agenda of the current part-session.

— the Bombard report on molluscs (item 67) and the Scott-Hopkins report on meat products (item 69) had not been adopted in committee and had therefore been taken off the agenda;

— the author of the report on intra-Community trade in fresh meat (item 73) was Sir James Scott-Hopkins and not Mr Collins, as indicated on the draft agenda.

Friday, 19 April:

— a report by Mrs Pollack on childcare and equality of opportunity (A 3-0072/91) would be included after the votes, in application of Rule 37;

— a motion for a resolution on infant formulae and follow-up milks, pursuant to Rule 41 (4) (B 3-0530/91), would be included after any reports entered under urgent procedure.

The following spoke:

— Mrs Crawley, who asked whether the oral question by the Committee on Women's Rights on the same subject could be taken jointly with this motion for a resolution;

— Mr Collins, *Chairman of the Committee on the Environment*, who asked for this motion for a resolution to be entered for any other day except Friday (the President replied that all sittings had equivalent status; he proposed to Mrs Crawley that the oral question she had referred to should be included in the debate on the motion for a resolution tabled by the Environment Committee;

— Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*, who proposed dealing with the question raised by the abovementioned motion for a resolution in the Commission statement on action taken on Parliament's opinions on Wednesday evening;

— Mr Collins, who said that he would prefer to leave the motion for a resolution on Friday's agenda rather than have it dealt with at the night sitting on Wednesday;

— Mrs Crawley, who expressed agreement with the President's suggestion of including the oral question in the debate.

The Fontaine report on youth exchanges and mobility (item 75) had been taken off the agenda, since the committee responsible, the Youth Committee, was disputing the legal base of the Commission proposal and the Legal Affairs Committee would therefore be examining the question pursuant to Rule 36 (3).

Mr McMahon and other members had requested the inclusion of a Commission statement on poverty in the Community, on the basis of Rule 74.

Mr McMahon and Mr Donnelly spoke on this request.

Parliament agreed to the request.

The President announced that this item would therefore be included at the end of Friday's agenda.

Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*, pointed out that if Parliament wanted this statement to be made by the Commissioner responsible, Mrs Papan-dreou, it would have to be made on a different day, since Mrs Papan-dreou could not be present on Friday.

The President suggested taking this item at the Enlarged Bureau meeting open to all Members to be held on Wednesday, 24 April.

Mr Bangemann agreed in principle with this suggestion.

The order of business was thus established.

Application of Rule 116 (1) (procedure without report)

This procedure had been requested by:

A. the Committee on the Environment, for a proposal for a directive amending Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (C 3-0091/91 — SYN 325). (This proposal would be put to the vote at 5 p.m. on Wednesday evening.)

B. the Committee on Agriculture for

a proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 426/86 on the common organization of the

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market in products processed from fruit and vegetables (C 3-0089/91);

a proposal for a regulation amending Regulation (EEC) No 1191/89 derogating from Regulation (EEC) No 797/85 as regards certain investment aids in the pig production sector (C 3-0102/91). (These proposals would be put to the vote at the beginning of the sitting on Friday.)

13. Topical and urgent debate (subjects proposed)

The President proposed the following four subjects for the next topical and urgent debate to be held on Thursday:

- famine in Africa,
- Western Sahara,
- human rights,
- accidents at sea.

The following spoke:

— Mr Rogalla who, referring to remarks made on the subject in the past, noted that the public gallery was full and that there were also visitors in the gallery reserved for diplomats, following a decision by the Secretary-General which he welcomed;

— Mr Speciale who, in reference to the disasters at sea off Livorno and Genoa, argued that immediate action was required and that there should be a debate with Commission participation on the question of port security (the President replied that there was no question now of holding an impromptu debate, that he had sent messages of sympathy on Parliament's behalf, first and foremost to the families of the victims, and that, as regards the substance of the question, the committee responsible was the Committee on Transport);

— Mrs Magnani Noya, who thanked the President for sending messages of sympathy, but deplored the environmental damage caused by these disasters and called for a debate (the President replied that the Italian coast was not alone in being affected by pollution problems of this kind and that the situation was being monitored by the Italian authorities; he added that there would be a statement but no debate);

— Mr Bettini, who called for a debate on this subject (the President replied that the Italian Government's committee of inquiry had first to complete its investigations);

— Mr Stewart, who criticized the lack of measures governing security at sea and also called for a debate;

— Mr Speciale, who also called for a Commission statement on these problems, along with a debate (the President replied that the Community bodies had not so far been involved in the matter and that the situation was currently being dealt with by the Italian authorities);

— Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*, in support of the President's reply, and to point out that, although it was a European issue, it was currently the responsibility of the Italian authorities;

— Mrs Aglietta, on the list of subjects proposed for the topical and urgent debate and on the conduct of business;

— Mr Coimbra Martins who, referring to the disasters off the Italian coast, argued that they raised a basic issue going beyond exclusively Italian interests and affected the Mediterranean as a whole. He added his voice to the demands for an urgent debate on this matter.

The President reminded members that they could table objections in relation to the topical and urgent debate.

14. Deadlines for tabling amendments and motions for resolutions

The President announced that the deadline for tabling amendments to the items on the agenda had expired.

A deadline would be set subsequently for the Cornelissen report on budget guidelines for 1992, which was due to be examined in committee that evening, and for any items added to the agenda.

The following deadlines had also been set:

(a) for the Council and Commission statements on the Intergovernmental Conference on Political Union and the oral question on strengthening democratic legitimacy (items 49 and 50):

motions for resolutions: 12 noon on Tuesday,

amendments to these motions: 12 noon on Wednesday (vote: 6.30 p.m. on Thursday);

(b) for the European Council and Commission statements on the Luxembourg European Council (Kurds):

motions for resolutions: 3 p.m. on Wednesday;

(c) for the oral questions on arms exports (items 54 to 58);

motions for resolutions: expired,

amendments to these motions: extended to 8 p.m. on Tuesday.

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15. Speaking time

The debates were to be organized as follows, pursuant to Rule 83:

— *Speaking time for debates on Monday*

Rapporteurs: 50 minutes (10 × 5 minutes)

Draftsmen: 18 minutes in all

Commission: 35 minutes in all

Members: 180 minutes

— *Speaking time for debates on Tuesday*

Rapporteurs: 60 minutes (12 × 5 minutes)

Draftsmen: 30 minutes in all

Commission: 50 minutes in all

Members: 270 minutes

— *Speaking time for debates on Wednesday*

(a) *Political Union*

Council: 30 minutes in all

Commission: 20 minutes in all

Author: 5 minutes

Rapporteur: 5 minutes

Members: 90 minutes

(b) *European Council*

Council: 20 minutes in all

Commission: 15 minutes in all

Author: 5 minutes

(c) *Oral questions on armaments*

Authors: 20 minutes (10 × 2 minutes)

EPC: 15 minutes in all

Members: 60 minutes

— *Speaking time for debates on Thursday (with the exception of the debate on topical and urgent subjects of major importance)*

Rapporteurs: 50 minutes (10 × 5 minutes)

Draftsmen: 40 minutes in all

Commission: 30 minutes in all

Members: 90 minutes

**Allocation of speaking time for members
(in minutes)**

Total	60	90	120	150	180	210	240	270	300	330
<i>Group</i>										
Socialist Group	14	25	35	45	55	65	75	85	95	106
Group of the European People's Party	10	17	24	31	38	45	52	59	66	73
Liberal, Democratic and Reformist Group	6	8	11	14	16	19	22	25	28	30
European Democratic Group	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22
Green Group in the European Parliament	4	6	7	9	11	12	14	16	17	19
Group for the European Unitarian Left	4	5	7	9	10	12	13	15	17	18
Group of the European Democratic Alliance	4	5	6	7	9	10	12	12	14	15
Technical Group of the European Right	3	4	5	6	7	8	8	9	10	11
Rainbow Group	3	4	5	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Left Unity Group	3	4	5	5	6	7	8	9	9	10
Non-attached members	5	6	7	9	10	11	12	13	14	15

16. Request for the waiver of the immunity of Mr Stamoulis (debate and vote)

Mr Gil-Robles introduced his report, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities, on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Stamoulis to be waived (A 3-0066/91).

IN THE CHAIR: MR ROMEOS

Vice-President

The following spoke: Mr Vecchi, on behalf of the EUL Group, Mr Dillen, on behalf of the ER Group, Mr Caudron, to request that Parliament should be informed of the judicial outcome of the waiving of the

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parliamentary immunity, Mr De Rossa, on behalf of the LU Group, and Mr Schodruch.

The President declared the debate closed.

VOTE

Parliament adopted the decision (*part II, item 1*).

17. Fifth request for the waiver of the immunity of Mr Pannella (debate and vote)

Mr Gil-Robles introduced his report, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities, on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Pannella to be waived (A 3-0068/91).

The President declared the debate closed.

VOTE

Parliament adopted the decision (*part II, item 2*).

18. Request for the waiver of the immunity of Mr Taradash (debate and vote)

Mr Gil-Robles introduced his report, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities, on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Taradash to be waived (A 3-0067/91).

The President declared the debate closed.

VOTE

Parliament adopted the decision (*part II, item 3*).

19. Laws of Member States relating to machinery (debate) ** II

Mr Christiansen introduced the recommendation for the second reading, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy, on the common position established by the Council with the view to the adoption of a directive amending Directive 89/392/EEC on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to machinery (C 3-0011/91 — SYN 233) (A 3-0057/91).

The following spoke: Mr Friedrich, on behalf of the EPP Group, Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*, Mr Christiansen, on the previous

speaker's remarks, and Mr Bangemann who replied to him.

The President declared the debate closed.

Vote: Part I, item 11 of minutes of 17 April 1991.

20. Hot-water boilers (debate) ** I

Mr Lataillade introduced his report, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs and Industrial Policy, on the Commission proposal for a Council directive concerning the efficiency requirements for new, hot-water boilers fired with liquid or gaseous fuels (COM(90) 0368 final C 3-0386/90 — SYN 294) (A 3-0063/91).

The following spoke: Mr Barton, on behalf of the SOC Group, Mr Patterson, on behalf of the ED Group, Mrs Ewing, on behalf of the RB Group, Mr Seligman, Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*, and Mr Lataillade, on the previous speaker's remarks.

The President declared the debate closed.

Vote: Part I, item 18 of minutes of 17 April 1991.

21. Dangerous substances and preparations (debate) ** II

The next item was the joint debate on two recommendations for the second reading, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection.

Mrs Schleicher introduced her recommendation on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive amending for the 10th time Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (C 3-0064/91 — SYN 224) (A 3-0056/91).

The following spoke: Mr Bowe, on behalf of the SOC Group, Mrs Jackson, on behalf of the ED Group, Mr Bettini, on behalf of the Green Group, and Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*.

Mrs Schleicher introduced her recommendation on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive amending for the 11th time Directive 76/769/EEC on the approximation of the laws, regulations and administrative provisions of the Member States relating to restrictions on the

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marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations (C 3-0063/91 — SYN 239) (A 3-0088/91).

The following spoke: Mr Bowe on Mr Bangemann's remarks, and Mr Bangemann.

The President declared the joint debate closed.

Vote: Part I, item 12 of minutes of 17 April 1991.

22. Sweeteners for use in foodstuffs (debate) ** I

Mrs Jackson introduced her report, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Consumer Protection, on the Commission proposal for a Council directive on sweeteners for use in foodstuffs (COM(90) 0381 final — C 3-0320/90 — SYN 196) (A 3-0080/91).

The following spoke: Mrs Green, on behalf of the SOC Group, and Mrs Schleicher, on behalf of the EPP Group.

(The sitting was suspended at 8 p.m. and resumed at 9 p.m.)

IN THE CHAIR: MR CRAVINHO

Vice-President

The following spoke: Mr Cox, Mr Monnier-Besombes, Mrs Bjørnvig, Mr Titley, Mr Gasoliba I Böhm, Mr Lane, Mr Vernier, Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*, Mrs Jackson, rapporteur, who put a question to the Commission which Mr Bangemann answered.

The President declared the debate closed.

Vote: Part I, item 19 of minutes of 17 April 1991.

23. Transit of natural gas (debate) ** II

Mr Gasoliba I Böhm introduced the recommendation for the second reading, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on Energy, Research and Technology, on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a directive on the transit of natural gas through the major systems (C 3-0012/91 — SYN 206) (A 3-0069/91).

The following spoke: Mr Siso Cruellas, draftsman of the opinion of the Committee on Economic and Mone-

tary Affairs and Industrial Policy, Mr Desama, on behalf of the SOC Group, Mr Porto, on behalf of the LDR Group, Mr Seligman, on behalf of the ED Group, Mr Bettini, on behalf of the Green Group, Mr Fitzsimons, on behalf of the EDA Group, Mr Melis, on behalf of the RB Group, Mr De Rossa, on behalf of the LU Group, Mr van der Waal, non-attached member, and Mr Bangemann, *Vice-President of the Commission*.

The President declared the debate closed.

Vote: Part I, item 13 of minutes of 17 April 1991.

24. Aromatized drinks (debate) ** II

Mr Dalsass introduced the recommendation for the second reading, drawn up on behalf of the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Rural Development, on the common position established by the Council with a view to the adoption of a regulation laying down general rules on the definition, description and presentation of aromatized wines, aromatized wine-based drinks and aromatized wine-product cocktails (C 3-0010/91 — SYN 324) (A 3-0087/91).

The following spoke: Mr de Montesquiou, on behalf of the LDR Group, Mr Alavanos, on behalf of the LU Group, and Sir Leon Brittan, *Vice-President of the Commission*.

The President declared the debate closed.

Vote: Part I, item 14 of minutes of 17 April 1991.

25. Commission statement on shipbuilding

Sir Leon Brittan, *Vice-President of the Commission*, made a statement on shipbuilding.

The following asked brief questions pursuant to Rule 56 (2): Mr McMahon, Mr Nicholson and Mr Paisley.

Sir Leon Brittan replied to the questions.

The following spoke: Mr McMahon, to ask a supplementary, to which Sir Leon Brittan replied, Mr Nicholson and Mr Paisley, who also asked supplementaries to which Sir Leon replied.

Mr Nicholson thanked Sir Leon Brittan for his replies.

26. Agenda for next sitting

The President announced the following agenda for the sitting on Tuesday, 16 April 1991:

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9 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. and 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.:

— topical and urgent debate (announcement of motions tabled);

— statement by the chairman of the Committee on Budgets on emergency aid for the Kurds;

— recommendation for the second reading by Mr Hoon on money laundering ** II;

— recommendation for the second reading by Mr Salema on the legal protection of computer programs ** II;

— report by Mrs Magnani Noya on the EEC-Malta Association Agreement ***;

— recommendation for the second reading by Lord O'Hagan on the protection of workers ** II;

— joint debate on six reports (Synn, Theato, Hoff, Simmonds, Kellett-Bowman) on the budget;

— report by Mr Theato and Mr Lamassoure on the draft supplementary and amending budget No 1/91 (1);

— report by Mr Cornelissen on the budgetary guidelines for 1992.

12.15 p.m.

— formal sitting on the occasion of the visit of Mr Pérez de Cuellar, Secretary General of the United Nations Organization.

3 p.m.:

— topical and urgent debate (list of subjects to be included).

6 p.m. to 7 p.m.:

— voting time (motions for resolutions on which the debate has closed with the exception of those under the Single Act).

(1) The vote would be taken at 5 p.m. on Wednesday.

(The sitting was closed at 11.05 p.m.)

Enrico VINCI
Secretary-General

Sir Fred CATHERWOOD
Vice-President

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PART II

Texts adopted by the European Parliament

1. Request for the waiver of the immunity of Mr Stamoulis

— A3-0066/91

DECISION

on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Stamoulis to be waived*The European Parliament,*

- having received a request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Stamoulis to be waived, forwarded by the Greek Minister of Justice on 23 July 1990 and announced on 11 September 1990,
 - having regard to Article 10 of the Protocol on the Privileges and Immunities of the European Communities of 8 April 1965, and to Article 4(2) of the Act concerning the Election of Representatives to the European Parliament by direct universal suffrage of 20 September 1976,
 - having regard to the judgments of the Court of Justice of the European Communities of 12 May 1964 and 10 July 1986 ⁽¹⁾,
 - having regard to Article 62 of the Greek Constitution,
 - having regard to Rule 5 of its Rules of Procedure,
 - having regard to the report of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities (A3-0066/91),
1. Decides not to waive the parliamentary immunity of Mr Stamoulis;
 2. Instructs its President immediately to forward this decision and the report of its committee to the appropriate authority of the Hellenic Republic.

⁽¹⁾ Judgment of the Court of Justice, in Case 101/63: Wagner v. Fohrmann and Krier [1964] ECR 397 and Case 149/85: Wybot v. Faure [1986] ECR 2403.

2. Fifth request for the waiver of the immunity of Mr Pannella

— A3-0068/91

DECISION

on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Pannella to be waived*The European Parliament,*

- having received a request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Pannella to be waived, forwarded by the Minister of Justice of the Italian Republic on 29 October 1990 and announced on 23 November 1990,

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- having regard to Article 10 of the Protocol on the Privileges and Immunities of the European Communities of 8 April 1965, and to Article 4(2) of the Act concerning the Election of Representatives to the European Parliament by direct universal suffrage of 20 September 1976,
- having regard to the judgments of the Court of Justice of the European Communities of 12 May 1964 and 10 July 1986 ⁽¹⁾,
- having regard to Article 68 of the Italian Constitution,
- having regard to Rule 5 of its Rules of Procedure,
- having regard to the report of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities (A3-0068/91),

1. Decides not to waive the parliamentary immunity of Mr Pannella;
2. Instructs its President immediately to forward this decision and the report of its committee to the appropriate authority of the Italian Republic.

⁽¹⁾ Judgment of the Court of Justice, in Case 101/63: Wagner v. Fohrmann and Krier [1964] ECR 397 and Case 149/85: Wybot v. Faure [1986] ECR 2403.

3. Request for the waiver of the immunity of Mr Taradash

— A3-0067/91

DECISION

on the request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Taradash to be waived

The European Parliament,

- having received a request for the parliamentary immunity of Mr Taradash to be waived, forwarded by the Ministry of Justice of the Italian Republic on 21 November 1990 and announced on 14 December 1990,
- having regard to Article 10 of the protocol on the Privileges and Immunities of the European Communities of 8 April 1965, and to Article 4(2) of the Act concerning the Election of Representatives to the European Parliament by direct universal suffrage of 20 September 1976,
- having regard to the judgments of the Court of Justice of the European Communities of 12 May 1964 and 10 July 1986 ⁽¹⁾,
- having regard to Article 68 of the Italian Constitution,
- having regard to Rule 5 of its Rules of Procedure,
- having regard to the report of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, the Verification of Credentials and Immunities (A3-0067/91),

1. Decides not to waive the parliamentary immunity of Mr Taradash;
2. Instructs its President immediately to forward this decision and the report of its committee to the appropriate authority of the Italian Republic.

⁽¹⁾ Judgment of the court of Justice, in Case 101/63: Wagner v. Fohrmann and Krier [1964] ECR 397 and Case 149/85: Wybot v. Faure [1986] ECR 2403.

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