

Thursday 4 September 2008

IN THE CHAIR: Manuel António dos SANTOS

*Vice-President*

## **11. Approval of the Minutes of the previous sitting**

The Minutes of the previous sitting were approved.

## **12. Debate on cases of breaches of human rights, democracy and the rule of law (debate)**

*(For the titles and authors of the motions for resolutions, see Minutes of 02.09.2008, Item 3)*

### **12.1. Coup in Mauritania**

Motions for resolutions: B6-0386/2008, B6-0392/2008, B6-0397/2008, B6-0398/2008, B6-0408/2008 and B6-0409/2008

Alain Hutchinson, Marios Matsakis, Esko Seppänen, Marie Anne Isler Béguin, Ryszard Czarnecki and Colm Burke introduced motions for resolutions.

The following spoke: Laima Liucija Andrikienė, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Leopold Józef Rutowicz, on behalf of the UEN Group, Raül Romeva i Rueda, on behalf of the Verts/ALE Group, Koenraad Dillen, Non-attached Member, and Filip Kaczmarek.

The following spoke under the 'catch-the-eye' procedure: Eija-Riitta Korhola, Glyn Ford and Zbigniew Zaleski.

The following spoke: Benita Ferrero-Waldner (Member of the Commission).

The debate closed.

Vote: *Minutes of 04.09.2008, Item 13.1.*

### **12.2. Hangings in Iran**

Motions for resolutions: B6-0389/2008, B6-0394/2008, B6-0400/2008, B6-0401/2008, B6-0403/2008 and B6-0404/2008

Paulo Casaca, Charles Tannock, Marios Matsakis, Felekna Uca, Raül Romeva i Rueda and Marcin Libicki introduced motions for resolutions.

The following spoke: Tunne Kelam, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Proinsias De Rossa, on behalf of the PSE Group, Marco Cappato, on behalf of the ALDE Group, Mogens Camre, on behalf of the UEN Group, Koenraad Dillen, Non-attached Member, Bernd Posselt, Józef Pinior, Janusz Onyszkiewicz and Marek Aleksander Czarnecki.

The following spoke under the 'catch-the-eye' procedure: Dumitru Oprea, Aloyzas Sakalas, Ewa Tomaszewska and Zbigniew Zaleski.

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The following spoke: Benita Ferrero-Waldner (Member of the Commission).

The debate closed.

Vote: *Minutes of 04.09.2008, Item 13.2.*

### 12.3. Albino killings in Tanzania

Motions for resolutions: B6-0387/2008, B6-0390/2008, B6-0391/2008, B6-0405/2008, B6-0406/2008 and B6-0407/2008

Ryszard Czarnecki, Laima Liucija Andrikiienė, Marios Matsakis and Erik Meijer introduced motions for resolutions.

The following spoke: Charles Tannock, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group, Lidia Joanna Geringer de Oedenberg, on behalf of the PSE Group, Ewa Tomaszewska, on behalf of the UEN Group, and Urszula Krupa, on behalf of the IND/DEM Group.

The following spoke under the 'catch-the-eye' procedure: Avril Doyle.

The following spoke: Benita Ferrero-Waldner (Member of the Commission).

The debate closed.

Vote: *Minutes of 04.09.2008, Item 13.3.*

## 13. Voting time

Details of voting (amendments, separate and split votes, etc.) appear in the 'Results of votes' annex to the Minutes.

The results of roll-call votes are available in electronic form only, as an annex to the Minutes, and can be accessed via Europarl.

### 13.1. Coup in Mauritania (vote)

Motions for resolutions: B6-0386/2008, B6-0392/2008, B6-0397/2008, B6-0398/2008, B6-0408/2008 and B6-0409/2008

(Simple majority)

(Voting record: 'Results of votes', Item 10)

MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION RC-B6-0386/2008

(replacing B6-0386/2008, B6-0392/2008, B6-0397/2008, B6-0398/2008, B6-0408/2008 and B6-0409/2008):

tabled by the following Members:

- Colm Burke, Charles Tannock, Urszula Gacek, Bernd Posselt, Eija-Riitta Korhola, Tunne Kelam, Carlos José Iturgaiz Angulo, Laima Liucija Andrikiienė, Iles Braghetto and Jean-Pierre Audy, on behalf of the PPE-DE Group,
- Pasqualina Napoletano, Marie-Arlette Carlotti and Alain Hutchinson, on behalf of the PSE Group,