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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

pursuant to Rule 133 of the Rules of Procedure

on a UN assertion that four million refugees are ready to head for Europe

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Motion for a European Parliament resolution on a UN assertion that four million refugees are ready to head for Europe

The European Parliament,

- having regard to Rule 133 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas, according to Michael Moeller, Head of the UN Geneva office, at least four million Syrian refugees are prepared to head for Europe if the neighbouring countries currently sheltering them, Jordan, Lebanon and Turkey, do not receive the necessary assistance;
- 1. Calls on the Commission and the Vice-President/High Representative for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy to contact the UN and the governments of Jordan, Lebanon and Turkey with a view to establishing the exact number of refugees and their situation and deciding what measures need to be taken to assist them on the spot and thereby avoid encouraging a massive exodus towards Europe.