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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

pursuant to Rule 133 of the Rules of Procedure
on the re-establishing of national borders to tackle Islamist terrorism

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The European Parliament,

- having regard to Rule 133 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas the High Representative stated on 16 September 2015 that 'it would not make sense for would-be terrorists to present themselves as refugees, as their fingerprints are automatically registered in the Eurodac file';
- B. whereas the Paris attacks on 13 November marked a brutal contradiction of these rather ill-judged words, as it has since been established that at least two of the terrorists took the route used by migrants to reach France;
- C. whereas the Schengen area is unsuccessful and endangers public security in the European Union Member States;
- D. whereas re-establishing national borders on a long-term basis is therefore essential if the threat of Islamist terrorism is to be addressed;
- 1. Calls on the Commission to dissolve the Schengen agreement so that Member States are able to re-establish national border checks on a long-term basis;
- 2. Instructs its President to forward this resolution to the Council, the Commission and the governments and parliaments of the Member States.

