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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

pursuant to Rule 133 of the Rules of Procedure

on energy poverty

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Motion for a European Parliament resolution on energy poverty

The European Parliament,

- having regard to Rule 133 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas two billion people are living in a state of energy poverty, and it is estimated that this number could rise to 3 billion by 2030;
- B. whereas in Europe alone half of citizens have difficulty paying bills relating to primary and productive energy services, which we need to eat, keep warm, maintain good health and to travel;
- 1. Calls on the Commission, given the social and economic implications of this matter, to adopt the policies necessary to guarantee all EU citizens access to the energy required to meet their individual needs.