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# **MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION**

pursuant to Rule 133 of the Rules of Procedure

on the imposition of sanctions against countries which finance and support  
ISIS

**Gianluca Buonanno**

**Motion for a European Parliament resolution on the imposition of sanctions against countries which finance and support ISIS**

*The European Parliament,*

- having regard to Rule 133 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas ISIS has clearly been receiving financial and logistical support from countries such as Qatar, Turkey, Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates (UAE) and Kuwait;
- B. whereas this support has taken the form of cash donations, assistance in money laundering and trading in crude oil;
- C. whereas such countries have for some time now been playing an odious double game in respect of the international community – on the one hand allowing the use of their air space and military bases to combat ISIS, while on the other hand actively supporting ISIS;
- D. whereas the EU has adopted sanctions against Russia as a result of a border conflict with Ukraine when the seriousness of that country's involvement and violations of international law are nothing in comparison to the seriousness of the above-mentioned countries supporting ISIS;
- 1. Calls on the Commission urgently to adopt the necessary sanctions against Qatar, Turkey, Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates (UAE) and Kuwait to shut off the support they are providing to ISIS, including by freezing and confiscating all property, bank accounts, company shares, movable and immovable assets held in the EU by the royal families/governing bodies of those countries directly or through their administrative and public investment bodies.