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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

pursuant to Rule 133 of the Rules of Procedure
on European university initiatives

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Motion for a European Parliament resolution on European university initiatives

The European Parliament,

- having regard to Rule 133 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas in European universities there is a broad propensity on the part of students to set up free and independent university newspapers, born of the need for a forum and think-tank on subjects of interest to young people;
- B. whereas one of the key aims of these information tools is the will to change the way of obtaining information, as an alternative to the information that can be found through the usual media outlets;
- C. whereas if resources were allocated, university newspapers included in a single European network could become an inexhaustible source of information and training;
- 1. Calls on the Commission to consider these issues as part of its youth and cultural policies;
- 2. Calls on the Commission to introduce a set of rules to protect university newspapers in the Member States.