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# **MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION**

pursuant to Rule 133 of the Rules of Procedure  
on conditions on turkey farms

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**Motion for a European Parliament resolution on conditions on turkey farms**

*The European Parliament,*

- having regard to Rule 133 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas animal welfare associations have uncovered unacceptable practices employed on some turkey farms;
- B. whereas 46 million turkeys are reared each year in France alone, primarily for their meat; whereas, crammed into overcrowded buildings or tiny cages, turkeys do not have the space they need to behave naturally;
- C. whereas these practices must be stopped as a matter of urgency, all the more so given that alternatives are available;
- 1. Calls on the Commission to consider ways of incorporating concerns about the treatment of turkeys into national strategies to improve animal welfare.