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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

pursuant to Rule 143 of the Rules of Procedure

on the implementation of measures to counteract the progressive ageing of Europe's population

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Motion for a European Parliament resolution on the implementation of measures to counteract the progressive ageing of Europe's population

The European Parliament,

- having regard to Rule 143 of its Rules of Procedure,
- A. whereas the document on demographic change published by the Commission on 11 October 2023 underscores the fact that Europe's population is undergoing major transformation owing to various factors, including falling fertility rates and out-migration;
- B. whereas according to one of the forecasts for the future composition of the population, concerning the ratio of older people to people of working-age, that ratio will increase from 33 % today to 60 % by the end of the century;
- C. whereas this phenomenon has potential consequences that include widespread economic shortfalls across the European Community, a decrease in growth, competitiveness and production, and severe pressure on the social security system;
 1. Urges the Commission to take action to counteract and forestall the main causes of the phenomenon of the ageing of Europe's population;
 2. Calls on the Commission to take action to counterbalance this phenomenon through investments and measures to support young Europeans.