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Subject: Climate change

Ever more frequently, large sectors of the international scientific world are 'cooling' their position on the theory of global warming, which has hitherto been almost universally endorsed. More specifically, what is now being called into question is the significance of the responsibility of humans and their industrial activities in the climate change process. Moreover, laboratory data have shown that February 2009 was the coldest since 2000.

In the light of these brief considerations, without referring to the substantial mass of information available in the scientific debate,

- does the Commission not think the time has come to calmly review the EU's environment policy, which has hitherto supinely adhered to the catastrophist theory of global warming caused by humans?
- Does the Commission not therefore consider it would be advisable to use the huge financial resources which have thus far been earmarked for climate change to alleviate the extreme survival difficulties of most of humankind?

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