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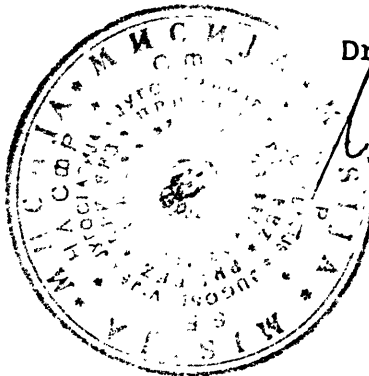
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Dear Mr. President,

Enclosed please find the letter which Dr. Slobodan Gligorijević, the President of the Assembly of the S.F.R. of Yugoslavia, has sent to you through our Mission.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you the assurances of my highest consideration and esteem.



Dr. Mihailo Crnobrnja

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ASSEMBLY OF THE SOCIALIST FEDERAL
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PRESIDENT

July, 25, 1991.

Mr. President,

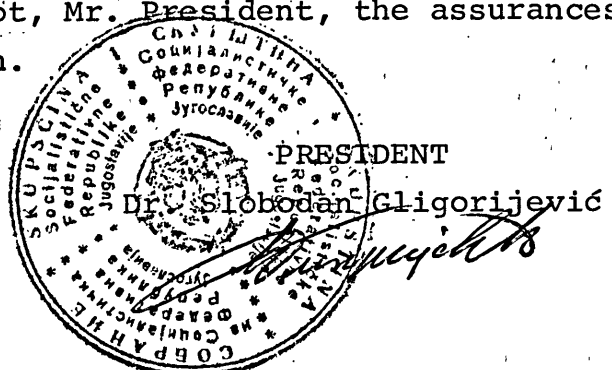
Thank you very much for your letter of July 2, 1991, concerning the current situation in Yugoslavia. It is understandable that the current developments in our country are causing the concern of the European Parliament and of you personally.

I fully share your view that the Yugoslav parliamentary institutions should play a major role in resolving the present crisis in the country. We are taking specific steps to that end. Preparations are now underway for adopting, as soon as possible, a Law on Multi-Party Elections to the Federal Parliament, so that the new composition of the Parliament could pass decisions on the resolution of the constitutional crisis in Yugoslavia. I would also like to inform you that the Federal Chamber of the Assembly of the SFRY, at its session held on July 24, 1991, reviewed the situation in the country and adopted a special statement in that connexion. For your information, please find enclosed the text of that statement. I would appreciate it if all the members of the European Parliament were acquainted with the text.

I avail myself of this opportunity to express my gratitude for the readiness of the European Parliament to cooperate with the Assembly of the SFRY in connexion with the present situation in Yugoslavia. We also desire the further strengthening of relations between our two Parliaments in all areas.

Please accept, Mr. President, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Mr. Enrique Baron Crespo,
President of the
European Parliament,
Bruxelles





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Bearing in mind the situation in the country, the Federal Chamber at its 80th session on July 24, 1991*:

- demands most vigorously from all the participants in the decision-making process in the republics and provinces, and from the federal bodies to ensure that all armed conflicts in the country be immediately and unconditionally stopped, the full protection of human lives and property and to guarantee the respect of the rights and freedoms of man on the whole territory of Yugoslavia;

- reiterates its previous stance that the Yugoslav crisis be resolved only through peaceful means in a democratic and civilized manner through negotiations in which the equality of all participants will be respected;

- notes that in the existing circumstances the consistent realization of obligations and implementation of commitments determined in the Joint Declaration, adopted on July 7, 1991 at Brioni, represent a prerequisite for creating conditions for the normal work of the federal bodies during the moratorium and for initiating negotiations on all aspects of the future of Yugoslavia without any preconditions and for the implementation of individual and joint interests of the Yugoslav nations and nationalities in accordance with the UN Charter and in line with the principles contained in the Helsinki Final Act and the Paris Charter on new Europe;

Consequently the Chamber requests the republican and provincial, as well as federal bodies to consistently fulfil the commitments which they have undertaken before the Yugoslav and world public by accepting the Joint Declaration;

- calls upon all the citizens of Yugoslavia, their organizations and associations, political parties and peace movements, exercising their civic and human rights to vigorously request from and influence the authorities on all levels, as well as highest state officials, particularly in the republics and provinces to exert utmost efforts in the bringing of decisions on taking of activities aimed at putting a stop to the bloodshed and all conflicts, return of refugees to their homes, securing of a peaceful life, economic development and higher quality of living for all, and to act in line with their public statements and publicly undertaken obligations.

*/ The session was not attended by the delegates of Slovenia and Croatia.

*Le Président
du Parlement Européen*

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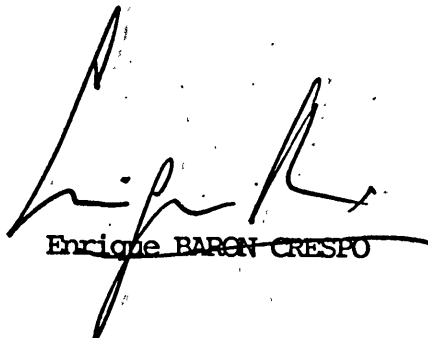
Monsieur le Président,

La situation dramatique que connaît votre pays est l'objet d'une très vive inquiétude dans la Communauté européenne et au sein du Parlement européen qui en représente les citoyens.

Il est primordial que l'engagement pris par les parties prenantes au conflit devant les trois ministres des Affaires étrangères, représentant le Conseil de la Communauté européenne, soit respecté. Un cessez-le-feu, le retour des troupes fédérales dans les casernes et un moratoire d'indépendance de la part des républiques Slovène et Croate s'imposent afin de créer les conditions qui permettent d'ouvrir un dialogue constructif entre vous.

Les institutions parlementaires de votre pays peuvent et doivent jouer un rôle déterminant dans ce dialogue. Par essence, ces institutions sont des lieux de confrontation pacifique de positions divergentes et de recherche de solutions préservant le droit des minorités, la seule arme des parlements étant la parole. Le Parlement européen est prêt à collaborer à l'instauration d'un tel dialogue, si tel est votre souhait, et s'apprête à prendre des initiatives en ce sens notamment dans la perspective de l'examen du troisième protocole financier CEE/Yougoslavie.

Veillez agréer, Monsieur le Président, l'expression de ma haute considération.



Enrique BARRA CRESPO