



Resolution 444 (1970)¹

European computer industry

Parliamentary Assembly

The Assembly,

1. Welcoming with satisfaction that the Committee on Science and Technology has started to examine the problems of the European computer industry ;
2. Convinced that a coherent and uniform European computer policy worked out in common by European governments and through co-operation agreements between European computer industries would contribute significantly to Europe's technological capacity ;
3. Regretting that this industry, for reasons which embrace compatibility, systems and cost, has not so far been able to make a proposal to the European Space Research Organisation (ESRO) for its computer installations which all the governments concerned could willingly accept to support,
4. Resolves :
 - a. to urge its Committee on Science and Technology to submit a report on the European computer industry to a forthcoming session of the Assembly ;
 - b. to invite the European computer industry to make, in the meantime, a special effort to organise itself in such a way as to be able to make, before the 3rd European Space Conference to be held in the summer of 1970, a proposal to ESRO for its computer installations which will meet ESRO's technical requirements and cost specifications.

1. Assembly debate on 20 April 1970 (3rd Sitting) (see [Doc. 2750](#), report of the Committee on Science and Technology). Text adopted by the Assembly on 20 April 1970 (3rd Sitting).

