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## INTERIOR MINISTER COLLOMB RELIEVED AS THE LAW FOR ASYLUM & IMMIGRATION IS VOTED

MEPS VOTED BY 228 AGAINST 139 AND 24 ABS

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**USPA NEWS** - It's a victory for Interior Minister Gerard Collomb, who has been he defending the text "for a controlled immigration, an effective right of asylum and a successful integration"<sup>[?]</sup>, despite the many controversies surrounding this bill. The French Parliament (National Assembly) adopted Sunday night at first reading the Asylum-Immigration bill by 228 votes against 139 and 24 abstentions. A vote that comes after a full week of heated debate and consideration of a thousand amendments.

FRENCH MEPS'S VALIDATED SUNDAY NIGHT THE CONTROVERSIAL BILL " LAW FOR ASYLUM AND IMMIGRATION"<sup>[?]</sup>

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The text has been approved by the LREM-Modem majority and the UDI-Agir-Independents group. The Republicans and all the left - Socialists, Communists and Rogue - voted against, as did the FN deputies. A LREM member of Parliament leaves the majority group. Several Macronist deputies expressed their reservations against the text. MP Jean-Michel Clément voted against and announced his departure from the LREM group. It precedes his probable exclusion by the president of the majority group (LREM) in the National Assembly, Richard Ferrand.

ASYLUM LAW AND IMMIGRATION LAW FIERCELEY PRESENTED BY INTERIOR MINISTER GERARD COLLOMB WAS VOTED-----It's a victory for Interior Minister Gerard Collomb, who has been an ardent defender of his bill "for a controlled immigration, an effective right of asylum and a successful integration", despite the many controversies surrounding this text. The bill was passed by a vote Sunday night at the National Assembly, after the Minister of the Interior opened the debate on the bill Tuesday night in the House of MPs. He warned those who criticize the text too much.

IT IS A SUCCESS FOR INTERIOR MINISTER GERARD COLLOMB AND A RELIEF FOR LREM (MAJORITY PARTY OF PRESIDENT MACRON)-----

It is a relief for the minister who said to critics of the bill, and to the law commission: "This subject because it has not been mastered, has seen in a number of country to surge the wave of populism and question the right of asylum ", as to justify that this solution even if it is not pleasant to hear but, if it is not applied, may generate the other extreme The rise of right-wing extremists and left-wing populists The clever warnings made it possible to convince and lead to the adhesion of the majority (228 votes against 139 and 24 abstentions) of voters in hemicycle, after so many debates, debates and amendments.

With the suspension at 1:30 am in the night from Saturday to Sunday, the deputies - always around 150 - still had 375 amendments to study and finished, for those whose presence is indispensable as the rapporteur LREM Elise Fajgeles, a sixth consecutive evening in the hemicycle and more than 50 hours of debate. Never seen since the sprawling law Macron of 2014 or the battle of marriage for all of 2013. This text and its had required 110 hours of debate in Parliament.-----

It is another relief for whom is concerned at the LREM (La Republique En Marche) members, and also for the members of the government, in this period of crisis in France, hit by the successive reforms's road shows, since the Government of Edouard Philippe face the angry street grumbling of the demonstrations and strikes having blocked France (SNCF, retirees, 15 Universities on 75, Officials and Staff from Air France ... for three weeks already).-----

Gerard Collomb also explained the difficulty of managing the current migration crisis in France because some "regions are submerged by flows of applicants" .The President of the Republic Macron, even him, put himself at stake, by giving two consecutive interviews live on national TV channels on TF1 by Jean Pierre Pernaut on April 12 and April 15 and RMC-BFM TV, opposite Edwy Plenel, of Mediapart and Jean Jacques Bourdin of RMC), to calm the "storm" of the street which is in anger and does not accept the passage of the reforms, presided by the government of one year of five years of Macron.

After the two televised appearances, the Head of State had declared firmly to the journalist interviewers and without showing any temptation, nor suspicion of doubt of retreating the reforms "We will go to the end of the reform (SNCF)" and "I said that I do things and I do them " .

The same far-endist counter-attack of the Interior Minister Gerard Collomb, ended up by paying off for his side, since the bill "asylum and immigration" was finally voted, and despite the walls of petitions, including defenders of human rights, and forums signed by people from the world of associations and the defense of refugees, did not roll back the vote of this law.

Indeed, this bill "for a controlled immigration, an effective right of asylum and a successful integration" foresees to reduce to six months, recourse included, instead of 11 months today, for the instruction of the demand asylum. The big goal is clearly defended, such as: to facilitate both the expulsion of the rejected and the acceptance of the accepted.-----

Since the prediction of this bill, by the words of the Interior Gerard Collomb, this text has been discussed during 50 hours of debates in Parliament, ie six consecutive evenings and has required 5,000 amendments. The text was finally adopted and voted on the night of the dawn on Monday, April 23rd, It is almost a record, and must remember the law Macron 2014, (See article), at the time the President of the current Republic, Minister of the economy, presented his law Macron "for the growth and the activity", needed 110 hours of debates . (See article : THE DRAFT MACRON LAW DONE MUCH ADO IN FRANCE A TURMOIL IN A GLASS OF WATER <http://www.newsrama.uspa24.com/bericht-3144/the-draft-macron-law-done-much-ado-in-france.html> )

A TEXT LONGLY DISCUSSED AND CRITICIZED BY THE RIGHT AND THE LEFT AND THIS DESPITE THE TENACITY OF MINISTER COLLOMB-----

The point of controversy and the discord between the deputies of the right who criticized this text, reproaching him for not going far enough, and qualifying this law as "little law" while the left opposition criticizes the text the crucial part of the reform, namely the extension of the maximum period of detention for immigrants awaiting expulsion and the reduction of the appeal period for rejected persons.

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