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FEETHAM FOUND TO BE MISLEADING THE READERS OF "IN TOUCH" MAGAZINE

The following motion was passed by Parliament yesterday:

“THIS HOUSE condemns the Leader of the Opposition for attempting to mislead the readers of the Gibraltar Federation of Small Businesses excellent magazine, “InTouch”, by the use of the following statements and arguments which are entirely false, namely:

that the Chief Minister compared Spain to North Korea at the United Nations;

that the Chief Minister associated himself with the comments of Dennis Matthews at the United Nations that Spain was a terrorist state;

that the Government had created a reef (which the Leader of the Opposition, in common with Spanish Partido Popular politicians describes as having laid “concrete blocks”) on environmental grounds when barely a few metres on it now plans a land reclamation next to the airport; and

that the Government is misleading the public on BOTH public finances and the strength of the economy.

And notes that the Leader of the Opposition is clearly prepared to ignore information provided to him in this House or prevent it in order to serve his own agenda and ambition, whether or not that misuse of information is damaging to the public interest of Gibraltar.”