



Opinion 94 (1979)¹

Draft regulations for a Council of Europe Human Rights Prize

Parliamentary Assembly

The Assembly,

1. Referring to the request made by the Committee of Ministers for an opinion on the draft regulations for a Council of Europe Human Rights Prize ([Doc. 4224](#)) ;
2. Reaffirming the enormous importance it attaches to the protection of human rights ;
3. Welcoming the initiative taken to create a Council of Europe Human Rights Prize,
4. Approves the principles and provisions of the draft regulations ;
5. Proposes that the Prize not only be an honorary one, but that also a sum of money be accorded to the winner ;
6. Proposes to delete the words "to be held at the seat of the Council of Europe" at the end of Article 9 of the draft regulations.

1. See [Doc. 4360](#), report of the Legal Affairs Committee. Text adopted by the Standing Committee, acting on behalf of the Assembly, on 28 June 1979.

