



## Resolution 19 (1950)<sup>1</sup>

# Production of Tobacco

Parliamentary Assembly

The Assembly,

Having examined the Document submitted by MM. Tsaldaris and Rodopoulos on a Tobacco Monopoly, decides :

1. Not to recommend the setting up of a European tobacco monopoly, with a view to financing the activities of the Council of Europe by the provision of a set percentage of its income.
2. Approving the terms contained in the Recommendation of the Committee on Economic Questions with regard to agricultural production and in particular Para. 1 (d), asks it to pursue its general examination already under way with regard to the solution of the problem of agricultural surpluses, from the angle of the cultivation of tobacco. This measure is all the more desirable in that it would assist in reducing the dollar deficit and that there is, at the present time, a surplus of European tobacco that could be absorbed by Member States of the Council of Europe.
3. Asks the Economic Committee when considering this question to take into account the supply of tobacco from the overseas territories and associated countries of the Members of the Council of Europe.

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1. Adopted 26th August 1950, at the conclusion of the Debate on the Report of the Committee on Economic Questions (see Doc. AS (2) 89 and Sitting of 26th August 1950).

