



Recommendation 1813 (2007)¹

For a European convention on promoting public health policy in drug control

Parliamentary Assembly

1. The Parliamentary Assembly refers to its [Resolution 1576 \(2007\)](#) for a European convention on promoting public health policy in drug control and recommends that the Committee of Ministers:

- 1.1. forward this resolution to the governments of member states and request them to take it into account when developing their national drug policy strategies;
- 1.2. invite the Pompidou Group and other relevant European partners to:
 - 1.2.1. promote an exchange of best practices between member states on public-health-orientated responses to problem drug use;
 - 1.2.2. promote a dialogue on problem drug use in the context of public health policy making;
 - 1.2.3. support the collection of comparable data and the development of indicators on effective responses to problem drug use;
 - 1.2.4. formulate and adopt a new framework convention on drug policy which consolidates existing scientific and medical knowledge and which may subsequently form the basis of member states' national drug policies.

1. Assembly debate on 3 October 2007 (33rd Sitting) (see [Doc. 11344](#), report of the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee, rapporteur: Mr Flynn). Text adopted by the Assembly on 3 October 2007 (33rd Sitting).

