



Order 431 (1986)¹

Protecting the cultural heritage against disasters

Parliamentary Assembly

The Assembly,

1. Recalling its [Recommendation 1042 \(1986\)](#) on protecting the cultural heritage against disasters ;
2. Noting the continuing work in this field by international bodies, national research institutions and government departments, and welcoming the concern for cultural property shown by the responsible European ministers ;
3. Stressing the importance of the continuing exchange of information, of further research and training ;
4. Concerned to collect a clearer and more comprehensive picture of the varied practice in member countries,
5. Asks its Committee on Culture and Education :
 - a. to complete its survey of national practice ;
 - b. to pursue co-operation with the competent bodies in this field, and in particular with the ministers responsible, in such matters as :
 1. establishing a European forum for the exchange of information and experience in the field ;
 2. investigating the utility of drawing up a code of practice relating to all or part of the risks involved.

1. Assembly debate on 19 September 1986 (12th Sitting) (see [Doc. 5624](#), report of the Committee on Culture and Education). Text adopted by the Assembly on 19 September 1986 (12th Sitting).

