

3 February 2026
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BUREAU MEETING OF PERMANENT CORRESPONDENTS

Tuesday 3 February 2025
09:30-17:00

Agenda

Opening of the meeting

Chair of the Committee of the Permanent Correspondents, Dr. Franz PIETSCH, will open the meeting.

1. Adoption of the agenda

Action to be taken: adopt agenda

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2. Adoption of the Report of the 97th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents

Action to be taken: take note and provide guidance on its dissemination and publication of list of decisions

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3. Report by the Presidency, the Secretariat and the Bureau members on highlights and recent developments of interest for the Pompidou Group (Nov 2025 – Feb 2026)

3.1. Report by the Presidency of the Pompidou Group

- Update on the function undertaking of the new Presidency
- Work Programme Terms of Reference (to be elaborated under item 6)
- Enhancement of Presidency Webpage
- Update on vacancy position of Head of Department Health and Addictions

3.2. Report by the Secretariat of Pompidou Group

- Participation of PG at the EUDA management board as observer/MOU
- Enhancement of Pompidou Group Website
- Update on the Secretariat structure
- Update on the cooperation activities
- (Update on MedNET)

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3.3. Report by the Members of the Bureau on their engagements - Chairing and contributing to DH-PDA (Lucien COLLIANDER, Switzerland) - Swiss Chairmanship contribution to International Health Conference, organised by Council of Europe (Strasbourg 15 October 2025) - Swiss Chairmanship contribution to 49th session of the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe (Strasbourg, 29/30 October 2025) - Swiss Contribution to the organisation of the 19th Ministerial Conference at the amount of CHF 6K 3.4. Reporting on Decision of Statutory bodies - Latest update on the GR-SOC meeting of 22/01/2026 <i>Action to be taken: take note</i>	
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4. Budgetary report	
4.1. Budget report for year 2025	P-PG/BUR(2025)2
4.2. Budget Proposal for year 2026	P-PG/BUR(2026)3
4.3. Voluntary Contribution VC 175	P-PG/BUR(2026)4
<i>Action to be taken: take note and provide guidance/endorse</i>	

5. Draft Guidelines on Combating Organised Crime Related to Drug Trafficking	
Review and discussion on the follow up steps of the: - Draft Policy Guidelines on combating organised crime related to drug trafficking (OC-DT); and - Key Priorities Document <i>Action to be taken: - in view of the outcome of the written procedure (November 2025) and discussions, take note and provide guidance on the next steps – mainly submit for adoption and further instruction at the 98th Permanent Correspondents Committee meeting in 2026.</i>	P-PG/OC-DT(2025)9 P-PG/OC-DT(2025)15 P-PG/OC-DT(2025)9(FR-Rev)

6. Terms of Reference of the Drafting Committee on Reducing Risks and Harms of Online and Digital Addictions	
Discussion and review on the final list of Observers for the Drafting Committee on Reducing Risks and Harms of Online and Digital Addictions <i>Action to be taken: take note and provide guidance/endorse</i>	P-PG(2025)4

7. Final Assessment Report of the International Drug Policy Academy (IDPA)	
Discussion and review on the Final Assessment Report of the International Drug Policy Academy (IDPA) and of the Executive Course (2023 and 2025), carried out during September-December 2025. <i>Action to be taken: take note and provide guidance on the next steps concerning the enhancement plan for the International Drug Policy Academy.</i>	P-PG(2026)6
8. Terms of Reference for 2026-2029 Work Cycle / 2026 Activity Planning	
Review of proposed Terms of Reference and Activity Planning: 8.1. Terms of Reference for Expected Results (ER): Work Programme for 2026–2029 work cycle 8.2. Year 2026 Activity Plan 8.3. Call for Assignment of Coordinators/Bureau Members for each ToR <i>Call for volunteer/assignment of 1 Bureau Member and 1 Permanent Correspondent/Expert to each Deliverable under the work programme.</i> 8.4. Gender Rapporteur <i>Action to be taken: Instruct the Secretariat on the follow up steps (Written Procedure for both Bureau and Permanent Correspondents)</i>	P-PG/BUR(2025)6 FIN P-PG(2026)2 P-PG(2026)1
9. Role of Pompidou Group at CND	
9.1. Role of Pompidou Group at CND 9.2. Proposed Statement as Pompidou Group 9.3. Side event with UNODC – concept note 9.4. Other side events? <i>Action to be taken: Adopt/Agree</i>	P-PG(2026)3 P-PG(2026)4 P-PG(2026)5
10. Preparation of the 98th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents	
The 98th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents will be held on 1-3 June in Vienna, Austria. The Bureau members are requested to identify and propose items for the draft agenda of the 98th PC meeting. <i>Action to be taken: agree on elements for the draft agenda of the 98th Committee meeting</i>	

11. Date /venue of the next (2nd) meeting of the Bureau of Permanent Correspondents and 99th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents

The Bureau members are requested to agree on a date/venue for the next Bureau meeting and the 99th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents:

Secretariat's proposal is:

- 29 September 2026 for the 2nd Bureau meeting (online)
- 5/6 or 12/13 November 2026 for the 99th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents in Strasbourg, France

Action to be taken: agree on the date/venue of the next Bureau meeting

12. Any other business / Communication / Invitations

- Preparations for 3rd Law Enforcement Conference, 7-9 July 2026, Strasbourg, France
- Spanish sponsored Activity as new member (Proposal –still to come - MedNET)
- Expertise /representation sought for the Council of Europe Conference Addressing Children's Mental Health in Relation to Social Media Use, scheduled for 4 June 2026 in Strasbourg.
- Review and discussion of potential Membership / Expression of Interests (Tunisia, Kazakhstan)
- Brief requested from The Netherlands on Health Security issues in Directorate, Department and Pompidou Group (Doc: P-PG/BUR(2026)5)
- Qatar Communication and query on observer status (2022 and 2026)
- Logistics: Interpretation for Bureau meetings

List of working documents

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1	1 st 2026 Bureau Meeting Agenda	P-PG/BUR(2026)1
2	Report of the 97th meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents	P-PG(2025)7
3	Report on Implementation of work programme 2023-2025	P-PG/BUR(2025)11
4	Budget report for year 2025	P-PG/BUR(2025)2
	Budget Proposal for year 2026	P-PG/BUR(2026)3
	Voluntary Contribution VC 175	P-PG/BUR(2026)4
5	Draft Policy Guidelines on combating organised crime related to drug trafficking (OC-DT)	P-PG/OC-DT(2025)9
	Information Note on Key Priorities	P-PG/OC-DT(2025)15
	Comments from France	P-PG/OC-DT(2025)9 (FR-Rev)
6	Proposed - Terms of Reference of the Drafting Committee on Reducing Risks and Harms of Online and Digital Addictions (MSI-ADN)	P-PG(2025)4
7	Final Assessment Report of the International Drug Policy Academy (IDPA)	P-PG(2026)6
8	Work Programme of the Pompidou Group	P-PG/BUR(2025)6FIN
	2026-2029 Work Programme – Year 2026 Activity Plan	P-PG(2026)1
	Terms of Reference for Expected Results (ER) under the Work Programme and Permanent Activities for 2026–2029 work cycle	P-PG(2026)2
9	Statement CND	P-PG(2026)3
	Concept Note of Side Events CND	P-PG(2026)4
	List of Side Events CND & Pompidou Group	P-PG(2026)5
12	Brief on the Work of the Pompidou Group - Health Security	P-PG/BUR(2026)5