



# Register of Commission expert groups and other similar entities

## Commission Expert Group

**Name:** European Alcohol and Health Forum (E02224)  
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

**Abbreviation:** EAHF

**Policy Area:** Consumer affairs

**Lead DG:** SANTE - DG Health and Food Safety

**Type:** Informal, Temporary

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** Reduce alcohol related harm.

**Task:** Other

give a platform to interested stakeholders to formulate and discuss voluntary actions to reduce alcohol related harm

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**Link to Website:** [http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph\\_determinants/life\\_style/alcohol/Forum/alcohol\\_forum\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph_determinants/life_style/alcohol/Forum/alcohol_forum_en.htm)

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## **Additional Information**

### **Activity Report**

The Commission adopted in 2006 an EU strategy to support Member States in reducing alcohol-related harm. The Strategy addresses the adverse health effects related to harmful and hazardous alcohol consumption, as well as the related social and economic consequences. As one cornerstone for the implementation of this Strategy, the signatories of this Charter have agreed to establish a European Alcohol and Health Forum. The overall objective of the Forum is to provide a common platform for all interested stakeholders at EU level that pledge to step up actions relevant to reducing alcohol-related harm. The Forum is meeting two times per year. On 8th April 2011 the 8th Plenary Meeting took place.

[http://ec.europa.eu/health/alcohol/events/index\\_en.htm#anchor2](http://ec.europa.eu/health/alcohol/events/index_en.htm#anchor2)

### **Selection Procedure (members)**

Forum members should be umbrella organisations operating at a European level, capable of playing an active role in reducing alcohol-related harm in the EU, and willing to engage in concrete and verifiable commitments towards this end. Organisations operating at national or sub-national level, or individual companies, can also be members of the Forum, if they are willing to engage in concrete and verifiable commitments under the Forum process and if their European-level umbrella organisation or federation is a member of the Forum. The Policy area of the members of this group is Public Health, with a special emphasis on Alcohol.

[http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph\\_determinants/life\\_style/alcohol/documents/Alcohol\\_charter2007.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph_determinants/life_style/alcohol/documents/Alcohol_charter2007.pdf)

### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

Expert groups usually operate in an informal setting without any formal rules of procedure. This is the case for this group.

### **Other**

The creation of this group is based on the Charter establishing the European Alcohol Forum

## Members

### Type C - Organisation

Name of Organisation	Category	Countries/Areas represented	Membership Status
Advertising Information Group (AIG)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
Anheuser-Busch InBev nv/sa (ABI)	Companies/Groups	International	Member
Association of European Professional Football Leagues (EPFL)	Professionals' Associations	European	Member
association of television and radio sales houses (egta)	Trade and business associations	European International	Member
Bacardi-Martini BV (BMBV)	Companies/Groups	International	Member
British Beer & Pub Association (BBPA)	Trade and business associations	United Kingdom	Member
Brown-Forman	Companies/Groups	International	Member
Carlsberg Breweries A/S (Carlsberg)	Companies/Groups	International	Member
Comité Européen des Entreprises Vins (CEEV)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
DFL Deutsche Fußball Liga GmbH (DFL)	Professionals' Associations	Germany	Member
Diageo	Companies/Groups	International	Member
EuroCommerce	Companies/Groups	European	Member
European agri-cooperatives (COGECA)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
European Association of Communications Agencies (EACA)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
European Cider and Fruit Wine Association (AICV)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
European farmers (COPA)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
EUROPEAN FEDERATION OF ASSOCIATIONS OF BEER AND BEVERAGES WHOLESALERS (CEGROBB)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations (EFPIA)	Companies/Groups	European	Member
European Publishers Council (EPC)	Professionals' Associations	European International	Member
European Sponsorship Association (ESA)	Companies/Groups	European	Member
European Transport Safety Council (ETSC)	NGOs	European	Member
European Travel Retail Confederation (ETRC)	Professionals' Associations	European	Member
French Hospitality in Europe (FHE)	Trade and business associations	European	Member

Heineken N.V.	Companies/Groups	International	Member
Horeca Vlaanderen	Companies/Groups	Belgium	Member
HOTREC, Hotels, Restaurants & Cafés in Europe (HOTREC)	Trade and business associations	European	Member
Ibec	Trade and business associations	European Ireland International	Member
Moët Hennessy	Companies/Groups	International	Member
PERNOD RICARD	Companies/Groups	International	Member
SABMiller Europe AG (SABMiller)	Companies/Groups	International	Member
Scotch Whisky Association (SWA)	Companies/Groups	International	Member
spiritsEUROPE (spiritsEUROPE)	Companies/Groups	European	Member
The Brewers of Europe	Trade and business associations	European	Member
World Federation of Advertisers (WFA)	Professionals' Associations	International	Member

## Type D - Member State Authority

Country		Membership Status
Austria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Belgium	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Bulgaria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Croatia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Cyprus	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Czech Republic	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Denmark	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Estonia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Finland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
France	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Germany	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Greece	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Hungary	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Ireland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Italy	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Latvia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Lithuania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Luxembourg	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Malta	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Netherlands	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Poland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Portugal	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Romania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Slovakia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Slovenia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer

Spain	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
Sweden	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer
United Kingdom	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Observer

## Subgroups

No Subgroups assigned to this group.

## Statistics

### Number of Members: 34

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	34		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

### Number of Alternate Members: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

### Number of Observers: 28

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	28		