INCB Highlights  

- Uruguay is breaking the International Conventions on Drug Control with the cannabis legislation approved by its Congress
- Joint INCB-UNODC international conference on Precursors Control in Asia
- New member of the International Narcotics Control Board elected
- 108th Session of INCB (31 October – 15 November 2013)

INCB President Concerned about Uruguay’s New Legislation

The INCB President, Mr. Raymond Yans, expresses his concerns about Uruguay breaking the International Conventions on Drug Control. Read more.

Recent UNODC publications on drugs:

- Afghanistan Opium Survey 2013
- Afghanistan Opium Survey 2013 – Summary findings
- Perú - Monitoreo de Cultivos de Coca 2012
- Afghanistan Cannabis Survey 2012

INCB country missions:

Recent:

- Indonesia
- Malaysia
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Singapore

Upcoming:

- Iceland
- Venezuela
Key Issues and Special Topics
An in-depth look at some of the issues highlighted in the INCB Annual Reports

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- New psychoactive substances
- Abuse of pharmaceutical preparations containing narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances
- Obstacles to the availability of internationally control substances for scientific purposes
- Use of cannabis seeds for illicit purposes
- International cooperation in countering the covert administration of psychoactive substances to facilitate the commission of sexual assault and other criminal acts
- Abuse of prescription drugs containing controlled substances

Past events:

December
Joint INCB-UNODC International Conference on Precursors Control in Asia, Bangkok 2-4 December 2013
Mission to Panama
Mission to Nicaragua

November
108th Session of INCB, Vienna, 28 October-15 November 2013

October
Mission to Singapore

September
Mission to Indonesia
Mission to Malaysia

Useful links:
United Nations
United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
Commission on Narcotic Drugs
United Nations Economic and Social Council
World Health Organization
World Customs Organization
INTERPOL

Upcoming events:
- 109th Session of INCB, Vienna, 3-7 February 2014
- Briefing for Permanent Missions on the INCB Annual Report 2013, Vienna, 5 February 2014
- 57th Session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs & High-level Review of the Political Declaration and Plan of Action, Vienna, 13-21 March 2014