

WRITTEN QUESTION E-3909/00

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to the Council

Subject: Alcohol awareness

There is increasing evidence that more and more people start drinking younger and younger, with specific alcoholic drinks being targeted at the very young. Much of the advertising is directed towards young women in particular. The evidence also indicates that this is a Europe-wide problem.

What action is the Council taking to raise awareness in the Member States of the need to address this growing social problem?