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RE: INQUIRY INTO DRUG LAW REFORM

Just do what works

Clearly what is happening currently is not working. In countries where drugs have been decriminalised and a harm reduction policy has been adopted, drug use has decreased along with overdoses. In contrast, in places like the US where they have 'waged a war on drugs', where penalties are extreme and a zero tolerance approach has been adopted, drug use and overdose are at alarming levels. The drug barons are clearly in control, regardless of what their government would like us to believe. Please let's learn from others' successes and failures.

-- Chris Fletcher



I'm happy for my submission and details to be made public.