

The President, Toomas Hendrik Ilves, will depart for Kiruna, Sweden, tonight to give an opening address tomorrow at an international e-health conference that will bring together several hundred regional level European politicians and entrepreneurs.

At the conference, the Estonian Head of State will speak about the developments of e-health in the European Union and Estonia, using Estonia an example for the other European countries and regions. In 2011-2012, President Ilves chaired an e-health work group that advised the European Commission and completed a report in May 2012.

The conference at Kiruna is being organised by the Assembly of European Regions and Norrbotten county government.

Link to the conference: <http://www.nll.se/alec>

Link to the report by the work group, led by President Ilves: <http://ec.europa.eu/digital-agenda/en/news/eu-task-force-ehealth-redesigning-health-europe-2020>

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