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Abortion Pills with drone brought to Poland

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The drone took off this morning from East Germany EPA

Activists from the Dutch foundation Women on Waves for the first time a drone with abortion pills sent to a country with strict abortion laws. The drone flew from Germany to Poland, where abortions are prohibited in many cases. Two Polish women in the border city of Slubice have taken the tablets. Women on Waves wants the action to draw attention to the strict abortion laws in Poland, which hosts at least 50,000 illegal abortions are performed.

Good luck

"The first abortion drone flight was a success," the organization says on <u>its website</u> (<u>http://www.womenonwaves.org/en/page/5832/first-abortion-drone-flight--a-success--</u> women-in-poland-receive-medical-abortion) . Women on Waves said beforehand that they drones to other countries hoping to send if the surgery would go well.

The unmanned plane had departed from the eastern German city of Frankfurt an der Oder. The medication was prescribed by a doctor and was glued to the drone.

Boats

After the plane had landed safely, the German police took the controller and some iPads of the organization to complete. There has filed a lawsuit, but activists do not know which they are accused.

Women on Waves abortion boat has been sent to countries with strict abortion laws, such as Portugal, Spain, Ireland and Poland.