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## **Working programme of the President**

The current term (2001-2003) of Presidency has been consecrated to the change of the secretariat from Düsseldorf to Brussels and the gain of independency, which will be achieved on the financial side this year when the VLK support will end. At the same time and linked to the integration in the CPME premises in Brussels our relation to the Associated Organisations could be reinforced. Becoming an International Non-Profit Making Association we underlined our will of recognition to be an equal interlocutor in the Brussels scene.

### **Action Plan for the President's Term 2004 – 2006**

1. Recognition of the AEMH as THE stakeholder for hospital concerns in the European scene.
2. Funding of the AEMH
  - Sponsors
  - New Members
  - EU projects
3. Increase of Board or Executive Committee meetings in order to cope with the increase of European topics demanding to take position.
4. Increase the involvement of National delegations (e.g. follow-up of health topics, alternation according to the EU Presidency).
5. Establish relationship to SANCO (DG Health and Consumer Protection)
6. Establish relationship to HOPE (Standing Committee of the Hospitals of the European Union), whose head office has now also been transferred to Brussels.
7. Organisation of an annual or biennial symposium on topics of the working groups (e.g. Risk Management) in collaboration with other stakeholders