# Bi-communal Development Programme 1998-2005

The following information provides details of grants allocated under the Bi-communal Development Programme, which was funded by the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), and administered by UNDP. The Programme was executed in Cyprus by the United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS).

The purpose of the Bi-communal Development Programme was to contribute to peace-building and cooperation throughout the island with projects benefiting both Greek Cypriots and Turkish Cypriots in areas of common concern.

All grants were provided on a non-discriminatory basis through a review process subject to the regulations and rules applicable to UNDP.

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A full list of past and ongoing projects, and project partners, is supplied, grouped thematically under the following sections:

- I. HUMANITARIAN RELIEF \$3,766,552
- II. INFRASTRUCTURE \$26,096,501
- III. ANIMAL HEALTH \$4,979,626
- IV. PUBLIC HEALTH \$1,709,620
- V. ENVIRONMENT \$4,325,830
- VI. EDUCATION AND CULTURE \$5,531,695
- VII. GOVERNANCE AND CIVIL SOCIETY DEVELOPMENT \$3,034,953
- VIII. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT \$1,846,318
- IX. INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS \$1,188,161
- X. SPECIAL INITIATIVE GRANTS \$315,833
- XI. DIRECT ASSISTANCE AT THE REQUEST OF THE UN GOOD OFFICES AND DISSEMINATION OF THE ANNAN PLAN \$515,057

#### I. HUMANITARIAN RELIEF - Total \$3,766,552

The BDP has provided support to the Cyprus Red Cross Society including administrative costs, salaries, pharmaceutical services, physical rehabilitation equipment, transportation to enclaved and displaced persons, and community services for the disabled.

The Humanitarian Relief Mission has received support for administrative costs, salaries and emergency services such as transportation of patients.

## II. INFRASTRUCTURE - Total \$26,096,501

#### 1. Nicosia Master Plan - \$7,299,306

Nicosia Master Plan planning and preservation experts

- a) Rehabilitation of the Chrysaliniotissa Neighbourhood of Nicosia
- b) Restoration of Shadow Theatre Building and Establishment of Museum in Chrysaliniotissa
- c) Chrysaliniotissa Kindergarten
- d) Restoration of Taht-el-Kale Mosque in the southern part of Nicosia
- e) New Urban Development Vision for the Core of Nicosia
- f) Survey of Buildings in the Buffer Zone and Emergency Repair Work
- g) Rehabilitation of the Arabahmet Neighbourhood of Nicosia
- h) Amateur Photography Competition
- i) Information Centre at Ledra Palace
- i) Nicosia Walking Tours
- k) Consultants, Partnership Workshops and Training

## 2. Upgrading and Rehabilitation of Nicosia Area Sewerage System - \$6,464,654

Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities

## 3. Preservation and Restoration of Nicosia's Venetian Walls - \$2,990,417

Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot antiquities experts

#### 4. Apostolos Andreas and Hala Sultan Tekke - \$5,537,832

UNOPS - Direct Execution; Intercollege Research and Development Centre; UNESCO

- a) Structure and Soils Testing on Preservation of Heritage Sites
- b) Study on Landscape Architecture
- c) International Expertise on the Preservation of Historical Sites
- d) Restoration of Ancillary Buildings and Landscaping around Apostolos Andreas Monastery
- e) Restoration of Ancillary Buildings and Landscaping around Hala Sultan Tekke Mosque
- f) Virtual Presentation of Hala Sultan Tekke Mosque Using Multimedia & 3D Imaging

#### 5. Water Supply - \$484,447

- a) Strategy Formulation
  - UNOPS Direct Execution
- b) Detection of Water Leaks in the Nicosia System

  Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities
- c) Water Supply Pilot Project Installation of Pre-paid Meters in the Nicosia Area Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot community

# 6. Waste Management - \$184,772

- a) Waste Management Strategy for Cyprus SWECO (Swedish Consultancy)
- b) Waste Management Training the Trainers
  Environmental Research and Education Centre, Society for International Development, Cyprus Marine Environment Protection Association

# 7. Research and Conferences - \$1,316,743

- a) List of Pre-1974 Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot Religious Temples Cyprus Civil Engineers and Architects Association, Chamber of Turkish Cypriot Architects
- b) Revitalisation of Historic Cities Conference of Visiting Mayors and Publication of Proceedings UNOPS Direct Execution
- c) Seismic Hazard and Risk Assessment, Nicosia Area Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities
- d) Health and Safety Training for Project Partners UNOPS - Direct Execution

#### 8. De-Silting and Fixing of Valves of the Marathassa Dam - \$126,705

Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities

### 9. Restoration of Pentakomo Spiritual Centres - \$675,241

Pentakomo Community Council

#### 10. Clean-up around Engomi Ruins - \$54,619

UNOPS - Direct Execution

#### 11. Upgrading of Traffic Calming Measures in Pyla - \$133,233

UNOPS - Direct Execution

# 12. Cypress Tree Project - An Initiative for the Rehabilitation of Cemeteries - \$404,617

UNOPS - Direct Execution

## 13. Restoration of Old Nicosia Airport Buildings for use of Bi-communal Development Programme and UN Good Offices - \$382,901

UNOPS - Direct Execution

## 14. Improving Waiting Conditions (shade, seating, water, etc.) during April 2003 Crossings - \$41015

UNOPS - Direct Execution

#### III. ANIMAL HEALTH - Total \$4,979,626

- a) Eradication of Echinoccosis/Hydatitosis
  - Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot veterinary experts
- b) Eradication of Brucellosis
  - Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot veterinary experts
- c) Eradication of Salmonella in Poultry and Poultry Products
  - Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot veterinary experts
- d) Laboratory Facility and Equipment for Viral Disease Detection

  Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot veterinary experts

#### IV. PUBLIC HEALTH - Total \$1,709,620

## 1. Patient Care and Support - \$590,405

- a) Care for the Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot Elderly in the Karpas Region Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot Community
- b) Assistance for Those Affected by Dyslexia Dyslexia Association
- c) Living Well with Diabetes Summer Camp Diabetes Association
- d) Support for Mental Patients and their Families

  The Advocacy Group for the Mentally Ill
- e) Interdisciplinary Team for Palliative Care Unit Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot Community
- f) Bi-communal Rehabilitation Centre Cyprus Rehabilitation and Counselling Association

## 2. Educational Programmes and Campaigns - \$299,613

- a) Cardiovascular Disease Prevention Campaign
  - Cyprus Heart Foundation
- b) AIDS-Free Cyprus Educational Programme on HIV/AIDS/STDs Girl Guides Association
- c) Public Education about Prevention and Early Detection of Cancer Kemal Saracoglu Cancer Foundation
- d) ADHD Awareness
  - Attention Deficit (Hyperactive) Disorder Support Group
- e) Networking of the Neurological and Genetic Communities via the Creation of Neuronet Website Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics

# 3. Health Studies and Screening - \$662,408

- a) Recruitment of Medical Director for Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics
- b) Screening for Lead Exposure in Children Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics

- c) Friedrich's Ataxia Screening in the Population originating from Paphos Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics
- d) Inherited Thrombophilia Testing of the Cypriot Population Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics
- e) Molecular and Histochemical Markers of Neoplasia Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics
- f) Type and Frequency of Human Papilloma Virus Infection in Cyprus Mendel Centre for Biomedical Sciences
- g) Male Urogenital Cancer and its Relationship to HPV Infection Mendel Centre for Biomedical Sciences
- h) Epidemiological Study of Thyroid Disease in Cyprus Institute of Scientific Research and Application
- i) Determination of the Risk Groups of Breast and Ovarian Cancer Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot Community
- j) Pancyprian Alzheimer's Disease Study Cyprus Alzheimer's Association and Turkish Cypriot Multiple Sclerosis Association
- k) Survey and Training on Heart and Cardiovascular Diseases *Turkish Cypriot Heart Association*

### 4. Drug Abuse - \$157,194

- a) Steps for Prevention of Drug Abuse: Surveys on Substance Abuse

  Turkish Cypriot Mental Health Organisation and TOLMI (KENTHEA Centre for Education about Drugs and Treatment of Drug Addicted Persons)
- b) Pilot Study for the Primary Prevention of Abuse of Illegal Psychotic Substances Centre for Education about Drugs and Treatment of Drug Addicted Persons (KENTHEA)

### V. ENVIRONMENT - Total \$4,325,830

### 1. Forestry - \$696,340

Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot forestry experts, UNOPS - Direct Execution

- a) Control of the Pine Processionary Caterpillar Threat to Forest Lands
- b) Reforestation, Silviculture and Forestry Management
- c) Innovative Biological Approaches for Reforestation of Environmentally Stressed Sites IBARESS

## 2. Recycling - \$93,651

- a) Cans for Kids
  - Cyprus Anthropic Society for Children
- b) Recycle a Can to Repel Cancer Environment and Energy Association

#### 3. Environmental Pollution - \$1,193,875

- a) Monitoring Dust Pollution in Workshops and Factories Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot Community
- b) Assessment of Marine Debris Accumulation Along the Coastline Society for International Development, Cyprus Marine Environment Protection Association (CYMEPA)
- c) Measuring Ambient Air Pollution Levels University of Stuttgart in Collaboration with the Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot communities
- d) Monitoring of Garbage Pollution on Cyprus Beaches Green Action Group
- e) Inventory of Biodegradable Waste Sources in Urban and Rural Areas in Cyprus AKTI, Environmental Society of Lefka

## 4. Clean-ups - \$553,468

- a) Mediterranean Deep Sea Clean-up
  - Cyprus Marine Environment Protection Association (CYMEPA)
- b) The Green Corners of my Neighbourhood Neighbourhood Garbage Clean-up Scheme Environmental Research and Education Centre, Cyprus Marine Environment Protection Association (CYMEPA), Society for International Development
- c) Pedieos River Cleaning and Survey Nicosia Master Plan

## 5. Animal Protection and Conservation Projects - \$521,289

- a) Conservation of the Griffon Vulture
  - Cyprus Association of Professional Foresters
- b) Monitoring and Protection of Sea Turtles
  - Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of environmental experts

- c) Research to Develop an Island-wide Conservation Strategy for the Cyprus Mouflon Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot veterinary and wildlife experts
- d) Promoting the Welfare of Working Donkeys in Cyprus Friends of the Cyprus Donkey
- e) Publication of a Book on Cyprus Snakes Hans-Jorg Wiedl

### 6. Surveys and Studies - \$1,041,368

- a) Cancer-Related Research into the Selenium Content of Cyprus Soils

  Cancer Research Foundation in collaboration with The Frederick Institute of Technology
- b) Survey of Ecologically Important Areas
  Environmental Research and Education Centre, Society for International Development
- c) Bird Diversity and Agricultural Intensification Environmental Studies Centre
- d) Inventory and Assessment of Olive Trees ProAction
- e) Determination of the Threat to the Built Environment from Swelling Clays *Technical Chamber of Cyprus*
- f) Lefka-Xeros Copper Mine Area Environmental Assessment Dr. Harvey Cohen

#### 7. Environmental Education and Awareness - \$191,720

- a) Introducing Migrant and Resident Birds to the Public KUSKOR (Kuslari Koruma Dernegi Bird Protection Association)
- b) The Young Green Consumer Survey and Awareness Campaign Soma Akriton, HASDER Youth Club
- c) World Environment Days Various NGOs and UNOPS - Direct Execution
- d) Wetlands Day 2005 UNOPS - Direct Execution

# 8. Support for Bi-communal Collaboration - \$34,439

- a) Environmental Directory UNOPS Direct Execution
- b) Bi-communal Cooperation between Environmental Experts
  Technical Chamber of Cyprus and the Union of the Chambers of Cyprus Turkish Engineers and Architects

## VI. EDUCATION AND CULTURE - Total \$5,531,695

#### 1. Strategy Formulation - \$345,874

UNOPS - Direct Execution

#### 2. Art - \$296,877

- a) Art Bridges Cyprus Organisation of 7 Bi-communal Exhibitions, Concert and Brochure Art and Wild Nature Foundation
- b) Open Studios Celebration of Art Inside the Walled City of Nicosia EKATE, Cyprus Turkish Association of Plastic Arts
- c) Promotion of Cypriot Handicrafts HASDER Folk Art Institute
- d) A Book on Cyprus Art New Cyprus Association
- e) Cyprus Art Initiative Leaps of Faith Cyprus Art Initiative

## 3. Music and Dance - \$336,733

- a) Bi-communal Choir for Peace Concerts Island-wide and Abroad Bi-communal Choir for Peace
- b) Cyprus Youth Music Creation and Support of Bi-communal Ensemble, Rehearsals and Concerts *Philokalia Music Foundation*
- c) Uniting Though Traditional Music: Creation of Database of Traditional Cypriot Music Cyprus Musicology Society

- d) Olive Tree Music: Creation of Independent Music Label for Cypriot Youth Olive Tree Music
- e) Bi-communal Dance Performances Steps for Peace
- f) Open Air Concert of Greek and Turkish Traditional Music Bishopric of Morphou Cultural Organisation
- g) Summer Cultural Events 2005 Various NGOs

#### 4. Literature - \$150,976

- a) Weeping Island: A Collection of Cypriot Literature United Cypriots Friendship Association
- b) Cyprus Folklore Archive and Library HASDER Folk Arts Association
- c) A Children's Book of Traditional Cypriot Folk Tales Highgate School
- d) Women's Research Library
  The Turkish Cypriot Association of University Women

#### 5. Television - \$2,460,448

- a) Parallel Trips: Production of a Documentary on Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot Families Artimages
- b) Gimme6 Bi-communal TV Series for Children: Building Tolerance and Mutual Understanding Through Media Search for Common Ground
- c) Bi-communal Comedy Series Script Preparation Tariman Productions, Camera-Stylo Recording Arts Productions
- d) Grant toward Akamas Documentary *Artimages*

# 6. Cultural Heritage - \$371,645

a) Cyprus Geological Heritage Education Tool - Creation of CD and Website on Cypriot Geology Intercollege Research and Development Centre and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Geologists and Mining Engineers for both communities

- b) Lapithos Village Heritage Conservancy Emergency Maintenance of 7 Churches and 1 School Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot Community
- c) House Form and Culture within Cypriot Traditional Settlements Cyprus Civil Engineers and Architects Association, Chamber of Turkish Cypriot Architects
- d) Study of Part of the Old Town of Limassol Cyprus Conservation Foundation

#### 7. Education – History - \$111,154

- Education for Peace: A Study of Bias in History and Social Science Course Books AKTI, POST
- b) What Does it Mean to Think Historically? Approaches to Teaching and Learning History Conference and Publication of Proceedings Cyprus Association for Historical Dialogue and Research

#### 8. Education – Environment - \$119,671

- a) Environmental Education for Educators and Curriculum Development Cyprus Conservation Foundation, Peace Child International
- b) Environmental Education Workshop on Freshwater Issues for Educators ECOGNOSLA - Environmental Research and Information Centre
- Environmental Education: Creation of Teacher's Manual ProAction

### 9. Teacher Training and Curriculum Development - \$112,426

- a) Assessment of Education Projects UNOPS- Direct Execution
- b) In-Service Teacher Training Seminar on Educational Research Cyprus Pedagogical Institute
- c) Training of Teachers of Mainstream Schools in Dealing with Special Needs Cyprus Rehabilitation and Counselling Association
- d) Implementing Gender and Sex Education in Public Schools Cyprus Family Planning Association
- e) Curriculum Development and Training using Gimme6 in Schools Cyprus Pedagogical Institute

# 10. Public Education - \$390,853

- a) Study and Seminars on Raising Awareness on Issues Affecting Children Centre for the Study of Childhood and Adolescence, UNOPS – Direct Execution
- b) CyprusQuiz: Bi-communal Internet Quiz Game for Youth *Hypermedia*
- c) Instructional Videos for the Deaf and Concerned Groups/Individuals Pancyprian Association of Parents of Hearing Impaired Children
- d) Conference on Federalism and Publication of Proceedings Centre for the Study of Federalism and Self-Government
- e) Conference and Education Centre Cyprus Turkish Medical Association

## 11. School Programmes - \$740,492

- a) Short Course Bi-communal Summer School Programme United World Colleges Cyprus
- b) Introducing Technology in the Classroom Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of the Turkish Cypriot Community
- c) Lefka Summer School
  Association of Women to Support Living (KAYAD)
- d) Summer Youth Camps 2005 Various NGOs

# 12. E@ting towards Unity: Website and Events to Celebrate Cypriot Cuisine - \$37,532 Eurotoques Cyprus

**13. Sponsorships of UN Day Celebrations (1998-2004) - \$57,013** *UNFICYP, UNOPS - Direct Execution* 

# VII. GOVERNANCE AND CIVIL SOCIETY DEVELOPMENT - Total \$3,034,953

### 1. Strategy Formulation - \$435,308

UNOPS - Direct Execution

## 2. Community Centres and NGO Support - \$1,273,918

- a) Establishment of AKOVA Rural Community Centre and Support of Activities AKOVA Women's Association
- b) Establishment of KAYAD Community Centre and Support of Activities Association of Women to Support Living (KAYAD)
- c) Support Centres for NGOs including Training Programmes
  Association of Management Studies, Cyprus Turkish Association of Managers, Management Centre, UNOPS Direct Execution
- d) Establishment of Mediation Centres

  Greek Cypriot Association of Mediation and North Cypriot Mediation Association
- e) Survey of Human Resource Management Policies and Practices
  - Human Resource Management Association
- f) World Congress on Civic Education Participating Individuals

#### 3. Rights Awareness - \$64,424

- a) Raising Awareness on Consumer Protection and Rights Cyprus Consumer Association
- b) Cyprus Patients' Rights Movement Patients' Rights Charter Cyprus Patients' Rights Movement

# 4. Women and Gender Equality - \$192,886

- a) Women and the Accounting Profession in a United Cyprus Survey and Book Institute of Cyprus Professional Accountants
- b) Gender, Conflict and the Media Working Towards Egalitarianism and Peace Workshops and Publications Mediterranean Institute of Gender Studies
- c) Research on Cypriot Women's Education and Employment Turkish Cypriot Association of University Women

- d) Gender Equality and Co-operation Among Youngsters Workshops and Training Organosi Neoleas Stavraetoi Pafou in collaboration with Association of Women to Support Living (KAYAD)
- e) International Women's Day Celebrations Various NGOS and UNOPS - Direct Execution
- f) Gender Training Workshops International and Local consultant, and UNOPS - Direct Execution

#### 5. Youth - \$138,244

- a) Youth Promoting Peace: Bi-communal Youth Peace Activities Youth Promoting Peace
- b) Campaign for Safer Traffic for our Children Road Traffic Accidents Prevention Association (RTAPA)
- c) Paphian Youth CNTI Youth Section

### 6. Public Opinion and Public Information - \$764,528

- a) Open Public Panel Discussions on Cyprus

  Association for Social Reform (OPEK) in association with a range of civil society organisations
- b) Understanding Bi-communal Perceptions and Attitudes
  The Peace Centre
- c) Bi-communal Perceptions of the Annan Plan Cyprus Sociological Association
- d) The Information Project Website, Panel Discussions and Training PRIO (International Peace Research Institute, Oslo)
- e) The Harvard Study Group: A Bi-communal Multi-stakeholder Dialogue *Harvard University*

# 7. Empowerment of the Deaf Cypriot Community - \$39,040

Pancyprian Organisation for the Deaf

8. Publication of and Training on *Building Bridges -* A Guide to Intercultural Communication in Cyprus - \$126,605 *Arizona State University* 

#### VIII. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT – Total \$1,846,318

## 1. Strategy Formulation & International Consultancies - \$357,709

UNOPS – Direct Implementation

## 2. Agriculture - \$1,419,432

- a) Promotion of Organic Agriculture
  - AKTI, Ace Care
- b) Natural Solutions for Agriculture: Application of Organic Tools in Farming AKTI, Ace Care
- c) Agriculture Protection Field Rat and Medfly Campaigns
  Cyprus Red Cross and Humanitarian Relief Mission on behalf of Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot agriculture experts
- d) Agrotourism: Feasibility Study *ProAction*
- e) Cooperation in Agrotourism *CYMEPA and EREC*
- e) Dairy Advisory Group UNOPS - Direct Execution
- f) Establishment of Cyprus Organic Advisory Group UNOPS Direct Execution

# 3. Eurocodes: Reconciling Codes for the Building Industry to meet EU Standards - \$2,042

ETEK (Technical Chamber of Cyprus)

# 4. Handicrafts - Empowering Women Craft Workers - \$67,135

Turkish Cypriot Handicraft Society

## IX. INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS – Total \$1,188,161

# 1. Strategy Formulation - \$39,432

UNOPS - Direct Execution

# 2. Direct Telephone Lines between North and South Administered by UNFICYP - \$233,138 UNFICYP

#### 3. Websites and Internet Access - \$482,035

- a) Cyprus MediaNet Website for Translated News Articles Cambridge Foundation for Peace
- b) Technology for Peace Information Website on Bi-communal Activities Cyprus Neuroscience and Technology Institute
- c) Jasmine Garden Internet Café in the Arabahmet Area HASDER Folk Art Foundation

An additional amount of \$433,556 was spent on media support and outreach to assist project partners in the promotion of Bi-communal Development Programme supported projects and activities.

# X. SPECIAL INITIATIVE GRANTS - Total \$315,833

The Bi-communal Development Programme also managed a Special Initiatives Grants window. This grant scheme was aimed at small, high-impact, time sensitive, ad hoc and short duration initiatives. To be eligible, the applicant had to be one of the following: a non-profit organization, a non-governmental organization, a voluntary organization, a charity or union, or a group of individuals.

In total, 38 Special Initiatives Grants were approved for the following activities:

- 1. Cypriot Folk Dance Performance
- 2. Preparation of First Bilingual (Turkish/Greek) Edition of an Arts Magazine
- 3. Bi-communal Theatre Productions
- 4. Bi-communal Development and Production of Dance/Theatre Performance
- 5. Bi-communal Conference on Prospects for a United Cyprus
- 6. Bi-communal Communication and Cooperation Seminar
- 7. Bi-communal May Day Celebration in Limassol
- 8. Bi-communal Peace Celebration in Limassol
- 9. Peace Concert
- 10. Cyprus Olympic Truce Declaration
- 11. Bi-communal Voyage of Understanding Tall Ships Sailing Trip for Cypriot Youth

- 12. Translation of Book on Political and Social Issues for the PEO Cyprus Labour Institute
- 13. Bi-communal Children's Camp in Ayios Nicholas
- 14. Children's Congress
- 15. Conference on Early Childhood
- 16. Rockathon: Merging Cultures: Bi-communal Music Event
- 17. Bi-communal Conference on Gender in the Mediterranean: Emerging Discourses and Practices
- 18. International Women's Day Celebration
- 19. Empowering Young Women for Success Workshop For Young Women
- 20. Internet Forum for Civic Expression
- 21. Preparations for Beijing NGO Conference
- 22. Pan European NGO Seminar
- 23. Civil Society Common Initiative Panel Discussion
- 24. 14th International Conference of the Alliance of Universities for Democracy
- 25. International Conference on Violence
- 26. 4th Global Conference on Cultures of Violence
- 27. HIV/AIDs Conference
- 28. World AIDS Day Celebration
- 29. Public Education on HIV/AIDS and STD Prevention
- 30. International Thalassemia Conference
- 31. International Cardiology Forum
- 32. Conference on Laparoscopic Surgery
- 33. Conference for the Deaf
- 34. World Environment Day
- 35. Training of Facilitators for Rural Land Use Decision-Making Processes
- 36. Focus Group
- 37. Human Rights Festival
- 38. Conference: 'Scientific word of Civilisation

# XI. DIRECT ASSISTANCE AT THE REQUEST OF THE UN GOOD OFFICES AND DISSEMINATION OF THE ANNAN PLAN

- Total \$515,057