

ANNUAL ACTIVITY REPORT 2006

1. PARTICIPATION IN EUROPEAN PROGRAMS AGAINST SOCIAL EXCLUSION

- Multiplicar-Strategies, Tools and actor (CIARIS):

Funding from the European Commission. Transnational cooperation with the Portuguese Network as coordinator, against poverty. CIARIS is a methodological tool which is accessible through Internet and is used to plan programs against the social exclusion. During this scheme, smaller programs were planned from several organizations and so we identified the advantages and the disadvantages of this tool.

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- *Participation in the activities of the European Network against poverty:

1. The Greek Network took part with its representatives in working groups to form suggestions to the European Commission for the structural fund, for the employment, the development policy, the participation of socially vulnerable people, the influence of the globalization on the increase of the people experiencing poverty e.t.c.
2. Translating and distributing articles about the social policy which is performed and the suggestions of the European Network. The books “The Europe we want” and “The Open Coordination Method” and other relevant articles have already been translated.
3. We took part in the 5th meeting of people experiencing poverty in Brussels – May 2006, which had as a main subject “Exchange on the living reality of people who live within the limits of poverty in the E.U.”

- Participations in other Networks, Congresses, International meetings:

- 1.Participation in the Network for the Right in the shelter and house
- 2.Participation in the European platform of the N. G. O.s
- 3.Participation in the G. A. of the European Network against poverty which had as a main subject “The Europe we want”
- 4.Participation in the Attendance Committee of the E. P. “Health –Welfare 2000-2006” (Ministry of Health and Social Solidarity)
5. Participation in the mission of the European Network in the International Social Forum and in the European Social Forum.