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The General Assembly of the European Youth Forum meeting in Salzburg (Austria) on 1-4 October 1998, concerned by the decrease of funding for international non-governmental youth organisations granted by the European Union under budget line A-3029

- Identifies immediate and effective lobbying of the European Parliament and the Council regarding the increase of budget line A-3029 as a prime task for the European Youth Forum;
- Mandates the Bureau of the European Youth Forum to develop a coherent lobbying strategy. Such a strategy shall include the development of appropriate documents aimed at all member organisations of the European Youth Forum as well as at the relevant committees of the European Parliament and working units of the Council; the lobbying strategy shall furthermore lay the groundwork for developing a long term communication strategy regarding the funding of international non-governmental youth organisations;
- Demands that such a strategy shall be implemented immediately after its adoption with all means, and consequently;
- Calls upon the member organisations to implement this strategy with the help of the Bureau and Secretariat of the European Youth Forum;
- Declares successful lobbying on A-3029 to be the most important field of work for the European Youth Forum in the coming weeks.