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EDF Work Plan 2020

Document for information

Purpose of this item

Following adoption of the draft Work Plan at the 2020 AGA in Brussels, we have now finalised it and sent it to the European Commission for our grant application. You can find the full text as an Annex and short summary below for your information.

Summary of the EDF Work Plan 2020

In 2020 EDF will

- Advocate for the implementation of the CRPD and give input to the next EU CRPD review
- Promote the European Disability Strategy (EDS) and its successor, and support the engagement of the disability movement in civil dialogue with key EU Institutions;
- Screen new and revised EU legislation, programmes, policies, and initiatives to ensure their compliance with the CRPD; including in the field of human rights, non-discrimination, gender equality, accessibility, passengers' rights, assistive technologies, the digital single market, standardisation, employment, education, freedom of movement (including the EU Disability Card and Parking Card), health, research, cohesion policy and the next EU budget, international cooperation, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), deinstitutionalisation, poverty and social inclusion, social protection and the European Semester process;
- Mainstreaming accessibility and work on the transposition and implementation of the European Accessibility Act and other recently adopted legislation; mapping of possibilities to link accessibility to sustainability and energy efficiency;

- Hold workshops, high level dialogues and conferences on international cooperation, legal capacity, violence against women, disability assessment, standardisation, and financing of Disabled Persons' Organisations;
- Train and support EDF members for their country review by the CRPD Committee and the UN Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women;
- Hold webinars on the European Accessibility Act, Erasmus +, the Solidarity Corps, the Audiovisual Media Services Directive, the European Electronic Communications Code, Communication and Social Media, accessible event planning, International Cooperation
- Publish a Human Rights Report on Political Participation and an annual report; organize a Human rights photo competition on accessibility;
- Organise EDF's General Assembly, Board, Executive, Youth and Women's Committee meetings