

To
the Honourable
Mr. M. Salmas
Deputy Minister of Health

Chalandri, 5 December 2012

Dear Mr. Salmas,

After consensus that the recent positive list published in the OJ 3047/16.11.2012 does not smoothly operate, we have insisted on maintenance of the existing list OJ 3057/18.11.2012, with which, according to your own estimations, there is a saving of € 25 mil. in a monthly basis (€ 300 mil. annually).

However, you have asked us to examine alternative scenarios, taking into consideration any amendment, as you stated, should remain at the boundaries of the existing legislation.

Accordingly we submit the attached proposal aiming:

- achievement of the required savings of 2013
- rational increase of the patients co-payment in order to achieve both “pricing sensitivity” and reduction of over consumption of medicines and waste
- alignment with the L. 4052

We remain at your disposal should you need to arrange a meeting for any further clarifications.

Sincerely yours,

Pascal Apostolides
Vice-President

Konstantinos M. Frouzis
President