

# Seville hosts 35th Lavinia General Assembly

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Under the chairmanship of Dr. Francisco Ivorra, representatives of the 14,000 doctors who make up the Lavinia co-operative, along with its managers and executives throughout Spain, met on 10 and 11 June in Seville to analyse the results for the 2010 financial year and the general policy of the organisation, of ASISA and its group of companies.



Left to right: Dr. Diego Lorenzo, Vice-Chairman; Dr. Antonia Solvas, Secretary of the Lavinia Governing Council; Ana María Corredera, Health Spokesperson of the Popular Group in the Andalusian Parliament; Dr. Francisco Ivorra, Chairman of ASISA; Juan Ignacio Zoido, Mayor of Seville; Dr. Enrique de Porres, Managing Director, and Dr. Gregorio Medina, Provincial ASISA Delegate in Seville

**The opening ceremony was chaired** by the new Mayor of Seville, Juan Ignacio Zoido, accompanied by the Health Spokesperson of the Popular Group in the Andalusian Parliament, Ana María Corredera, and the Chairman of ASISA, Dr. Francisco Ivorra, and executives from ASISA and Lavinia. In his address the mayor thanked Lavinia for choosing Seville to host its 35th Assembly, in particular because ASISA provides Se-

ville City Council workers with their health care services.

The day continued with presentation of the Chairman's report and the financial and management report for the previous year covering Lavinia, ASISA and its corporate group. There then followed an analysis of all issues of interest raised by the co-operative members, which had previously been discussed and voted through at the provincial Preparatory Assemblies. Over the course of the assembly a number of different reports were also presented on the actions being taken by ASISA to improve the administration of the company.

In accordance with the terms of the bylaws, the assembly was called on to vote by secret ballot to reappoint one half of the Governing Council, including the treasurer and members 2, 4, 6, 7 and 8, who were all re-elected for a new term.

The figures analysed at the assembly revealed that in 2010 ASISA saw an increase of 10.2% in its policy premium turnover, which rose to a level of 877 million euros. In commercial terms, the year was marked by consolidation and growth in the

portfolio and the organisation's position as the leading public authority health provider. It had also carried out a number of campaigns to promote ASISA's Master, Self-Employed and Health products, and the reorganisation of the ASISA dental products.

As for the group's clinics, they registered an overall turnover of 244 million euros (1.6% higher than the previous year), thanks to a policy of cost containment which served to improve provision and allow for the acquisition of the very latest technology. 10.89 million euros was spent in 2010 on renewing infrastructure and improving equipment.

The Life Insurance branch closed its third year of operations with a turnover of more than 3,000,000 euros in annual premiums, thereby meeting the objective agreed with the Directorate-General for Insurance and Pension Funds to obtain an insurance portfolio within the branch equivalent to an annually adjusted premium figure of 2,476,000 euros. Claims rates for the branch during 2010 remained below the average levels in the sector, at less than 8% of the premiums issued.