

Serious incident report no. 10102/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-07-23 12:13
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:51
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 2 - Incidents occurring in Frontex activities/joint operations, return operations and other return-related activities and not related to Frontex staff, or other participants in Frontex activities
Subject	Two migrants killed by a train
Joint operation	FOA 2018 land on border surveillance / SE
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	Alexandroupolis (Greece) Traffic Police Department
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-07-21 00:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	
Dead persons	2
Injured persons	
Missing persons	

Details

Information/allegations	on 21/07/2018 at 02:20, 2 male migrants were hit and killed by a train, which was transiting from Alexandroupolis to Ormenio. The train driver stopped immediately the train and informed the hellenic police. According to the first HP statements, the migrants were probably sleeping on the railways and killed immediately. No document were found
Measures/actions taken	Both corpses were transported to hospital of Alexandroupolis for Autopsy
Assessment	

Final outcome

Personal data

Serious incident report no. 10101/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-07-17 20:54
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:49
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 2 - Incidents occurring in Frontex activities/joint operations, return operations and other return-related activities and not related to Frontex staff, or other participants in Frontex activities
Subject	Nr. 2 corpse recovered on board NGO Open Arms
Joint operation	
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	NCC ROMA
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-07-17 17:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	0.0000000000
Longitude	0.0000000000
Reference to the operational area	No
Type of resources / involvement	NGO OPEN ARMS
Dead persons	2
Injured persons	
Missing persons	
Details	
Information/allegations	<p>On 17.07.2018 at 22.18 LT NCC Rome has communicated that nr.2 corpse were found by the NGO Open Arms (nr. 1 female and 1 child). The NGO is sailing towards Catania.</p> <p>On 19.07.2018 13:57, ICC Rome informes that the Command of ONG “ Open Arms” with nr. 2 corpses and nr.1 female on board taken in Libyan region with at the first time as Place of safety Catania, declared to sails towards the Spanish coasts.</p>
Measures/actions taken	

Assessment

Final outcome

Personal data



Serious incident report no. 10097/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-07-12 23:06
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2021-03-15 23:44
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 2 - Incidents occurring in Frontex activities/joint operations, return operations and other return-related activities and not related to Frontex staff, or other participants in Frontex activities
Subject	1 corpe recovered in a SAR operation
Joint operation	Themis 2018
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	lcc Cagliari
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-07-12 21:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	38.4500000000
Longitude	8.0666666667
Reference to the operational area	No
Type of resources / involvement	Text removed - Technical Equipment
Dead persons	0
Injured persons	
Missing persons	
Search and Rescue	
SAR activated date/time	2018-07-12 19:00
SAR activated by whom	ITA/ Text removed - Technical Equipment
Boat in distress type	wood
Flag, name, IMO if available	
Detected by	M/P BUDAFEL

Is Frontex co-financed asset?	No
Intercepted by	Text removed - Technical Equipment
Is Frontex co-financed asset?	No
Estimated people on board	10
Planned port of disembarkation	S. ANTIOCO (CI)
Departure country	
Involved authorities	

Details

Information/allegations	AT 20180712 - AT 23:20 Text removed - Technical Equipment is sailing toward operation area for trashipping of migrants.
Measures/actions taken	
Assessment	
Final outcome	ICC Italy denied the information that a dead person was found on board of the boat. For that reason the SIR should be cancelled.
Personal data	

Serious incident report no. 10100/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-07-10 13:45
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:48
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 1 - Situations of high political and/or operational relevance especially with the potential to affect EU border management of one or more MS/SAC including international crisis situations
Subject	JO Poseidon 2018, Clashes between migrants in Moria RIC, Lesvos
Joint operation	
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	Text removed - Human Resources in Lesvos
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-07-09 20:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	
Dead persons	
Injured persons	
Missing persons	

Details

Information/allegations	Text removed - Human Resources in Lesvos 10th July 2018 reported that local HP Coordinator informed him about clashes in Moria RIC during last night. 09th July 2018 afternoon at 14:00, a group of 10 migrants, Arabs and Afghans, started shouting to each other in front of EASO area, after one Afghan was recording a video of an Arab woman. At 22:00, in the upper side of Moria, some tents of Afghans have been burned. They thought it was made on purpose by Arabs (the HP could not confirm it). At 23:00, a big group of Afghans started attacking Arabs with rocks and wooden sticks. At 02:00, a new fight started, some more tents have been burned. At 03:30, public order has been re-established. From 10th July 2018 morning, approx. 150 Afghans are peacefully sitting outside Moria
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	RIC entrance to protest about what happened during last night.
Measures/actions taken	The HP anti-riot unit intervened Text removed - Reporting Tools. HP anti-riot unit intervened Text removed - Reporting Tools. HP arrested 19 migrants from both sides.
Assessment	Some migrants were injured and they have been transported to Mytilini hospital. Frontex staff was not involved during the incidents.
Final outcome	
Personal data	

Serious incident report no. 10099/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-07-05 10:39
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:46
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 1 - Situations of high political and/or operational relevance especially with the potential to affect EU border management of one or more MS/SAC including international crisis situations
Subject	Harassment of Text Removed - Technical Equipment by TCG patrol boat
Joint operation	Poseidon Sea 2018
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	Text Removed - Technical Equipment, HCG
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	Yes
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-06-18 04:30
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	Text Removed - Technical Equipment, TCG patrol boats
Dead persons	
Injured persons	
Missing persons	

Details

Information/allegations	<p>During a SAR operation conducted by Text Removed - Technical Equipment inside Greek Territorial Waters (GTW), at the sea area east of Chios island, two Turkish patrol boats entered GTW and started maneuvering between the Text Removed - Technical Equipment and the refugees' boat. During the several maneuvers one of the Turkish patrol boats hit the Text Removed - Technical Equipment at the stern trying to come in between them and the migrants' boat. During the manoeuvres they caused big waves and the migrants started to panic and scream. Two women fell into the water, one was rescued by Text Removed - Technical Equipment and one was rescued by a TCG boat and taken to Turkey. Eventually 35 migrants were rescued by Text Removed - Technical Equipment</p>
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and subsequently transhiped to Text removed - Technical Equipment. No missing person during the SAR operation.

Measures/actions taken

Text Removed - Technical Equipment executed immediate manoeuvres in order to avoid the collision but eventually the TCG patrol boat came in touch with the Text Removed - Technical Equipment at the stern. No injuries of the crew members were occurred only partly damages at Text Removed - Technical Equipment. Text removed - Technical Equipment approached the area in order to assistance the Text Removed - Technical Equipment during SAR operation and eventually the TCG boats exited the HTW navigating towards the Turkish coasts.

Assessment

Final outcome

Personal data

Serious incident report no. 10098/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-06-27 13:56
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:43
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 2 - Incidents occurring in Frontex activities/joint operations, return operations and other return-related activities and not related to Frontex staff, or other participants in Frontex activities
Subject	Fatal traffic accident with vehicle diversion and 3 migrants killed
Joint operation	FOA 2018 land on border surveillance / SE
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	BCU Text removed - Operational Area
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-06-27 05:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	
Dead persons	3
Injured persons	7
Missing persons	1

Details

Information/allegations	<p>On 27/06/2018 morning hours the duty officer of the operational center of PD Alexandroupolis received information by passing by drivers about a diversion of a vehicle (OPEL Zafira - ITA number plates). Ten (10) persons (5 male, 3 female, 2 minors) on board have been reported by HP Officers on spot. Two (02) of them (2 male) were instantly killed and one (01) female passed away during her transportation to Alexandroupolis Hospital. The rest have also been transferred to the hospital in order to receive the proper medical treatment as they were injured and they remain hospitalized. No travel documents have been found. The nationalities of the injured persons are the following: 4 SYR (2 male, 2 female), 3 IRQ (1 male, 2 minors). The nationalities of the three killed persons</p>
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have not been identified, the investigation is still ongoing. The driver of the vehicle (facilitator) escaped according to the statements of the apprehended persons.

Measures/actions taken

All the persons have been transferred to Alexandroupolis hospital in order to receive the proper medical treatment. The autopsy has been requested by Hellenic Police for the three killed persons in order to identify the reason of death. Text Removed - Reporting Tools.

Assessment

Final outcome

Personal data

Serious incident report no. 10096/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-06-26 15:40
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:40
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 2 - Incidents occurring in Frontex activities/joint operations, return operations and other return-related activities and not related to Frontex staff, or other participants in Frontex activities
Subject	One corpse recovered
Joint operation	Indalo 2018
JORA incident number	Text Removed - Reporting Tools
Original source of information	A fisherman
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-09-21 16:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	
Dead persons	14
Injured persons	
Missing persons	29
Search and Rescue	
SAR activated date/time	2018-06-14 22:00
SAR activated by whom	ESP/SASEMAR/HQ
Boat in distress type	
Flag, name, IMO if available	
Detected by	Text removed - Technical Equipment

Is Frontex co-financed asset?	No
Intercepted by	Text removed - Technical Equipment
Is Frontex co-financed asset?	No
Estimated people on board	47
Planned port of disembarkation	
Departure country	Morocco
Involved authorities	ESP/SASEMAR/HQ

Details

Information/allegations	<p>On 25/06/2018 at 21.30 LT 1 corpse was recovered at Sea near to Cabo de Gata, It could be related to Text Removed - Reporting Tools. UPDATE 1:On 28/06/2018 at 16.05 Lt 1 corpse was recovered at Text removed - Operational Area from Almerimar (Almeria),could be related to Text Removed - Reporting Tools,where a rubber boat with 47 POB was rescued with only four people on board. UPDATE 2:On 30/06/2018 at 17.55 Lt 1 corpse was recovered at Cabo de Gata Beach (Almeria)by a lifeguard, It could be related to Text Removed - Reporting Tools. this could be the 5th corpse recovered by Text Removed - Technical Equipment. could be related Text Removed - Reporting Tools. On 24/08/2018 at 21:41 LT, Text Removed - Technical Equipment, found 1 dead body at Text removed - Operational Area from Motril Granada), this could be related as the 8th dead body Text Removed - Reporting Tools. On 31/08/2018 at 19:00 LT, ESP/GC/HQ-Málaga informed about 1 dead body found in Torre del Mar (Málaga), SASEMAR/CPB recovered 1 female dead body. it could be the 9th body Text Removed - Reporting Tools. UPDATE 5: On 18/08/2018 at 11:40 Lt 1 corpse possible a female was found 80 meters from La Herradura beach, Motril (Granada) later on at 16:15Lt another corpse was found 55 miles from Motril (Granada).could be the 10th dead body Text Removed - Reporting Tools.UPDATE 6 on 20/08/2018 at 10.30 one adult male corpse was found by citizen in (Granada)in advanced stated of decomposition. this could be related as the 11th dead body Text Removed - Reporting Tools.UPDATE 7 on 21/09/2018 at 18:00 an adult fenale corpse was found by a fisherman in (Ceuta) the corpse is in advanced stated of decomposition. Maybe this is already the 12th corpse Text Removed - Reporting Tools.UPDATE 8 On 25/09/2018 at 11:00 LT, Text removed - Technical Equipment, found a corpse of a probably Sub-Saharan man in the Alboran Island coast (Almeria) in very bad conditions. It could be the 13th corpse recovered Text Removed - Reporting Tools.UPDATE 9 On 30/09/2018 at 13:18LT, a pleasure vessel"slice of life" found a corpse Text removed - Operational Area from La línea de la Concepción-Cádiz, probably Sub-Saharan. Text Removed - Reporting Tools.</p>
Measures/actions taken	<p>Additional information: on 21/09/2018, at 18:00 Lt one adult female corpse was found. by a fisherman, in (Ceuta). Mentioned corpse, in advanced estate of decomosition, was naked and wearing life jacket.</p>
Assessment	
Final outcome	In case that we receive new information about this SIR. It will be updated. Text Removed - Reporting Tools
Personal data	

Serious incident report no. 10095/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-06-26 12:29
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:40
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 2 - Incidents occurring in Frontex activities/joint operations, return operations and other return-related activities and not related to Frontex staff, or other participants in Frontex activities
Subject	Hidding in transportation means - 01 fatally injured
Joint operation	Poseidon Sea 2018
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	HCG
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-06-10 16:10
Location of the incident	
Latitude	0.0000000000
Longitude	0.0000000000
Reference to the operational area	No
Type of resources / involvement	HCG
Dead persons	1
Injured persons	
Missing persons	

Details

Information/allegations	On 10th of June at 18:10 one AFG migrant was injured during his attempt to embark a ferry to Italy hidden under a truck. Particularly he was hidden between the front wheel of the cargo trailer and the cargo storage space. When the driver started the engine and moved his truck, the AFG migrant was fatally injured. Subsequently he was transferred to hospital by ambulance, where his death was confirmed.
Measures/actions taken	The above mentioned AFG migrant was transferred to Hospital by an ambulance, where his death was confirmed
Assessment	One AFG migrant was fatally injured.

Final outcome

Personal data

Serious incident report no. 10094/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-06-26 07:30
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:37
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 1 - Situations of high political and/or operational relevance especially with the potential to affect EU border management of one or more MS/SAC including international crisis situations
Subject	Text removed - Technical Equipment fired warning shots to arrest facilitator at Lampi area, Kos Island
Joint operation	Poseidon Sea 2018
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	HCG
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-06-23 12:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	Text Removed - Human Resources
Dead persons	0
Injured persons	0
Missing persons	0

Details

Information/allegations	On 23.06.2018 at 14:00 LT: 04 people were detected by Hellenic Coast Guard Officers at Lampi area, KOS Island
Measures/actions taken	On 23.06.2018 at 14:00 LT: 04 people were detected and intercepted by Hellenic Coast Guard Officers at Lampi area, KOS Island. The facilitator started sailing away towards Turkish coasts. HCG CPB chased the boat used to carry the migrants. HCG Staff fired several warning shots and managed to intercept the boat and arrest the facilitator.
Assessment	Neither the facilitator nor HCG Staff were injured during the action. No FRONTEX staff was involved. The involved HCG CPB was not co-financed by

Frontex. Firing of warning shots by HCG is allowed in respective Greek legislation / Standard operational procedures.

Final outcome

On 23.06.2018 at around 14.00, four (-4-) migrants were intercepted by Hellenic Coast Guard (HCG) at Lampi area and one (-1-) facilitator was arrested. This is the third incident with similar characteristics in three consecutive days.

Personal data

Serious incident report no. 10093/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-06-23 11:03
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:35
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 1 - Situations of high political and/or operational relevance especially with the potential to affect EU border management of one or more MS/SAC including international crisis situations
Subject	Text Removed - Human Resources broke Achilles tendon on duty in Kos island
Joint operation	Poseidon Sea 2018
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	Text Removed - Human Resources / Text Removed - Human Resources
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	Yes
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-06-21 21:59
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	Text Removed - Human Resources
Dead persons	0
Injured persons	1
Missing persons	0
Details	
Information/allegations	Text Removed - Human Resources broke Achilles tendon on duty in Kos island. Text Removed - Reporting Tools in the island of Kos a Text Removed - Human Resources slipped on the ground outside the van
Measures/actions taken	When Text Removed - Human Resources woke up in the morning, his pain had got worse and decided to go to hospital for medical check. In Kos hospital after a medical check, doctor diagnosed the Achilles tendon of his left foot is broken and needs to have surgery. Text Removed - Human Resources has been admitted to Kos Hospital for medical care until it is decided when and where he will be operated. Text Removed - Reporting Tools.

Assessment	Text Removed - Reporting Tools in the island of Kos a Text Removed - Human Resources slipped on the ground around midnight outside the Van. He felt a little pain in his foot but continued the shift and went to his hotel after the shift. When he woke up on Friday morning the pain was worse and he went to the hospital where they found out that his Achilles tendon is broken. Text Removed - Human Resources remains in stable condition. The decision about the surgery on his foot has not been taken yet.
Final outcome	26.06.2018 Text Removed - Human Resources is going to leave Kos Text Removed - Reporting Tools. Text Removed - Reporting Tools. Text Removed - Reporting Tools.
Personal data	

Serious incident report no. 10092/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-06-23 10:12
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-12-02 11:23
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 1 - Situations of high political and/or operational relevance especially with the potential to affect EU border management of one or more MS/SAC including international crisis situations
Subject	HCG CPB fired warning shots to arrest facilitator at Lampi area, Kos Island
Joint operation	Poseidon Sea 2018
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	Text Removed - Human Resources
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-06-22 12:30
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	Text removed - Technical Equipment
Dead persons	0
Injured persons	0
Missing persons	0

Details

Information/allegations	On 22.06.2018 at 14:30 LT, 08 people (7 adults, 1 minor) were detected by Hellenic Coast Guard Officers at Lampi area, KOS Island
Measures/actions taken	On 22.06.2018 at 14:30 LT: 08 people were detected and intercepted by Hellenic Coast Guard Officers at Lampi area, KOS Island. The facilitator dropped the migrant at the shore and started sailing away towards Turkish coasts. HCG CPB chased the boat used to carry the migrants. HCG Staff fired two -2- warning shots in order to intercept the boat and arrest the facilitator.
Assessment	Neither the facilitator nor HCG Staff were injured during the action. No FRONTEX staff was involved. The involved HCG CPB was not co-financed by

Frontex. Firing of warning shots by HCG is allowed in respective Greek legislation / Standard Operational Procedures.

Final outcome

As a result the boat was intercepted and one -1- person was arrested. The migrants (7 adults, 1 minor) were brought to RIC Kos. Assumption of nationalities: (4 YEM, 4 IRQ).

Personal data

Serious incident report no. 10091/2018

Report date and time (UTC)	2018-06-22 14:37
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2019-11-28 03:27
Reporting entity/function	
SIR Status	Closed
SIR Category	Valid to 2021-04-30: 1 - Situations of high political and/or operational relevance especially with the potential to affect EU border management of one or more MS/SAC including international crisis situations
Subject	HCG CPB fired warning shots to arrest facilitator at Lampi area, Kos Island
Joint operation	Poseidon Sea 2018
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	HCG
FX SI Handler	
Frontex resources involved	No
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2018-06-21 12:00
Location of the incident	
Latitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Longitude	Text removed - Operational Area
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	Text removed - Technical Equipment
Dead persons	0
Injured persons	1
Missing persons	0

Details

Information/allegations	On 21.06.2018 at 14:00 LT: 07 people were detected by Hellenic Coast Guard Officers at Lampi area, KOS Island
Measures/actions taken	On 21.06.2018 at 14:00 LT: 07 people were detected and intercepted by Hellenic Coast Guard Officers at Lampi area, KOS Island. HCG CPB managed to chase the boat used to carry the migrants, HCG Staff fired warning shots in order to intercept the boat and arrest the facilitator. Shots were also given to the outboard engine of the facilitators boat. The facilitator rammed the HCG CPB and felt down, he was slightly injured

Assessment	The facilitator rammed the HCG CPB and felt down, he was slightly injured. HCG Staff was not injured during the action. No FX staff was involved. The involved HCG CPB was not co-financed by Frontex. Firing of warning shots by HCG is allowed in respective Greek legislation / Standard Operational Procedures.
Final outcome	As a result the boat was intercepted and one SYR national was arrested.
Personal data	

Disclaimers of Non-disclosure

<p>Number and type of technical equipment</p>	<p>The non-disclosed parts contain information regarding the technical equipment deployed in each operational area. Disclosing such information would be tantamount to disclosing the exact type, capabilities and weaknesses of the equipment, as well as their usual position, opening way for abuse. The result of this would only be to hamper the course of ongoing and future similar operations, ultimately obstructing their purpose to counter and prevent cross-border crime and unauthorized border crossings. In this light, the disclosure of such information would undermine the protection of the public interest as regards public security in the sense of Article 4(1)(a) first indent of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001.¹</p>
<p>Operational Area of Joint Operation</p>	<p>The non-disclosed parts refer to details of the operational area and cannot be released. As ongoing operations tend to cover similar operational areas as the operations conducted in preceding years, disclosing details of previous operational areas would be tantamount to disclosing the current state of play. This would provide smuggling and other criminal networks with intelligence, enabling them to change their modus operandi, which would ultimately put the life of migrants in danger. Consequently, the course of ongoing and future operations of similar nature would be hampered by depriving the operations of any strategy and element of surprise, ultimately defeating their purpose to counter and prevent cross-border crime and unauthorized border crossings. In this light, the disclosure of documents containing such information would undermine the protection of the public interest as regards public security in the sense of Article 4(1)(a) first indent of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001².</p>
<p>Number and profile of Human Resources</p>	<p>The non-disclosed parts contain information regarding the number and profiles of officers deployed in the operational area. Disclosing such information would be tantamount to disclosing the weaknesses and strengths of Frontex operations and pose a risk to their effectiveness. As a result, the course of ongoing and future similar operations would be hampered, ultimately defeating their purpose to counter and prevent cross-border crime and unauthorized border crossings. Consequently, the disclosure of such information would undermine the protection of the public interest as regards public security as laid down Article 4(1)(a) first indent of Regulation (EC) 1049/2001³.</p>
<p>Reporting tools and methods used by law enforcement officials</p>	<p>The non-disclosed part contains detailed information related to reporting tools and methods used by law enforcement officials to conduct border control tasks and counter criminal activities. Its disclosure would jeopardize the implementation</p>

¹ Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43).

² Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43).

³ Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43).

	<p>of ongoing and future operations, and thus facilitate irregular migration and trafficking in human beings as the effectiveness of law enforcement measures would be significantly reduced. As disclosing this information would undermine the protection of the public interest as regards public security, this part is not disclosed pursuant to Article 4(1)(a) first indent of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001⁴.</p>
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