



## Serious incident report no. 11451/2021

Report date and time (UTC)	2021-04-27 14:12
Last modification date and time (UTC)	2021-06-02 11:26
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	Incident between [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment) and TCG patrol boat - Dangerous manoeuvre within Greek territorial waters
Joint operation	JO Poseidon 2021
JORA incident number	
Original source of information	[REDACTED] (Text Removed - Human Resources, Reporting Tools and Methods)
FX SI Handler	[REDACTED] (Text Removed - Human Resources, Reporting Tools and Methods)
Frontex resources involved	Yes
Use of force	No
Incident dates (UTC)	2021-04-27 05:19
Location of the incident	[REDACTED] (Text removed - Operational Area)
Latitude	[REDACTED] (Text Removed - Operational Area)
Longitude	[REDACTED] (Text Removed - Operational Area)
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	[REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment)
Dead persons	0
Injured persons	0
Missing persons	0

### Details

Information/allegations	<p>[REDACTED] (Text Removed - Reporting Tools) (27/04/2021), [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Human Resources, Reporting Tools and Methods) informed that during this morning the [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment) from [REDACTED] (Removed - Operational Area) reported a similar incident as reported earlier by [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Human Resources) [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Reporting Tools), involving a TCG boat entering Hellenic Territorial Waters. The TCG vessel was sailing towards the [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment) in HTW so that it becomes a close situation.</p> <p>Excerpt from [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Reporting Tools);</p>
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	<p>LT 07.19 Turkish coast guard entering HTW at [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Operational Area). [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment) and [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment) responding. TCG vessel was ordered to leave HTW by [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment).</p> <p>LT 07.27 Turkish coast guard exiting HTW at [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Operational Area).</p> <p>The incident took place in the morning during daylight. [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment) maneuvered well in advance and followed TCG in parallel with [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment). As a result, after a while TCG CPB slowed down and turned back towards TTW. [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Reporting Tools and Methods)</p>
Measures/actions taken	
Assessment	<p>The Turkish CPB affected the operational activities by putting in severe risk the safety of navigation of the [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Technical Equipment) and violated the HTW by crossing the border line in the sea area of [REDACTED] (Text Removed - Operational Area)</p>
Final outcome	
Personal data	