

Serious Incident Report no. 663

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FSC SIR Category	1 Standard
Subject	SAR case with 05 casualties & 6 missing migrants
Type of SIR	2 Formal SIR
JORA Incident number (if any)	
Joint Operation	Poseidon Sea 2017
Frontex SIR Coordinator	
Incident date/time	03/11/2017 12:05 AM
Detection date/time	03/11/2017 03:05 AM
Original source of the information	Call from Migrants
Location of the incident	South East of Kalolimnos island
Is latitude unknown	Yes
Latitude	
Is longitude unknown	Yes
Longitude	
Reference to the operational area	Yes
Frontex resources involved (Human resources / co-financed technical equipment)	Yes
Type of resources / involvement	Text removed - justification 5, HELLENIC NAVY, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, HELLENIC NAVY, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, NGOs vessels, private boats and passing by vessels
Dead persons	5

Injured persons	
Missing persons	6

Serious Incident Report related to Search and Rescue action	
SAR activated date/time	03/10/2017 12:05 AM
SAR activated by whom	PIRAEUS JRCC
Boat in distress	
Type	
Flag, name, IMO if available	
Detected by	Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification5, Text removed - justification 5
Detection done by Frontex co-financed asset	No
Intercepted by	
Interception done by Frontex co-financed asset	No
Estimated people on board	26
Planned port of disembarkation	Kalymnos
Departure country	Turkey
Involved authorities	HCG, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5,HELLENIC NAVY

Information/allegations

On 3rd of November PIRAEUS JRCC received information that a boat with migrants was in distress at the sea area southeast of Kalolimnos island. Immediately a large scale of SAR operation was launched by PIRAEUS JRCC with the participation of Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, HELLENIC NAVY, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, Text removed - justification 5, NGOs vessels, private boats and passing by vessels. In total fourteen (14) migrants and one (01) TUR facilitator were rescued while one (01) migrant was recovered dead from the sea. Four (04) more dead bodies were recovered from TCG in Turkish territorial waters. According to migrants statement they were 26 persons onboard a plastic boat that sunk and 6 migrants are still missing. Search by sea for the assumed 06 missing migrants continues in the framework of normal patrolling activities.

Measures

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Assessment

14 migrants [6 SYR (02male,03 female, 01 male minor),03 IRQ (01 male, 01 female, 01 male minor) and 5 IRN male] and one (01) TUR facilitator were rescued while 05 dead bodies [03 male, 02 female) were recovered from the sea. Search by sea for the assumed 06 missing migrants continues in the framework of normal patrolling activities.

Final outcome