



EUROPEAN COMMISSION
DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR MIGRATION AND HOME AFFAIRS

Task Force Migration Management



Dear [REDACTED] Dear [REDACTED]

As raised in our last meeting, and as foreseen in Memorandum of Understanding, we underline the importance of closely involving the European Asylum Support Office (EASO) and the Fundamental Rights Agency (FRA), together with the Task Force, in the design of the new reception centres for Lesbos and Chios.

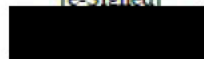
This is particularly important now, in the crucial phase of first designs, before the launch of the tender procedure. Based on the plans submitted with the EMAS application, you will find attached in the Annexes: (i) an overview of key guiding principles that are of principal importance to the Task Force; (ii) consolidated comments by EASO and FRA on the designs, and (iii) a general fundamental rights aide-mémoire drafted by FRA.

In order to operationalise our cooperation in the design phase, I would suggest to set up as soon as possible a workshop together with the Technical Department and EASO to go through the detailed comments.

The condition to agree on the designs before the launch of the tender will be a crucial one for us to release the first pre-financing under the upcoming grant agreement for the new MPRICs.

Yours sincerely,

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