

Mr/Ms [REDACTED]

Email [REDACTED]

Our ref: TO/PAD-2021-00251
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Warsaw, 9 December 2021

Your application for access to European Border and Coast Guard Agency (Frontex) documents

Dear Mr/Ms [REDACTED]

In reference to your application registered on 28 October 2021 for which the time limit has been extended by 15 working days on 23 November 2021¹, asking for access to

1. *Die Liste der französischen Behörden, mit denen sich der Frontex-Direktor Leggeri in Paris getroffen hat, um "eine Reihe konstruktiver Gespräche" zur Vorbereitung der Ratspräsidentschaft im Jahr 2022 zu führen (vgl. -LINK-),*
2. *sowie die Tagesordnung dieser jeweiligen Treffen, woraus die besprochenen Themen deutlich werden.*

Thus

1. *The list of French authorities with whom Frontex Director Leggeri met in Paris to hold "a series of constructive discussions" in preparation for the 2022 Council Presidency (see -LINK-),*
2. *as well as the agenda of these respective meetings, from which the topics discussed become clear.*

as further specified by you with reference to the provided hyperlink:

it is not a 3rd party, but a tweet of your agency, saying 4 September 2021 "This week #Frontex Director Leggeri visited Paris for a series of constructive discussions with French authorities in preparation for the Council presidency in 2022@RPFranceUE"

Please find attached one document identified under **point 1** of your application. Kindly note, however, that some limited parts of the document were redacted as they:

- fall outside the scope of your request,
- contain personal data, such as names of individuals which could lead to the identification of individuals. The disclosure would undermine the protection of privacy and the integrity of the individual, in particular in accordance with European Union legislation regarding the protection

¹ In accordance with Article 7(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43).

of personal data and therefore has to be precluded pursuant to Article 4(1)(b) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001.²

Please be further informed that Frontex does not hold documents indicated in **point 2** of your application.

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Yours sincerely,



Timo Knaebe
Senior Legal Officer

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).