

To NFPOC Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland and Sweden

Subject: Invitation to the MMO`s event in Turku, Finland organized within MMO Baltic Sea 2024

Warsaw, 20<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Dear colleagues,

Frontex - the European Border and Coast Guard Agency, in cooperation with Finnish Border Guard (BG), are pleased to invite the relevant stakeholders to:

**“Closing event of the MMO Baltic Sea 2024”**

To this event are invited, on the concluding day of the MMO Baltic Sea 2024, the representatives of involved Agencies` communities from the host and participating MS involved in this operation as well as other stakeholders, considering the enhanced cooperation achieved during the MMO, for an initial outcome of the operational activities performed within this operation as well as to share, in a nutshell, the conclusions and proposals as recommendations for future operational activities to be implemented by EFCA, EMSA and Frontex within Baltic Sea area.

Therefore, I would like to inform you that the one-day MMO`s closing event is planned on 30 October 2024 in Turku, Finland, one of the operational location of the MMO Baltic Sea 2024.

Thanks to the fruitful implementation of MMO activities for the second consecutive year in Baltic Sea area, in order to ensure the representation of the MMO operational actors as well of other stakeholders, we would like to invite you to nominate up to two maritime experts representing Frontex own community from your country, in accordance with the following schedule:

Event venue	Number of participants	Day of arrival	Closing event of MMO	Day of departure
Turku/FIN	2	29 October	30 October	31 October

The event will consist in presentation of overall activities performed within MMO Baltic Sea 2024, the achievements and to collect the first conclusions and recommendations from representatives of the operational actors involved within this operation.

The cost related to the participation of your representatives will be reimbursed by Frontex according to the attached reimbursement rules.

Logistical and practical details will follow.

Should you have any question, please do not hesitate to contact the operational experts from the Frontex Coast Guard Sector, e-mail [cgs.opt@frontex.europa.eu](mailto:cgs.opt@frontex.europa.eu) and, for logistical purposes, the Coast Guard Sector specialist Edyta ABRAMOWICZ: +48 785 111 236 / e-mail: [cgs.events@frontex.europa.eu](mailto:cgs.events@frontex.europa.eu).

The participation should be confirmed by submitting completed Frontex Registration Form to: [cgs.events@frontex.europa.eu](mailto:cgs.events@frontex.europa.eu) by **07<sup>th</sup> of October 2024**.

The attendance of your experts to the upcoming workshops would be greatly appreciated and I am looking forward to your positive response.

Sincerely,



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