

SAR related Serious Incident Report

Serial Number:

Subject: Incident JORA nr. 82603

Joint Operation: Hermes 2014

Reporting unit/person: LCC Messina

General information on the incident

Incident date/time 22/August/2014 - 09.07 local time (Italy)

Original informant Italian Military Navy

Finding date/time/source 22/August/2014 - 09.07 local time (Italy) ITA/NAVY/HELO FASAN

Location of the Incident: 133 NM south-east Lampedusa

Latitude / Longitude

Reference to operational area Outside "M1"

SAR activated date/time 22/August/2014 - 17.45 local time (Italy) ITA/NAVY FASAN

Involved Frontex assets No

Distance Incident place to Frontex assets -

Detection date/time/who 22/August/2014 - 17.45 local time (Italy) ITA/NAVY FASAN

Estimated POB 379 (378 alive)

Dead and/or injured persons 1

Embarking port -

Involved authorities Italian Military Navy

Fact of the case

On 22th of August at 09.07, Ita/Navy/Helo of "Fasan" in position [redacted] has sighted a fishing boat with migrants on board. On 22th of August, at 17.45, in position [redacted] Ita/Navy Fasan intercepted a boat, declared SAR event and rescued all the migrants (378 + 1 dead body).

Measures

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Assessment

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