1. Incidents

INCIDENT NUMBER 1:
On Sunday 8th February at 1250LT the MRCC Roma received a call from an operator of the reception center Corcolle. The caller reported that she in turn had been contacted by the user of satellite telephone. The caller in question reported to be on board a boat with about 300 migrants drifting for about 13 hours. At 1303LT the satellite telephone in question was located in position 33°49'N - 013°41'E (Libyan SAR area). At 1430 the satellite telephone was contacted. The migrants reported to be 105 persons on board adrift without water or food. MRCC Rome declared SAR incident.
At 18.41 I contacted LCC Lampedusa who informed me that two CPV's (the numbers of the vessels unknown to me at this point) had left Lampedusa with course towards the area. ETA at pos 33°49'N - 013°41'E approx. 2030LT.

UPDATE:
On February 9, 2015 at 1540LT ITA/CPV/C/0302 and ITA/CPV/C/319 arrived at Lampedusa harbour. On board they carried a total of 58 sub-Saharan migrants (all male) of which 29 were dead from hypothermia.
On February 9, 2015 at 1925LT ITA/CPV/C/305 and ITA/CPV/C/312 arrived at Lampedusa harbour carrying 46 sub-Saharan migrants (all male).

INCIDENT NUMBER 2:
At 1440LT the redirected M/N "Bourbon Argos" (Luxembourg flag) recovered two persons (probably Africans) clinging on to a deflating vessel in pos. 33°56'N - 013°52'E. At 1450LT in pos. 33°56'N - 014°04'E the M/N "Bremer Martha" (German flag) sighted a rubber dinghy with approx. 15 persons on board.
At 1500LT the M/N "Bourbon Argos" was redirected to the area.
At 1500LT the Atlantic aircraft M/M reports that there were approx. 30 migrants on board the aforementioned black rubber dinghy.
At 1747LT the M/N “Bourbon Argos” and the M/N “Bremer Martha” ended the rescue operation of 7 migrants who, from the first information received, left the Libyan coast as 106 persons. The M/N “Bourbon Argos” is at present heading towards the island of Lampedusa. ETA not yet known.

2. Additional Information

Commented [A3]: The non disclosed text contains personal data referring to the name of an actor participating in Frontex activities. The disclosure of such information would undermine the protection of privacy and the integrity of the person concerned and constitute the violation of EU laws regarding the protection of personal data. In this regard the text is not disclosed pursuant to the exception laid down in the Article 4(1)(b) of Regulation (EC) 1049/2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents.