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NOTE

From: Latvian delegation

To: Working Party on Frontiers / Mixed Committee
(EU-Iceland/Liechtenstein/Norway/Switzerland)

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Delegations will find enclosed a report on the activities of Immigration Liaison Officer (ILO) Networks and on the situation in the host country in matters relating to illegal migration.

INTRODUCTION

In accordance with Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 377/2004 of 19 February 2004 on the creation of an immigration liaison officers network (hereinafter: the Regulation) "The Member State holding the Presidency of the Council of the European Union or, if this Member State is not represented in the country or region, the Member State serving as acting Presidency shall draw up by the end of each semester a report on the activities of immigration liaison officers networks in which it has a representative, as well as on the situation in the host country, in matters relating to illegal immigration to the Council and the Commission."

It should also be recalled that according to Article 4 (1) of the Regulation all ILOs posted in the third country concerned contribute to this report.

This report has two parts:

(I) Activities of the ILO Network

(II) Situation in the host country in matters relating to illegal immigration

The report should be based on facts and figures whenever applicable and on available and reliable sources of information. If such sources do not exist, this should be indicated in the report. Descriptions and evaluations requested by this format should be reasonably brief and supported by facts, if possible. In the report, please highlight only the most relevant information so as to enable to correct assessment of the situation.

If no significant change has occurred in respect of matters already covered in previous reports, a reference should be made to this. Where applicable, the report should focus on developments during the reporting period in comparison to the previous report which was drawn up on that host country.

The completed report is to be treated as a "RESTREINT UE" document and the relevant provisions of Council Decision (EC) No 2013/488¹ of 23 September 2013 on the security rules for protecting EU classified information must be observed.

¹ OJ L 274, 15.10.2013.

REPORT

On the activities of Immigration Liaison Officer (ILO) Networks and on the situation in the host country in matters relating to illegal migration

Host country:	Russian Federation
Reporting Member State:	Latvia
Reporting period:	1 January 2015 to 30 June 2015

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