"ONE MOBILE PHONE WAS TAKEN AWAY AND NOT GIVEN BACK"

Date and time: February 5, 2018 14:30

Location: Area of Zagreb

Coordinates: 45.68838398355318, 16.392532913671857

Push-back from: Push-back to:

Demographics: person(s), age:, from:

Minors involved? Yes

Violence used:

Police involved: Croatian police **Taken to a police station?:**

Treatment at police station or other place of detention: Was the intention to ask for asylum expressed?: Yes

Reported by: No Name Kitchen

ORIGINAL REPORT

Two men from Afghanistan (one minor, 17 years old) were caught by the Croatian police near Zagreb. Coming from the Serbo-Croatian border they came out of the truck and started to walk on a road towards Zagreb. Police came and catched them some 55 km away from Zagreb at 14:30. They brought them to a police station about 2 km from Zagreb. The interviewed couldn't specify the precise location of the catchment nor the police station to which they were brought.

In the police station the police officers took their personal information, prepared paper that were not given to them. Afterwards they took a picture of both of them. One mobile phone was taken away and not given back.

They requested asylum adding that that they didn't want to go back to Serbia, but the police didn't want to accept their request. They were kept in a police station for two hours, until they were taken to the police car to the border crossing Bajakovo – Batrovci and were pushed back to Serbia.