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"SHE WAS MOCKED MANY TIMES BY THE OFFICERS, BECAUSE OF HER TRANSGENDER IDENTITY. "

Date and time: August 30, 2017 00:00

Location: Croatia, police station in Zagreb

Coordinates: 45.8088094 , 15.9800250000000069

Push-back from:

Push-back to:

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

Minors involved? No

Violence used:

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

On the 30th of August, she had been from Monténégro (her country of arrival from Cuba) to Croatia. She wanted to ask asylum, for this special condition as transgender. When she arrived to Zagreb she went to the camp, because it was late in the night, and she stays sleeping two days there, at Hotel Borin. The staff of the camp told her to ask about the police document and also to go to the UNHCR. When she arrives to the UNHCR she said she was well treated, and was advised to go to the police station, in order to get a permission to follow on the asylum process.

But at the police station she was closed in a cell, and police officers took pictures of her. After more than 2 hours, she was putted in a car with others refugees from Afghanistan, and the police told them they were going to Serbia. She was mocked many times by the officers, because of her transgender identity. They took her mobile phone, supposedly to search for informations, but they kept it. She was left in CHIP on the railway track. Police was shouting « Go go go », and with a stick they had beaten the person that was running less fast than the others. Her wrist is still hurt because of the handcuffs.