"IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO ASK FOR ASYLUM IN ZAGREB, BECAUSE THE POLICE ARRESTED THEM IN FRONT OF THE UNHCR OFFICE IN ZAGREB."

Date and time: August 30, 2017 00:00 Location: Croatia, UNHCR Office in Zagreb Coordinates: 45.8150108, 15.981918899999982

Push-back from: Push-back to:

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

Minors involved? Unknown

Violence used:

Police involved: Two police officers from Zagreb, 8-10 border 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

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The exact date of this incident from August 2017 is unknown.

I. was pushed-back to Serbia with 2 of his friends, among a group of 50 persons. He said it was impossible to ask for asylum in Zagreb, because the police arrested them in front of the UNHCR office in Zagreb. Back in Serbia, the border police beaten them: after opening the doors of the van, they were asking everyone to go out one by one, and were beating them one by one. 10 police officers at a time beating one person: kicking, using sticks. He declared that 2 police officers from Zagreb were present, and between 8-10 officers of the police border. The border police was the one beating them, the police from Zagreb didn't, but they witnessed everything.