

To the Honourable Ambassadors
of the Permanent Representation of
the EU Member States and
Schengen Associated Countries
to the EU in Brussels

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Your Excellencies,

Frontex presents its compliments to the Permanent Representation of EU Member States and Schengen Associated Countries to the EU in Brussels and has the honour to express its sincere gratitude for the continuous support provided to the Agency in the past.

I would like to appeal in this respect to your further goodwill in facilitating Frontex in achieving its mandate. As you are aware, in view of the new Regulation (EU) 2016/1624 setting up the European Border and Coast Guard Agency, we are to expand from the current 450 to 1000 staff by 2020. We are as such the most rapidly growing EU Agency creating numerous employment opportunities for EU and Schengen Associated Countries nationals in a wide variety of profiles.

In order to expand our scope of publication of Frontex vacancy notices and reaching as many prospective candidates as possible, I would be grateful if you would accept to publish Frontex vacancy notices (concerning paid jobs and secondments) as well as our (paid) traineeship calls, together with a link to the Frontex website, on the website of your Permanent Representation. Any other initiatives in further distributing the opportunities within your country are most welcome.

In doing so, you would be actively contributing to the geographical balance in Frontex recruitments.

Moreover, you would not only support Frontex, but also your national citizens in potentially finding employment in a challenging EU environment and ultimately contributing to the protection of the EU external borders.

In case of positive response please contact Ms Carla Van Hoyweghen, Head of Human Resources and Security Unit on Carla.Van.Hoyweghen@frontex.europa.eu for practical arrangements.

Frontex expresses beforehand its gratitude to the Permanent Representation of EU Member States and Schengen Associated Countries to the EU in Brussels for their kind assistance and avails itself of this opportunity to renew the assurances of its highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,


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Executive Director