Subject: Treatment of asylum seekers and refugees in Hungary

Dear Petitioner,

The European Commission confirms that it has been, and continues to carry out various inquiries regarding Hungary’s treatment of asylum seekers, including the situation of unaccompanied minors in the country. This includes technical fact-finding missions to but also a broader examination of the compatibility of Hungarian law with the EU acquis on asylum.

In that regard, the Commission has addressed a number of letters to Hungary in the course of 2015 and 2016 requesting clarifications about its asylum procedures, and will continue to maintain a close dialogue with the Hungarian authorities in view of ensuring Hungary fully complies.

Yours sincerely,

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