

Report on meeting SENSEE Minor 2 Podgorica

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Event	2 nd SENSEE Minor meeting	
Subject	Covert surveillance Cross-border issues	
Role in event	Speaker, expert	
Place / Date	23 May Podgorica, 22 June Sofia	
Organized by	SENSEE, PCCSEE srt	
Advisable to attend + why?	Europol is one of SENSEE's founding fathers and an active member of the informal expert group	
Participants	SI, AL, F.Y.R.O.M, BA, SB, ME, MD, RO, BG	
Date of next meeting	22 November 2016	
Special contacts		
Related documentation	EDOC-#844063-20160622 SENSEE MIII Bulgaria Programme EDOC-#832330-20160524 SENSEE MII Montenegro Agenda	

1. Background

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2. Main issues

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The lack of bilateral agreements in the framework of the PCC makes international cooperation very difficult in the region.

O14 presented the work of CSW¹ and covered new trends in covert surveillance and the reorganization of EUROPOL's operational department.



The topics are in line with the threat assessment (TA) of CSW supported by the EUROPOL SOCTA team. Adding the SENSEE countries will increase the value of the report. All presentations and contributions will be uploaded to the EPE and will generate a subject matter knowledge database as outcome.

3. Way forward

The concept of smaller regional meetings followed by one big plenary session leads to more active contributions by all participants. SENSEE will try to continue this approach. The connection with other network groups and neighbouring countries proofs its operational added value.

4. Consequences for Europol



¹ EDOC-#844189-20160713 CSW O3 Meeting report

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