

External borders: mandate of the Agency for the Management of Operational Cooperation at the External Borders (FRONTEX)

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The Council discussed the **state-of-play** concerning revised rules for the external borders agency FRONTEX. Some of the outstanding issues outstanding include:

- the development of a common integrated risk analysis model;
- the processing of personal data;
- the creation of a European system of border guards.

Council preparatory bodies have discussed the proposal at several meetings. Negotiations with the European Parliament have not yet started.