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General description

A mechanism for collection and analysis of data concerning human trafficking processes, covering the period July 2015-September 2017, was created in accordance with a specific agreement between the Italian Direzione Nazionale Antimafia e anti-terrorismo (DNA) and Operation Sophia.

The data collected was evaluated, together with other data held by Operation Sophia, and used for research and investigative leads. These next steps represent the start of the second report, which is already in production.