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Controls at Norwegian internal borders

Dear Colleagues,

Please find enclosed our notification for a decision to reintroduce temporary controls at the Norwegian internal border in accordance with article 25 of Regulation (EU) 2016/399 (Schengen Borders Code). Enclosed, please also find a report on the controls at internal borders for the period 12 January 2025 – 12 January 2026.

The need for a continuation of border checks is due to a persisting serious threat to public policy and internal security. The decision of prolongation will be in force as of 12 May 2026 for a planned duration of six months.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Aas-Hansen'.

Astri Aas-Hansen