



**REPUBLIC OF TURKEY  
MINISTRY OF INTERIOR  
Turkish Coast Guard Command**



**CURRENT OPERATIONS  
23 MARCH 2017**

On 22 March 2017 at 21.40 p.m., a sailing inflatable boat detected by CG boat off the coast of Çanakkale's Ayvacık district/Müsellim Strait was intercepted. 33 Congolese, 11 Eritrean, 4 Indian, 3 Sierra Leonean, 2 Algerian, 2 Syrian, 1 Yemeni and 1 Senegalese, totally 57 irregular migrants on its board were apprehended.

