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## MEDICAL EQUIPMENT FOR BESLAN

In connection with the tragic terror attack September 3rd, 2004 on Scholl no. 1 in Beslan, North-Ossetia, the Norwegian Directorate for Health and Social Affairs was contacted by the Foreign Department to aid through providing medical equipment.

Norway was able to send by air cargo the night to September 7, among other things medical equipment that NORMECAAS was able to provide with very short notice. Later the same week, the Norwegian Directorate for Health and Social Affairs prepared a new shipment but this was cancelled when the Russian Authorities had assessed their need.

The Norwegian Directorate for Health and Social Affairs will with this letter give thanks to NORMECAAS for high emergency preparedness, swift response and good communication regarding the aid.

Best regards



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