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Attorney General Frosh's Statement on Haitian Migrants

BALTIMORE, MD (September 24, 2021) – Attorney General Brian E. Frosh today released the following statement:

“I’ve seen the horrifying videos of Haitian migrants being menaced and verbally abused by border agents on horseback. These are desperate people fleeing a country struck by political chaos and devastated by repeated natural disasters. As one of the richest nations in the world, we must act with compassion and empathy towards those seeking safety and asylum.”

“Most of all, as a country we must not let an overwhelmed system take us away from an even-handed and humane application of our own laws. While the enormity of the problem cannot be overstated, bureaucratic challenges alone do not justify the denial of a fair legal process to asylum seekers.”

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