Trento Regional Administrative Court of Justice rules on delays in providing reception measures

The Regional Administrative Court of Justice (TRGA) of Trento accepted the precautionary requests issuing six orders for six women seeking international protection who remained outside the reception system for months despite having declared their condition of indigence and the lack of stable accommodation.

Between April and May 2026, the women formally requested access to reception measures; the prefecture merely communicated their placement on a waiting list, making admission conditional on "*the availability of places in the reception system .*"

The TRGA ruled that the prefecture reply constitutes a breach of contract. According to the court the inclusion on the waiting list, " *is merely supersensible in nature since it does not suffice to exclude the inertia complained of in the appeal against the silence*", according to consolidated case law. Having recognized the appellants lack housing and means of subsistence, the Court ordered the Administration to complete the investigation to verify the access requirements within 15 days.

According to civil society organisations, the unavailability of places in reception is the effect of the agreement signed on 24 October between minister of interior and the president of the Trento province trading the construction of a CPR in Trento for halving the number of places in the reception system from 700 to 350.

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