Following complaints from asylum seekers at the facility in Sintiki, the Greek Council for Refugees requested the intervention of the Ombudsman to conduct an investigation into the conditions of their detention. Reports concerned the provision of food, medical care, hygiene and clothing, living, sleeping and cleaning conditions. Applicants also reported incidents of disproportionate and unnecessary police measures of disciplinary nature.

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