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## ITALY IMPOUNDS GERMAN MIGRANT RESCUE SHIP SEA-WATCH 4

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Italian port authorities have impounded the German-flagged NGO ship Sea-Watch 4 in Palermo after an 11-hour inspection, aid organizations who operate the vessel said on Sunday.

According to the groups, which include Germany's Protestant Church (EKD) and Doctors Without Borders (MSF), officials had justified the measure by saying saving people was not in accordance with the ship's registration.

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