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CORRIGENDUM TO COVER NOTE

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PRESIDENCY CONCLUSIONS

ANNEX I to the Presidency Conclusions is corrected as follows:

Page 15, title: "DRAFT IGC MANDATE" is replaced by "IGC MANDATE"

Page 16, footnote 1, last sentence: ".... (doc. 580/07)... " is replaced by "... (doc. 11197/07) ..."
Page 18, paragraph 13 should read as follows:

"13. The double majority voting system, as agreed in the 2004 IGC, will take effect on 1 November 2014, until which date the present qualified majority system (Article 205(2) TEC) will continue to apply. After that, during a transitional period until 31 March 2017, when a decision is to be adopted by qualified majority, a member of the Council may request that the decision be taken in accordance with the qualified majority as defined in Article 205(2) of the present TEC.

In addition, until 31 March 2017, if members of the Council representing at least 75% of the population or at least 75% of the number of Member States necessary to constitute a blocking minority as provided in Article [I-25(1) first subparagraph] indicate their opposition to the Council adopting an act by a qualified majority, the mechanism provided for in the draft Decision contained in Declaration nº 5 annexed to the Final Act of the 2004 IGC will apply. As from 1 April 2017, the same mechanism will apply, the relevant percentages being, respectively, at least 55% of the population or at least 55% of the number of Member States necessary to constitute a blocking minority as provided in Article [I-25(1) first subparagraph]."

Page 25, footnote 17: delete last sentence "Two delegations ... this Protocol."

Page 25, footnote 20 should read: "Two delegations reserved their right to join in the Protocol referred to in footnote 19."

Page 25, footnote 21 should read: "I.e. the version of the Charter ..."

Page 29, Point 2(c), second indent, first line: replace "... at least one third of the Member States ..." by "... at least 9 Member States ..."

Page 29, Point 2(d), first and second indents, first lines: replace "... at least one third of the Member States ..." by "... at least 9 Member States ..."