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from : General Secretariat of the Council  
to : COREPER / Council

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Subject : Draft Council Conclusions on possible cooperation mechanisms between civilian ESDP missions and Europol as regards the mutual exchange of information

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1. On 14 May 2008, the Article 36 Committee discussed and agreed the draft Council Conclusions on possible cooperation mechanisms between civilian ESDP missions and Europol as regards the mutual exchange of information as contained in doc. 7821/3/08 REV 3 CATS 25 EUROPOL 36 CIVCOM 148 COWEB 86.
2. Accordingly, COREPER is invited to request the Council to adopt the draft Council Conclusions on possible cooperation mechanisms between civilian ESDP missions and Europol as regards the mutual exchange of information as set out in doc. 7821/3/08 REV 3 CATS 25 EUROPOL 36 CIVCOM 148 COWEB 86.