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## **CORRIGENDUM**

to the

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of the 1971st meeting of the Council (Justice and Home Affairs)

held in Brussels on 28-29 November 1996

Item 16 should read as follows:

## Item 16. DRAFT JOINT ACTION ON A UNIFORM FORMAT FOR RESIDENCE PERMITS doc. 11907/2/96 ASIM 166 REV 2

<u>The Council</u> gave its political approval to the joint action on a uniform format for residence permits. The <u>Swedish delegation</u> emphasized that Member States should consider an appropriate legal instrument, for example a joint action, for dealing with questions about exchange of information. The <u>Netherlands delegation</u> had a parliamentary reservation on this text. Once this reservation is lifted:

- the text of the Draft Joint Action, as reviewed by the jurists/linguists, will be adopted formally as an "A-item" and published in the Official Journal;
- the statements, given on page 9 of the document, will be entered in the Council minutes.

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