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'I/A' ITEM NOTE

From: General Secretariat of the Council
To: Permanent Representatives Committee (Part 2)/Council

Subject: Draft Council Conclusions on the implementation of the general provisions on data protection of Chapter 6 of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA
- Evaluation of Croatia with regard to automated exchange of vehicle registration data (VRD)

1. Prior to the adoption of a Council Implementing Decision on the launch of automated data exchange after having consulted the European Parliament, the Council adopts Conclusions acknowledging that the conditions for the launch of automated data exchange have been fulfilled.
2. The Working Party on Information Exchange and Data Protection (DAPIX) approved at its meeting on 1 December 2016 the evaluation visit report on **vehicle registration data** exchange for **Croatia** (14620/16 JAI 961 DAPIX 204 CRIMORG 149 ENFOPOL 414 ENFOCUSTOM 192) as well as the overall report (14621/16 JAI 962 DAPIX 205 CRIMORG 150 ENFOPOL 415 ENFOCUSTOM 193) based on the questionnaire, an evaluation visit and a pilot run.

3. At the DAPIX meeting of 1 December 2016, it was acknowledged that each Member State bound by Decision 2008/615/JHA agrees that the conditions are fulfilled for the Council to conclude that for the purposes of automated data exchange with regard to **vehicle registration data**, **Croatia** has fully implemented the general provisions on data protection of Chapter 6 of Decision 2008/615/JHA.
 4. DAPIX agreed on the text of the draft Council Conclusions set out in 14622/16 JAI 963 DAPIX 206 CRIMORG 151 ENFOPOL 416 ENFOCUSTOM 194.
 5. *Coreper is invited to submit the draft Council Conclusions as set out in the Annex to 15190/16 JAI 1038 DAPIX 226 CRIMORG 162 ENFOPOL 457 ENFOCUSTOM 211 to the Council and to suggest that it adopts these draft Conclusions as an "A" item on its agenda.*
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