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Delegations will find attached the Finnish Declaration under Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA.



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**Finnish Declaration under Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA**

Dear Sir/Madam

The Permanent Representation of Finland to the European Union  
hereby transmits a letter from the Ministry of the Interior.

Yours faithfully

Pilvi-Sisko Vierros-Villeneuve  
Permanent Representative

Enclosures Letter from the Ministry of the Interior of Finland

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**Finnish Declaration under Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA**

Please find below the Finnish declaration under Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA on the stepping up of cross-border cooperation, particularly in combating terrorism and cross-border crime.

"In accordance with Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA of 23 June 2008, Finland declares that it has complied with the provisions of that Decision as well as the relevant provisions of Council Decision 2008/616/JHA of 23 June 2008. Accordingly, Finland declares its willingness to apply those Decisions in its relations with those Member States that have given a similar notification. It should be noted that Finland has begun to exchange personal data in accordance with Council Decision 2008/615/JHA.

The other declarations under Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA have already been notified to the General Secretariat of the Council of the European Union."

Yours sincerely,



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