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From:	The Permanent Representation of Belgium to the European Union
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To:	Mr Jeppe TRANHOLM-MIKKELSEN, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union
Subject:	Council Decision 2008/615/JHA of 23 June 2008 on the stepping up of cross-border cooperation, particularly in combating terrorism and cross-border crime
	- Declaration from Belgium in the context of Article 36(2)

Delegations will find attached the Declaration from Belgium in accordance with Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA.

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**Subject : Declaration of Belgium in accordance with Article 36(2) of Council
Decision 2008/615/JHA of 23 June 2008**

Dear Mr Secretary general,

I have the honor to transmit you the Declaration of Belgium in accordance with
Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA of 23 June 2008

In accordance with Article 36(2) of Council Decision 2008/615/JHA of 23 June 2008
on the stepping up of cross-border cooperation, particularly in combating terrorism
and cross-border crime, Belgium notifies the General Secretariat of the Council and
the Commission that it has implemented all obligations imposed under the
abovementioned Decision and submit the declarations foreseen by the Decision.
Belgium will immediately apply the Decision in its relations with all other Member
States which have given the same notification.

Yours Sincerely,

Dirk Wouters,
Représentant Permanent de la
Belgique auprès de l'U.E.