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Delegations will find in the annex the Council declaration on Interpol's red notices, approved by the Council (Justice and Home Affairs) at its 3850th meeting held on 3 March 2022.

Council declaration on Interpol's red notices

“In the context of the on-going cooperation between the EU and Interpol, the Council welcomes the progress made by Interpol in setting up internal mechanisms to assess, prior to the publication and diffusion of red notices, any violation of Interpol's constitution. The Member States will continue to support Interpol in these efforts, and welcome that a representative of Interpol informed at working group level of the Council about these efforts undertaken at Interpol to prevent the abuse of red notices for political reasons or violation of human rights, and call for a continued and regular exchange on the matter between Interpol and its “National Central Bureaus”, to raise further awareness on the action to be taken by Member States in cooperation with Interpol. The Council will continue to support Interpol in the promotion of the existing INTERPOL standards and procedures for data quality and compliance and will invite Interpol on a regular basis to inform the Council at working group level.”
