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**NOTE**

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from :            Presidency  
to :                Coreper/Council

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Subject :        Report on the implementation of the "Strategy for the External Dimension of  
JHA: Global Freedom, Security and Justice" for the year 2006

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In the "Strategy for the External Dimension of JHA: Global Freedom, Security and Justice" adopted by Council in December 2005, both the Commission and the Council Secretariat were requested to report on the implementation of this Strategy in the year 2006 (docs. 15363/06 JAI 600 RELEX 807 and 15001/06 JAI 574 RELEX 773).

The Finnish Presidency welcomes these reports because they show the many efforts that have been undertaken under Austrian and Finnish Presidency and by the Commission; the reports will serve as a tool and a guideline to continue implementing the Strategy in the period ahead.

Again, the complementarity of the action in the field of JHA with the External policy of the EU should be underlined.

Coreper is accordingly requested to invite the Council to take note of these reports.

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