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from: Mr Poul Skytte CHRISTOFFERSEN, Ambassador, Permanent Representative

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to: Mr Javier SOLANA, Secretary General/High Representative

Subject: Application by Denmark of Article 2.2 of the Convention implementing the

Schengen Agreement

Delegations will find attached the text of the above letter.

14766/02 EB/av 1 DG H I EN Denmark will host the meeting of the European Council in Copenhagen on 12-13 December 2002.

Danish authorities have found it necessary to establish special security measures in order to guarantee that the meeting will take place in an orderly way.

In this framework, starting from h. 00:00 of Friday 6 December 2002 to h. 24:00 of Saturday 14 December 2002, Denmark intends to apply the provisions of Article 2.2 of the Convention implementing the Schengen Agreement.

During the above-mentioned period, controls at any Danish border will be re-established. The level of control will be appropriate to the situation.

(Complimentary close)

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