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to the Commission
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Subject: Increasing interconnectivity between databases

In the conclusions of its meeting of 20 November 2015, the Justice and Home Affairs Council invited the Commission to submit a legislative proposal in order to enable Europol to systematically cross-check its data against the SIS II.

The Council also invited the Commission to undertake efforts to achieve interconnectivity between the relevant databases with regard to security checks, notably SIS II, Interpol's SLTD and iARMS.

What initiatives does the Commission plan to take to that effect, and what schedule will this follow, bearing in mind that the exchanging of data is a key means of pre-empting acts of terrorism?