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Report of the Secretary-General

Corrigendum

Page 18, paragraph 77, paragraph 1 of quoted article, last line

For article 1 read article 2

Pages 39 and 40, article 3

Replace the text by the following:

1. No person entitled to the benefits of this Convention who is in the territory of a Contracting State shall be subjected by such Contracting State to measures such as return or expulsion which would compel him to return to a territory where his life or freedom would be threatened. Moreover, a Contracting State shall use its best endeavours to ensure that no person is rejected at its frontiers if there are well-founded reasons for believing that such rejection would subject him to persecution, prosecution or punishment for any of the reasons stated in article 2.

2. The benefit of the present provision, however, may not be claimed by a person whom there are reasons for regarding as a danger to the security of the country in which he is, or who, having been convicted by a final judgement of a particularly serious crime, constitutes a danger to the community in that country.

3. Where a Contracting State decides that an exception should be made on the basis of the preceding paragraph, it shall consider the possibility of granting to the person concerned, under such conditions as it may deem appropriate, an opportunity of going to another State.
