

## **CORRIGENDA**

### **Guidance on regulations for the transport of infectious substances 2021–2022**

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These corrections have been incorporated into the electronic file.