# **Additions and Corrections**

1<sup>st</sup> publication: on the short report "A One-Pot Domino Synthesis of 5-(Trifluoromethyl)-2-thiazolamine", by Xue-fei Bao, Xue-jun Qiao, Xiao Hou, Wu-hong Fang, Xue-long Liu and Guo-liang Chen, published in the *Journal of the Brazilian Chemical Society*, Vol. 27, No. 12, 2388-2391, 2016 (http://dx.doi.org/10.5935/0103-5053.20160132):

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#### Keywords:

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#### Scheme 1:

Where it reads The synthesis of 5-(trifluoromethyl)-2-thiazolamine.

$$P_2S_5$$
 S  $AcONa$   $A$ 

Should be read The synthesis of 4-(trifluoromethyl)-2-thiazolamine.

$$P_2S_5$$
 S Br  $AcONa$   $AcONa$ 

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#### Tables 1 and 2:

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# Scheme 2: Where it reads

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$$F_{3}C$$

$$Br$$

$$Br$$

$$-BH$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$Br$$

$$-BH$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$F_{4}C$$

$$F_{5}C$$

$$F_{5}C$$

$$F_{5}C$$

$$F_{7}C$$

$$F_{3}C$$

$$F_{2}C$$

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$$F_{4}C$$

$$F_{5}C$$

$$F_{5}C$$

$$F_{7}C$$

$$F$$

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Where it reads

A plausible mechanism for cyclization reaction is shown in Scheme 2. Cyanamide 4 deprotonates into its anion 5 via hydrogen abstraction reaction by the base. Successively, a nucleophilic substitution reaction with 3 gives carbodiimide intermediate 6, which becomes prone to attack due to keto-enol tautomerism forming tautomer 7 and the attack takes place on the carbon of the carbodiimide producing anion 8. Finally, compound 8 abstracts a hydrogen from conjugate acid to furnish the desired compound 5-(trifluoromethyl)- 2-thiazolamine (1) and regenerate the base.

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#### Conclusions:

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