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Corrigendum

Corrigendum to "Stereoselective synthesis of an optically active axially chiral lactam and its reaction with some electrophiles" [Tetrahedron Letters 40 (1999) 1949][†]

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The authors regret the mistake of $[\alpha]_D$ value of lactam 3 in Ref. 4 on page 1952. The sign of the $[\alpha]_D$ is reversed in the original paper. The corrected $[\alpha]_D$ value is shown below.

CH₃O N O T-Bu
3 (100 %de,
$$\geq$$
 98 %ee)
3: $[\alpha]_D = -7.5$ (CHCl₃, $c = 1.05$)

The ee was determined by HPLC analysis using a CHIRALPAK AD column [25 cm×0.46 cm i.d.; 10% *i*-PrOH in hexane; flow rate, 0.5 mL/min; (-)-3, $t_R = 13.5$ min; (+)-3, $t_R = 14.8$ min].

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