ERRATUM

On page 783, Remark 3.12, the formula

$$K_{\tilde{U}/\tilde{W}} + \Delta \sim_{\mathbb{Q}} \tilde{e}^* K_{\mathscr{F}}$$

should read

$$K_{\tilde{U}/\tilde{W}} - R(\tilde{\pi}) + \Delta \sim_{\mathbb{Q}} \tilde{e}^* K_{\mathscr{F}},$$

where $R(\tilde{\pi})$ denotes the ramification divisor of $\tilde{\pi}$.

The statement of Lemma 6.4 is slightly incorrect. The lemma should read as follows.

Lemma. *Let X be a noetherian scheme, and $\mathscr{G}$ a coherent sheaf of $\mathscr{O}_X$-modules on X. Suppose that $\mathscr{G}$ satisfies Serre's condition S_k for some integer $k \geqslant 1$. Let $U \subset X$ be an open subset such that $\operatorname{codim}_X(X \backslash U) \geqslant k$. Then*

    (1) *$H^i(X, \mathscr{G}) \simeq H^i(U, \mathscr{G}_{|U})$ for $0 \leqslant i \leqslant k - 2$, and*

    (2) *the natural map $H^{k-1}(X, \mathscr{G}) \to H^{k-1}(U, \mathscr{G}_{|U})$ is injective.*