Erratum

The title of the 'Opinion' by Dr Roy Morris, which appeared on p. 58 of the *SAMJ* of 21 July 1990, should have read as follows: 'Hyperlipoproteinaemia (a) — a major risk factor in arterial disease', i.e. the capital letter 'A' should have appeared as a lower-case 'a'. Apolipoprotein **A** is actually protective, whereas Lp(**a**) is highly atherogenic.

We apologise to the author and our readers for this mistake.