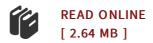




Berlin 1936: Sixteen Days in August (Paperback)

By Oliver Hilmes

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