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RESOLUTION 1721 B (XVI) BY STATES LAUNCHING OBJECTS INTO
ORBIT OR BEYOND

Letter dated 19 September 1966 from the Permanent Representative
of the United States addressed to the Secretary-General

In accordance with the provision of part B, paragraphs 1 and 2, of United Nations General Assembly resolution 1721 (XVI), I enclose registration data concerning objects launched into orbit or beyond by the United States. With these additions and deletions, Your Excellency will have received for the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space and for the Public Registry a complete registry of all United States space vehicles in orbit or beyond as of 15 July 1966.

In addition, there is included supplemental information concerning United States space vehicles which were launched on 5 July and 12 July 1966 and which achieved orbit but were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 15 July 1966.

(Signed) Arthur J. GOLDBERG
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative

REGISTRATION DATA FOR UNITED STATES SPACE LAUNCHES

The following report supplements the registration data for United States space launches as of 2400Z on 15 July 1966

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International designation	Launch vehicle	Satellite category	Date of launch	Nodal period	Inclination	Apogee (kilometres)	Perigee (kilometres)
1966-58A	DELTA	B	1 July	8540.0	28.69	435,425	15,900
1966-58B	DELTA	D	1 July	101.4	28.79	1,411	180
1966-58C	DELTA	D	1 July		CURRENT ELEMENTS NOT MAINTAINED		
1966-58D	DELTA	D	1 July	100.7	28.81	1,322	200
1966-58E	DELTA	D	1 July	100.8	28.76	1,309	179
1966-59N	SATURN I	D	5 July	91.9	32.24	598	135
1966-59Q	SATURN I	D	5 July	89.5	32.06	293	190
1966-59R	SATURN I	D	5 July	91.9	31.88	545	179
1966-59S	SATURN I	D	5 July	90.00	32.84	346	174
1966-59T	SATURN I	D	5 July	89.8	32.50	298	219
1966-59U	SATURN I	D	5 July	89.9	32.07	348	173
1966-59V	SATURN I	D	5 July	89.8	38.82	345	160
1966-59W	SATURN I	D	5 July	90.0	32.02	339	192
1966-59X	SATURN I	D	5 July	89.9	32.28	327	200
1966-59Y	SATURN I	D	5 July	90.5	31.94	462	100
1966-59Z	SATURN I	D	5 July	91.0	32.05	401	204
1966-59AA	SATURN I	D	5 July	90.6	31.90	361	170
1966-59AB	SATURN I	D	5 July	91.7	31.87	586	122
1966-59AC	SATURN I	D	5 July	91.3	31.90	491	178
1966-62A	ATLAS AGENA	A	12 July	88.7	95.53	261	150
1966-63A	ATLAS	A	14 July	105.3	144.20	1,012	998

The following objects, not previously reported, were identified since the previous report but were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 15 July 1966:

<u>International designation</u>	<u>Launch vehicle</u>	<u>Satellite category</u>	<u>Date of launch</u>
1966-46AF-46BF*	ATLAS	D	1 June
1966-55B	THOR AGENA	D	21 June

* Twenty-five pieces of debris associated with 1966-46A were identified and decayed during the reporting period.

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 15 July 1966: 1966-46A
1966-46AB
1966-55A

Supplemental information:

In addition the United States launched the following space vehicles which achieved orbit but were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 15 July 1966:

<u>International designation</u>	<u>Launch vehicle</u>	<u>Satellite category</u>	<u>Date of launch</u>
1966-59A	SATURN I	A	5 July
1966-59B	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59C	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59D	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59E	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59F	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59G	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59H	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59J	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59K	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59L	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59M	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-59P	SATURN I	D	5 July
1966-62B	ATLAS AGENA	D	12 July