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

Note verbale dated 20 October 1976 from the Permanent Mission of
the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations
addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in conformity with General Assembly resolution 1721 B (XVI), has the honour to transmit herewith information concerning space objects launched into earth orbit or beyond by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics during the period 4 August to 11 September 1976.

Table of registration data on artificial earth satellites
in the Cosmos and Raduga series and the Luna-24 automatic
interplanetary station launched by the USSR during the
period from 4 August to 11 September 1976

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name of satellite</u>	<u>Purpose of launching</u>	<u>Date of launching</u>	<u>Basic characteristics</u>		
				<u>Perigee</u> (km)	<u>Apogee</u> (km)	<u>Inclination</u> (degrees)
1 053	Cosmos-847	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	4 August 1976	189	342	62.8
1 054	Luna-24	Scientific investigation of the moon and circumlunar space and transfer of lunar soil to earth	9 August 1976	-	-	-
1 055	Cosmos-848	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	12 August 1976	214	325	62.8
1 056	Cosmos-849	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	18 August 1976	276	889	71
1 057	Cosmos-850	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	26 August 1976	280	518	71
1 058	Cosmos-851	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	27 August 1976	592	649	81
1 059	Cosmos-852	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	28 August 1976	179	354	65
1 060	Cosmos-853	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	1 September 1976	243	498	62.8
1 061	Cosmos-854	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	3 September 1976	177	337	81.4
1 062	Raduga (Statsionar-1)	Provision of uninterrupted round-the-clock telephone and telegraph radio-communication in the USSR and simultaneous transmission of colour and black-and-white USSR central television programmes to stations in the Orbita network	11 September 1976	Circular orbit, 35,900 km		