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COMMITTEE ON THE PEACEFUL USES  
OF OUTER SPACEINFORMATION FURNISHED IN CONFORMITY WITH THE CONVENTION  
ON REGISTRATION OF OBJECTS LAUNCHED INTO OUTER SPACE

Note verbale dated 23 April 1980 from the Permanent Representative  
of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to  
the Secretary-General

The representative of the United States of America to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to transmit to the United Nations 10 copies each of the United States launch registration reports for the months of December 1979 and January 1980.

REGISTRATION DATA FOR UNITED STATES SPACE LAUNCHES

The following report supplements the registration data for the United States space launches as of 2400Z on 31 December 1979

All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified

International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period	Inclination	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space object
<u>New objects in orbit</u>						
1979-101A	7 Dec	629.9	23.8	35772	152	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1979-101B	7 Dec	106.3	27.3	1949	160	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1979-101C	7 Dec	109.4	27.4	2234	164	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects

The following objects not previously reported have been identified since the previous report:

1965-027F	3 Apr	111.0	90.2	1323	1279	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1979-057C	27 Jun	101.1	98.7	815	806	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 December 1979:

1961-0MI-088	1972-058BN
1963-005A	1972-058BU
1965-082CL	1975-004L
1965-082LM	1975-004T
1965-082NY	1975-004AT
1969-006B	1975-004AU
1969-082CL	1975-004BV
1969-082GJ	1975-004CV
1970-025HX	1975-004DH
1971-058A	1975-004DJ

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<u>New objects in orbit</u>						
1980-004A	18 Jan	1413.1	2.7	35655	35016	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1980-004B	18 Jan	588.4	26.1	33579	184	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 January 1980:

1965-082ME  
1972-058CR  
1972-058DH  
1972-058DR  
1974-085B  
1975-004BF  
1979-094B