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REGISTRATION OF OBJECTS LAUNCHED INTO OUTER SPACE

Note verbale dated 12 March 1984 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 article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space, has the honour to transmit information concerning space objects launched by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in December 1983 and concerning objects previously launched into earth orbit which are no longer in orbit.

REGISTRATION DATA ON SPACE OBJECTS LAUNCHED BY THE USSR IN DECEMBER 1983

1. In December 1983, the USSR launched the following space objects:

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				General purpose of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1885	COSMOS-1512	7 December	392	208	72.9	90.2	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1886	COSMOS-1513	8 December	1 029	977	83	105	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1887	COSMOS-1514	14 December	288	226	82.3	89.3	Continued investigation of the influence of space-flight factors on living organisms
1888	COSMOS-1515	15 December	676	648	82.5	97.8	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1889	MOLNIYA-3	21 December	40 635	645	62.8	736	Operation of the long-range telephone and telegraph communications system and transmission of USSR Central Television programmes to stations in the Orbita network and in the framework of international co-operation
1890	COSMOS-1516	27 December	299	205	65	89.2	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1891	COSMOS-1517	27 December	228	208	50.7	88.7	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1892	COSMOS-1518	28 December	39 345	614	62.8	709	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1893	COSMOS-1519	29 December	19 100	19 100	64.8	674	Testing components and apparatus from the space navigation system being set up to determine the position of Soviet civil aircraft and vessels in the Soviet merchant marine and fishing fleet
1894	COSMOS-1520						
1895	COSMOS-1521*						

All objects were launched from the territory of the USSR.

Note: * Objects 1893, 1894 and 1895 were launched by a single carrier rocket.

2. The following objects ceased to exist in December 1983 and were no longer in earth orbit at 2400 hours Moscow time on 31 December:

COSMOS-1504 (1983-104A)
 COSMOS-1509 (1983-112A)
 COSMOS-1512 (1983-119A)
 COSMOS-1514 (1983-121A)
 COSMOS-1517 (1983-125A)