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Note verbale dated 5 March 2008 from the Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations (Vienna) presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to transmit, in accordance with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space (General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex), information concerning Indian space object PSLV-C10-PS4 (see annex).

The Permanent Mission of India has the further honour to inform the Secretary-General that the space object is the upper stage of the polar satellite launch vehicle that was used to launch an Israeli commercial satellite payload on 21 January 2008. The space object remains in orbit.

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Annex

Registration data for an Indian space object*

PSLV-C10-PS4

Name of launching State: India

Appropriate designator of space object or

its registration number:

PSLV-C10-PS4

Date and territory or location of launch:

Launch vehicle: PSLV-C10

Launch date: 21 January 2008

Launch site: Satish Dhawan Space Centre,

Sriharikota, India

Basic orbital parameters:

Nodal period: 95.32 minutes
Inclination: 41.07 degrees

Apogee: 597.60 kilometres
Perigee: 470.40 kilometres

General function of the space object: The upper stage of the polar satellite

launch vehicle, used to orbit a commercial satellite payload

^{*} The registration data are reproduced in the form in which they were received.