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

Letter dated 21 December 1962 from the Permanent Representative
of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics addressed to the
Chairman of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space

I have the honour to transmit herewith to the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, for the purpose of registration, information concerning the artificial earth satellites "Cosmos 9", "Cosmos 10", and "Cosmos 11", and the space rocket carrying the "Mars 1" automatic station, launched by the Soviet Union on 27 September, 17 October, 20 October, and 1 November 1962, respectively.

(Signed) V. ZORIN

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concerning launchings of artificial earth satellites and space objects, submitted by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space

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Serial No.	Name of satellite or space object	Purpose of launching	Date of launching	Basic characteristics		
				Perigee (km)	Apogee (km)	Inclination of orbit (degrees)
26	Satellite "Cosmos 9"	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	27 September 1962	301	358	65
27	Satellite "Cosmos 10"	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	17 October 1962	210	380	65
28	Satellite "Cosmos 11"	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	20 October 1962	245	921	49
29	Space rocket carrying the "Mars 1" automatic station	Prolonged exploration of outer space during flight to the planet Mars; establishment of inter-planetary radio communications; photographing of the planet Mars and subsequent radio-transmission to Earth of the photographs of the surface of Mars thus obtained	1 November 1962			