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

Letter dated 28 October 1971 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 United Nations Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space information concerning space objects launched into earth orbit or beyond by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics during the period 13 August to 14 October 1971.

(Signed) Y. MALIK

INFORMATION

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

<u>Nos.</u>	<u>Name of Satellite</u>	<u>Purpose of launching</u>	<u>Date of launching</u>	<u>Basic characteristics</u>		
				<u>Perigee (km)</u>	<u>Apogee (km)</u>	<u>Inclination (degrees)</u>
540	Cosmos 435	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	27 August 1971	282	505	71
541	Luna 18	Testing of methods for automatic near-lunar navigation, investigation of the moon and near-lunar space	2 September 1971	-	-	
542	Cosmos 436	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	7 September 1971	514	550	74
543	Cosmos 437	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	10 September 1971	523	558	74
544	Cosmos 438	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	14 September 1971	212	321	65.4
545	Cosmos 439	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	21 September 1971	219	308	65.4
546	Cosmos 440	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	24 September 1971	282	614	71
547	Cosmos 441	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	28 September 1971	209	288	65
548	Luna 19	Investigation of the moon and near-lunar space from the orbit of an artificial satellite	28 September 1971	-	-	-
549	Cosmos 442	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	29 September 1971	211	321	72.9
550	Cosmos 443	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	7 October 1971	211	325	65.4

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				Perigee (km)	Apogee (km)	Inclination (degrees)
551	Cosmos 444*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
552	Cosmos 445*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
553	Cosmos 446*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
554	Cosmos 447*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
555	Cosmos 448*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
556	Cosmos 449*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
557	Cosmos 450*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
558	Cosmos 451*	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	13 October 1971	1,415	1,550	74
559	Cosmos 452	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	14 October 1971	201	270	65

* Launched by a single carrier rocket.