INFORMATION FURNISHED IN CONFORMITY WITH GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1721 B (XVI) BY STATES LAUNCHING OBJECTS INTO ORBIT OR BEYOND

Note verbal dated 14 December 1972 from the Permanent Mission of France addressed to the Secretariat

The Permanent Mission of France to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretariat and has the honour to transmit to it the following satellite launching information:

On 22 November 1972 the seventh satellite (ESRO-IV) of the European Space Research Organization (ESRO) was placed in orbit from the Western Test Range in California. The satellite's characteristics are:

- weight: 115 kg
- apogee: 1,100 km
- perigee: 280 km
- period: 98.4 minutes
- inclination: 90.8°

The Permanent Mission of France to the United Nations takes this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat the assurances of its highest consideration.