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

Letter dated 15 January 1973 from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America addressed to the Secretary-General

In accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 of the United Nations General Assembly resolution 1721 B (XVI), I enclose registration data concerning objects launched into orbit or beyond by the United States of America.

With these additions and deletions, Your Excellency will have received for the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space and for the Public Registry, a complete registry of all United States space vehicles in orbit or beyond as of 31 October 1972.

(Signed) George BUSH

REGISTRATION DATA FOR US SPACE LAUNCHES

The following report supplements the registration data for US space launches as of 2400Z on 31 October 1972

International Designation	Launch Vehicle	Satellite Category	Date of Launch	Nodal Period	Inclination	Apogee (Kms.)	Perigee (Kms.)
New Objects in (Orbit						
1972-076A	Atlas F/						
	Burner II	A	2 Oct.	99.5	98.4	749	729
1972-076В	Atlas F/						
	- Burner II	В•	2 Oct.	99.5	98.4	751	729
1972-076C	Atlas F/						
	Burner II	D	2 Oct.	99.6	98.4	751	730
1972-076D	Atlas F/						
	Burner II	D	2 Oct.	99.6	98.4	753	531
1972-076E	Atlas F/						
	Burner II	D	2 Oct.	99.5	98.4	750	727
1972-079A	Titan IIID	Α,	10 Oct.	88.7	96.4	268	159
1972-82A	Delta	C	15 Oct.	114.9	101.7	1458	1451
1972-82B	Delta	C į	15 Oct.	114.9	101.7	1456	1451
1972-82C	Delta	D T	15 Oct.	109.3	102.8	1474	918
The following of	jects not previo	usly reported	have been	identified	since the pre-	vious repor	t:
1962-A Alpha 5	Thor-Delta	D	19 Jun.	99.6	58.1	906	581
1966 16E	Delta	D	28 Feb.	112.7	100.9	1367	1343
1966 87E	Delta	D	2 Oct.	114.4	100.9	1461	1401
1970 25NE	Thor-Agena	D	8 Apr.	315 object	cts have been	identified	as having
				been launched with 1970 25A and 25B.			
				Objects 1970A-ND have been previously reported.			
1972 69C	Scout	D	2 Sep.	100.2	89.7	833	710
1961 Sigma 5	Atlas/AgenaB	D	12 Jul.	161.6	91.3	3547	3357
1965-082UG	Titan IIIC	Ď	15 Oct.	102.1	32.3	988	724

The following objects not previously reported were identified since the previous report but were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 October 1972:

None

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1972-079B

Titan IIID

D

10 Oct.

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 October 1972: 1965-082DA 1971-109D