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

Letter dated 18 September 1973 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 to you herewith, for 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 21 to 30 August 1973.

(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>No.</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>
720	Cosmos 579	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	21 August 1973	209	315	65.4
721	Cosmos 580	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	22 August 1973	283	518	71.0
722	Cosmos 581	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	24 August 1973	211	303	51.6
723	Cosmos 582	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	28 August 1973	521	559	74.0
724	Molniya 1	Continued operation of the long-range telephone and telegraph radio-communications system and transmission of television programmes to stations in the Orbita network	30 August 1973	480	37,970	65.3
725	Cosmos 583	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	30 August 1973	208	316	65.0
