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

Letter dated 8 September 1976 from the Acting Permanent
Representative of the United States of America addressed
to the Secretary-General

In accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 of 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 May 1976.

(Signed) W. Tapley BENNETT, Jr.

REGISTRATION DATA FOR US SPACE LAUNCHES

I

The following report supplements the registration data for US space launches as of 2400Z on 31 March 1976

International designation	Launch vehicle	Satellite category	Date of launch	Nodal period	Inclination	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)
New objects in orbit							
1976-023A	Titan III	C	Mar 15	1465.0	25.2	39 421	35 785
1976-023B	Titan III	C	Mar 15	1465.0	25.2	39 421	35 785
1976-023C	Titan III	C	Mar 15	7323.6	25.2	118 985	118 109
1976-023D	Titan III	C	Mar 15	7122.6	25.4	116 940	115 562
1976-023F	Titan III	D	Mar 15	1465.0	25.2	39 421	35 785
1976-023G	Titan III	D	Mar 15	3662.0	25.1	114 943	36 720
1976-023H	Titan III	D	Mar 15	7094.0	25.2	115 321	114 943
1976-027A	Titan III	A	Mar 22	89.1	96.4	349	123
1976-029A	Delta	C	Mar 26	1434.9	0.3	34 882	35 642
1976-029B	Delta	D	Mar 26	106.7	28.4	1 961	184

The following objects not previously reported have been identified since the previous report:

1974-101E	Delta	D	Dec 19	96.8	26.9	936	277
1974-101F	Delta	D	Dec 19	97.6	27.0	1 004	282

The following object achieved orbit since the previous report but was no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 March 1976:

1976-023F	Titan III	D	Mar 15				
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The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 March 1976:

- 1970-025MT
- 1972-073D
- 1975-096A
- 1975-107B
- 1976-017B
- 1976-017D

II

The following report supplements the registration data for US space launches as of 2400Z on 30 April 1976

International designation	Launch vehicle	Satellite category	Date of launch	Nodal period	Inclination	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)
New objects in orbit							
1976-035A	Delta	C	April 22	1423.4	2.9	35 863	35 209
1976-035B	Delta	D	April 22	93.2	28.2	684	177
1976-035C	Delta	D	April 22	632.4	27.0	35 854	201
1976-038A	Atlas	A	April 30	107.4	63.4	1 128	1 104
1976-038B	Atlas	D	April 30	107.3	63.4	1 123	1 104

The following objects not previously reported have been identified since the previous report:

1966-087F	Delta	D	Oct 2	114.6	101.4	1 551	1 329
1974-089DL-DS	Delta	D	Nov 15	110 objects have been identified as having been launched with 1974-089A, B and C. 103 objects previously reported.			
1976-029C	Delta	D	Mar 26	635.6	27.2	36 032	185

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 30 April 1976:

- 1965-082UF
- 1965-108K
- 1975-096B
- 1975-114A
- 1976-004C

III

The following report supplements the registration data
 for US space launches as of 2400Z on 31 May 1976

International designation	Launch vehicle	Satellite category	Date of launch	Nodal period	Inclination	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)
New objects in orbit							
1976-039A	Delta	C	May 4	225.5	110.0	5 920	5 865
1976-039B	Delta	D	May 4	153.3	109.6	5 916	310
1976-039C	Delta	D	May 4	225.4	109.8	5 945	5 836
1976-042A	Atlas/Centaur	C	May 13	1429.9	0.1	35 803	35 526
1976-042B	Atlas/Centaur	D	May 13	649.2	21.8	36 356	559
1976-047A	Scout	C	May 22	105.6	99.9	1 058	998
1976-047B	Scout	D	May 22	105.6	99.7	1 054	993
1976-047C	Scout	D	May 22	106.5	99.4	1 126	1 012
1976-047D	Scout	D	May 22	105.2	100.0	1 035	972

The following objects not previously reported have been identified since the previous report:

1970-106C	Delta	D	Dec 11	116.5	101.8	1 551	1 505
1976-023J	Titan IIIC	D	Mar 15	1 465.0	25.5	36 933	35 782
1976-038C	Atlas	A	Apr 30	107.4	63.4	1 118	1 112
1976-038D	Atlas	A	Apr 30	107.6	63.5	1 150	1 106
1976-038E	Atlas	D	Apr 30	107.5	63.4	1 112	1 111
1976-038F	Atlas	D	Apr 30	107.4	63.4	1 121	1 108
1976-038G	Atlas	D	Apr 30	107.6	63.4	1 143	1 110
1976-038H	Atlas	D	Apr 30	107.1	63.4	1 099	1 090

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 31 May 1976:

- 1962-OMI 1
- 1974-009A
- 1975-099D
- 1976-027A
- 1976-035B