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 OUTER SPACE

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

Note verbale dated 16 November 1978 from the Permanent Mission of
 the Federal Republic of Germany to the United Nations addressed
 to the Secretariat

In accordance with the provision of paragraphs 1 and 2 of United Nations
 General Assembly resolution 1721 B (XVI), I herewith submit the following
 registration data concerning an object jointly launched into orbit from the Eastern
 Test Range (Kennedy Space Center) by the United States and the Federal Republic of
 Germany:

Name: HELIOS A (HELIOSI)

International designation: 1974-097A

Date of launch: 10 December 1974

Nodal period: 190

Inclination: 0°

Apogee (in astronomical units): 0.985

Perigee (in astronomical units): 0.309

Purpose: Exploration of the interplanetary space between
 the earth and the sun and study of solar
 influences on that area.
