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REGISTRATION OF OBJECTS LAUNCHED INTO OUTER SPACE

Note verbale dated 10 May 1983 from the Permanent Mission of the
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations
addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in conformity with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space, has the honour to transmit information concerning space objects launched by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in February 1983 and concerning objects previously launched into earth orbit which are no longer in orbit.

REGISTRATION DATA ON SPACE OBJECTS LAUNCHED BY THE USSR IN FEBRUARY 1983

1. In February 1983, the USSR launched the following space objects:

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				Period (minutes)	General purpose of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
1791	COSMOS-1439	6 February	371	180	70.4	89.7	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	
1792	COSMOS-1440	10 February	293	223	82.3	89.3	Investigation of the natural resources of the earth in the interest of various branches of the national economy of the USSR and international co-operation	
1793	COSMOS-1441	16 February	667	632	81	97.5	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	
1794	COSMOS-1442	25 February	364	180	67.2	89.6	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space	

All objects were launched from the territory of the USSR.

2. The following space objects ceased to exist in February 1983 and were no longer in earth orbit at 2400 hours Moscow time on 28 February:

- INTERCOSMOS-14 (1975-115A)
- COSMOS-1438 (1983-005A)
- COSMOS-1439 (1983-007A)
- COSMOS-1440 (1983-009A)