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REGISTRATION OF OBJECTS LAUNCHED INTO OUTER SPACE

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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 July and August 1984 and concerning objects previously launched into earth orbit which are no longer in orbit.

REGISTRATION DATA ON SPACE OBJECTS LAUNCHED BY THE USSR IN JULY 1984

1. In July 1984, the USSR launched the following space objects:

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				General purpose of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1966	COSMOS-1581	4 July	40 165	614	26.8	710	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1967	METEOR-2	5 July	974	954	82.5	104	Gathering of meteorological information and data on penetrating radiation fluxes in circumterrestrial space
1968	SOYUZ T-12	17 July	309	282	51.6	90.2	Transporting a crew comprising ship's commander V. A. Dzhaniybekov, flight engineer S. E. Savitskaya and cosmonaut-researcher I. P. Volk to the SALYUT-7 orbital station to conduct scientific and technical studies and experiments
1969	COSMOS-1582	19 July	308	227	82.4	89.5	Investigation of the natural resources of the earth in the interests of various branches of the national economy of the USSR and international co-operation
1970	COSMOS-1583	24 July	388	209	72.9	90.1	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1971	COSMOS-1584	27 July	268	193	82.4	88.8	Investigation of the natural resources of the earth in the interests of various branches of the national economy of the USSR and international co-operation
1972	COSMOS-1585	31 July	324	181	64.8	89.3	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 July 1984 and were no longer in earth orbit at 2400 hours Moscow time on 31 July:

COSMOS-1558 (1984-050A)
 PROGRESS-22 (1984-051A)
 COSMOS-1575 (1984-064A)
 COSMOS-1580 (1984-070A)
 SOYUZ T-12 (1984-073A)

REGISTRATION DATA ON SPACE OBJECTS LAUNCHED BY THE USSR IN AUGUST 1984

1. In August 1984, the USSR launched the following space objects:

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				General purpose of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1973	GORIZONT	2 August	35 785	35 785	1.5	1 435	Provision of telephone and telegraph radio communications and television broadcasting
1974	COSMOS-1586	2 August	40 165	614	62.8	710	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1975	COSMOS-1587	6 August	394	209	72.9	90.2	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1976	COSMOS-1588	8 August	457	438	65	93.3	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1977	COSMOS-1589	8 August	1 523	1 500	82.6	116	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
1978	MOLNIYA-1	10 August	40 772	479	62.7	735	Operation of the long-range telephone and telegraph radio communications system in the USSR and transmission of Central Television programmes to stations in the Orbita network
1979	PROGRESS-23	14 August	267	194	51.6	88.8	Transporting sundry cargo to the SALYUT-7 orbital station
1980	COSMOS-1590	16 August	293	221	82.4	89.3	Investigation of the natural resources of the earth in the interests of various branches of the national economy of the USSR and international co-operation
1981	MOLNIYA-1	24 August	40 877	467	62.8	737	Operation of the long-range telephone and telegraph radio communications system in the USSR and transmission of Central Television programmes to stations in the Orbita network
1982	EKRAN	24 August	35 580	35 580	0.4	1 425	Transmission of Central Television programmes to a network of receivers for collective use

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				General purpose of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1983	COSMOS-1591	30 August	300	220	82.3	89.4	Investigation of the natural resources of the earth in the interests of various branches of the national economy of the USSR and international co-operation

All objects were launched from the territory of the USSR.

2. The following space objects ceased to exist in August 1984 and were no longer in earth orbit at 2400 hours Moscow time on 31 August:

- COSMOS-1576 (1984-066A)
- COSMOS-1582 (1984-074A)
- COSMOS-1583 (1984-075A)
- COSMOS-1584 (1984-076A)
- COSMOS-1587 (1984-082A)
- PROGRESS-23 (1984-086A)
- COSMOS-1590 (1984-087A)