The Permanent Mission of Sweden to the United Nations (Vienna) presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in accordance with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space,* has the honour to inform him that the Swedish scientific satellite ASTRID, which is registered in the document ST/SG/SER.E/280, ceased to function on 27 September 1995.

*General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex, of 12 November 1974.