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Uses of Outer Space****Information furnished in conformity with the Convention on
Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space****Note verbale dated 23 December 1998 from the Permanent Mission of
Argentina to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the
Secretary-General**

The Permanent Mission of Argentina 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,¹ has the honour to submit information concerning the launch of satellite SAC-A (see annex). The information on the satellite is included in the register established by the Comisión Nacional de Actividades Espaciales (CONAE) under decree 125/95.

¹ General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex, of 12 November 1974.

Annex²

Registration data on space object launched by Argentina

Name of space object: SAC-A
Registration number: RA 4
Date of launch: 14 December 1998
Location of launch site: Kennedy Space Center
Operator of object launched: National Commission for Space Activities (CONAE)
Basic orbital parameters: Nodal period: 92 minutes
Inclination: 51.6 degrees
Apogee: 384 kilometres
Perigee: 362 kilometres
Launch vehicle: Space shuttle Endeavour
(Mission STS-88)
Launching agency: National Aeronautics and Space Administration
(NASA)
General function of space object: Technology

² The registration data are reproduced in the form in which they were received.