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Note verbale dated 7 March 2000 from the Permanent Mission of the United States of America to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of the United States of America 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 (General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex), has the honour to transmit (a) information complementing the registration data for the space launches by the United States during July 1999 contained in document ST/SG/SER.E/366 and (b) the registration data for the space launches by the United States during the period August-December 1999 (see annex).

Registration data for space launches by the United States of America

1. The following report supplements the registration data for the United States launches as at 31 July 1999 and complements the data contained in document ST/SG/SER.E/366. All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified.

			Basic orbital c	haracteristics				
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects		
The following objects were launched since the last report and remain in orbit:								
1999-040B	23July 1999	1537.5	28.4	72064	3434	Spacecraft engaged in investigation of spacecraft techniques and technology		
1999-040C	23 July 1999	258.2	28.5	13 836	268	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects		
1999-040D	23 July 1999	1 981.9	28.6	72 946	411	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects		
The following obje	ects not previously reported l	have been ide	ntified since the	last report:				
None.								

 $^{\ ^{\}ast}$ The registration data are reproduced in the form in which they were received.

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			Basic orbital c	haracteristics					
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects			
The following objects not previously reported have been identified since the last report but are no longer in orbit as at 2400Z 31 July 1999:									
None.	None.								
The following object	The following objects achieved orbit since the last report but are no longer in orbit as at 2400Z 31 July 1999:								
1999-040A	23 July 1999	89.9	28.5	280	260	Reusable space transportation systems			
The following objec	ts identified in a previous re	port are no lo	nger in orbit as a	at 2400Z 31 Jul	y 1999:				
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	1983-065С; 1989-089Ј; 1989-089М; 1989-089R; 1989-089Ұ; 1989-089АА; 1989-089АВ; 1989-089АС; 1989-089АН; 1989-089АТ; 1989-089АЦ; 1989-089ВД; 1989-089ВВ; 1989-089ВД; 1989-089ВД								
The following objects were launched since the last report but did not achieve orbit:									
None.									
Revisions that should be made to previously reported data:									
None.									

2. The following report supplements the registration data for the United States launches as at 31 August 1999. All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified.

			Basic orbital c	haracteristics		
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects
The following object	ts were launched since	the last report	and remain in or	bit:		
1999-043A	17August1999	114.1	52.0	1414	1413	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1999-043B	17August1999	114.1	52.0	1414	1413	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weatheror communications
1999-043C	17August1999	114.1	52.0	1414	1413	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1999-043D	17August1999	114.1	52.0	1414	1413	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weatheror communications
1999-043E	17 August 1999	101.7	52.3	1 359	319	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects

The following objects not previously reported have been identified since the last report:

1965-108A, 1967-026C, 1968-116B

The following objects not previously reported have been identified since the last report but are no longer in orbit as at 2400Z 31 August 1999:

None.

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			Basic orbital c	haracteristics					
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects			
The following object	The following objects achieved orbit since the last report but are no longer in orbit as at 2400Z 31 August 1999:								
None.									
The following object	s identified in a previou	is report are no	o longer in orbit	as at 2400Z 3	1 August 1999:				
1964-054A;1966-049 029SW; 1994-029UU;		P;1974-097B;	1976-053F;1990-	103D; 1994-02	29FR; 1994-029GU	J; 1994-029QA; 1994-029QB; 1994-029RT; 1994-			
The following object	ts were launched since t	he last report	but did not achie	eve orbit:					
None.									
Revisions that should be made to previously reported data:									
None.									

3. The following report supplements the registration data for the United States launches as at 30 September 1999. All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified.

		Basic orbital characteristics									
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects					
The following o	The following objects were launched since the last report and remain in orbit:										
1999-050A	23September1999	1436.1	0.0	35801	35772	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications					
1999-050B	23September1999	657.9	26.3	37266	94	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects					
1999-051A	24September1999	98.3	98.2	682	680	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications					
1999-051B	24September1999	87.8	97.6892	237	96	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects					
1999-051C	24September1999	89.9	98.1936	346	194	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects					
1999-052A	25September1999	1436.1	0.0	35797	35777	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications					

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			Basic orbital ch	aracteristics			
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects	
The following	objects not previously rep	orted have been	identified since	the last repo	rt:		
1974-094E	23November1974	108.2	24.3	2050	237	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects	
1994-016D	10March 1994	266.4	34.7	14486	193	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects	
The following	objects not previously rep	orted have been	identified since	the last report	t but are no lo	nger in orbit as at 2400Z 30 September 1999:	
None.							
The following of	objects achieved orbit sinc	e the last report	but are no longe	er in orbit as a	t 2400Z 30 Se	eptember 1999:	
1999-051B (OA	aM)						
The following of	objects identified in a prev	ious report are n	o longer in orbit	as at 2400Z 3	30 September	1999:	
1972-058AS; 1975-052EN; 1975-052JC; 1976-017C; 1977-048F; 1977-065BA; 1977-065DN; 1978-044C; 1991-054E; 1993-068B; 1994-029FU; 1994-029GL; 1994-029KH; 1994-029UQ; 1994-029ACR; 1994-029AEB; 1994-029AEC; 1994-029JJ							
The following objects were launched since the last report but did not achieve orbit:							
None.							
Revisions that should be made to previously reported data:							

None.

^{**} 4. The following report supplements the registration data for the United States launches as at 31 October 1999. All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified.

			Basic orbital cha	aracteristics		
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects
The following obje	ects were launched since t	he last report an	ıd remain in orb	it:		
1999-055A	7 October 1999	718.0	53.0	20 269	20 098	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1999-055B	7 October 1999	91.7	33.3	544	175	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-055C	7 October 1999	349.6	38.9	19 927	203	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-056A	10 October 1999	1 442.2	0.02	35 916	35 894	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1999-056B	9 October 1999	2 677	0.540	35 737	407	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-059A	19 October 1999	1 436.1	0.05	35 793	35 780	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications

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			Basic orbital cha	uracteristics			
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects	
The following ob	jects not previously report	ed have been id	entified since th	ne last report:			
1966-077X	19 August 1966	165.6	88.8	5 707	1 529	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects	
1966-077Y	19 August 1966	164.9	88.2	6 028	1 146	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects	
The following ob	jects not previously report	ed have been ide	entified since the	e last report b	out are no long	ger in orbit as at 2400Z 31 October 1999:	
None.							
The following ob	jects achieved orbit since t	he last report bu	t are no longer i	n orbit as at 2	2400Z 31 Octo	ober 1999:	
None.							
The following obj	jects identified in a previou	ıs report are no l	onger in orbit as	s at 2400Z 31	October 1999):	
1999-051C; 1998-060C; 1994-029GB; 1994-029HT; 1994-029LJ; 1994-029MK; 1994-029PA; 1994-029PG; 1994-029TB; 1994-029YN; 1994-029YS; 1994-029AAL; 1982-118C; 1975-052CZ							
The following objects were launched since the last report but did not achieve orbit:							
None.							
Revisions that should be made to previously reported data:							
None.							

		Basic orbital c	characteristics		
International designation Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects
ojects were launched since t	he last report and	l remain in orb	it:		
14November1999	1444.97	0.09	35964	35957	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications at uses of space technology such as weatheror communications
23November1999	1435.8	6.04	36638	34924	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications at uses of spacetechnology such as weather or communications
23 November 1999	454.1	26.9	26 110	273	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages shrouds and other non-functional objects
ojects not previously report	ed have been ide	ntified since th	e last report:		
	14November1999 23November1999 23 November 1999	Date of launch period (min) Dijects were launched since the last report and 14November1999 1444.97 23November1999 1435.8 23 November 1999 454.1	Nodal period (min) Inclination (degrees) Date of launch Nodal period (min) Inclination (degrees) 14November1999 1444.97 0.09 23November1999 1435.8 6.04 23 November 1999 454.1 26.9	Date of launch period (min) (degrees) (km) rejects were launched since the last report and remain in orbit: 14November1999 1444.97 0.09 35964 23November1999 1435.8 6.04 36638	Nodal period (min) Inclination (degrees) Apogee (km) Perigee (km) Opjects were launched since the last report and remain in orbit: 14November1999 1444.97 0.09 35964 35957 23November1999 1435.8 6.04 36638 34924 23 November 1999 454.1 26.9 26 110 273

The following objects achieved orbit since the last report but are no longer in orbit as at 2400Z 30 November 1999:

None.

None.

		Basic orbital characteristics						
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects		
The following objects identified in a previous report are no longer in orbit as at 2400Z 30 November 1999:								
1999-050B; 1999-055B; 1998-069C; 1997-063B; 1994-029X; 1994-029AQ; 1994-029DM; 1994-029HB; 1994-029JX; 1994-029MR; 1994-029MS; 1994-029WF; 1994-029WJ; 1994-029ADA; 1992-038C; 1992-039C; 1991-047E; 1987-053C; 1983-113E; 1972-058CK; 1972-058Z; 1969-097B								
The following objects were launched since the last report but did not achieve orbit:								
None.								
Revisions that should be made to previously reported data:								
None.								

6. The following report supplements the registration data for the United States launches as at 31 December 1999. All launches were made from the territory of the United States unless otherwise specified.

			Basic orbital c	haracteristics						
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects				
The following object	The following objects were launched since the last report and remain in orbit:									
1999-065A	4December1999	101.4	45.04	840	833	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weatheror communications				
1999-065B	4December1999	101.4	45.03	837	830	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weatheror communications				
1999-065C	4December1999	101.4	45.04	837	829	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weatheror communications				
1999-065D	4December1999	101.4	45.04	840	833	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications				
1999-065E	4December1999	101.4	45.04	840	833	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weatheror communications				
1999-065F	4December1999	101.4	45.03	837	830	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications				

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			Basic orbital c	haracteristics		
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects
1999-065G	4December1999	101.4	45.04	837	829	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weatheror communications
1999-065H	4 December 1999	96.0	45.0	723	409	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-065J	4 December 1999	96.6	41.0	825	384	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-067A	12 December 1999	101.7	98.9	863	849	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1999-067B	12 December 1999	101.7	98.9	865	854	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-067C	12 December 1999	101.8	98.9	866	859	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-068A	18 December 1999	98.1	98.2	704	674	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1999-068B	18 December 1999	94.5	98.3	634	356	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects

			Basic orbital c	haracteristics		
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects
1999-070B	21 December 1999	98.8	98.3	733	689	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
1999-070C	21 December 1999	98.8	98.3	731	690	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-070D	21 December 1999	98.8	98.3	730	689	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1999-071A	22 December 1999	1 435.7	0.2	38 262	33 295	Spacecraft engaged in practical applications and uses of space technology such as weather or communications
The following obj	ects not previously reported	have been ident	ified since the	last report:		
1975-052BA	12 June 1975	103.4	100.0	1 079	756	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
1975-052KA	12 June 1975	102.8	100.0	1 027	757	Spent boosters, spent manoeuvring stages, shrouds and other non-functional objects
The following obje	ects not previously reported	have been identi	fied since the la	ast report but	are no longer	in orbit as at 2400Z 31 December 1999:
None.						
The following obje	ects achieved orbit since the	last report but ar	e no longer in o	orbit as at 240	0Z 31 Decemb	per 1999:
1999-069A	20 December 1999	96.4	28.5	609	563	Reusable space transportation systems

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		Basic orbital characteristics						
International designation	Date of launch	Nodal period (min)	Inclination (degrees)	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	General function of space objects		
The following objects	The following objects identified in a previous report are no longer in orbit as at 2400Z 31 December 1999:							
1965-082DX; 1970-025EZ; 1970-025HB; 1972-058Z; 1972-058CQ; 1978-096F; 1979-017BX; 1993-074C; 1994-029CF; 1994-029EF, 1994-029FG; 1994-029FH; 1994-029KY; 1994-029PZ; 1994-029VW; 1994-029ACU; 1999-034B								
The following objects were launched since the last report but did not achieve orbit:								
None.								
Revisions that should be made to previously reported data:								
None.								