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**Information furnished in conformity with the Convention
on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space**

**Letter dated 9 May 2007 from the Head of the Legal Department
of the European Space Agency to the Secretary-General**

In conformity with the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space (General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex), the rights and obligations of which the European Space Agency has declared its acceptance, the Agency has the honour to transmit information on the launching of its Sloshsat FLEVO satellite (see annex).

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Head, Legal Department



Annex

Registration of an object launched into outer space*

Sloshsat FLEVO

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| Name of space object: | Sloshsat FLEVO | |
| COSPAR international designator: | 2005-005C | |
| Name of launching authority: | European Space Agency (ESA) | |
| Date of launch: | 12 February 2005 | |
| Location of launch site: | Kourou, French Guiana | |
| Orbital parameters: | At launch | Present |
| Nodal period: | 632 minutes | 626 minutes |
| Inclination: | 6.98 degrees | 7.4 degrees |
| Apogee: | 35,821 kilometres | 35,476 kilometres |
| Perigee: | 250 kilometres | 252 kilometres |
| General description of the space object: | Sloshsat FLEVO is a technology-demonstration minisatellite for the experimental study of liquid dynamics and liquid management problems in space. After launch, it was operated for 14 days. Sloshsat FLEVO is a joint programme between ESA, the Ministry of Economic Affairs of the Netherlands, the Netherlands Agency for Aerospace Programmes (NIVR) and the National Aerospace Laboratory (NLR). | |

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