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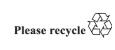
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Note verbale dated 21 June 2023 from the Permanent Mission of Belgium to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

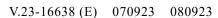
The Permanent Mission of Belgium to the United Nations in Vienna has the honour to transmit herewith, on behalf of the Government of Belgium, a notification concerning the registration by Belgium of the space object Gregoire.

The object in question is being registered in accordance with article VIII of the Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, including the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies (General Assembly resolution 2222 (XXI), annex), and pursuant to the provisions of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space (General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex). The present notification is being made in application of the recommendations set out in General Assembly resolution 62/101 of 17 December 2007.

¹ The data on the space object referenced in the annex were entered into the Register of Objects Launched into Outer Space on 27 June 2023.









Annex

Registration information on a space object launched by Belgium*

Gregoire

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Name of the space object Gregoire

National designator/registration number 2023-B-SC-037

State of registry Belgium

Other launching States United States of America

Date and territory or location of launch 12 June 2023 at 2135 hours UTC;

Cape Canaveral, United States

Basic orbital parameters

Nodal period 92 minutes
Inclination 98 degrees
Apogee 525 kilometres
Perigee 525 kilometres

General function of the space object Testing and demonstration of a versatile

satellite platform

Additional voluntary information for use in the Register of Objects Launched into Outer Space

Space object owner or operator Aerospacelab

Launch vehicle SpaceX Falcon 9

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^{*} The information was submitted using the form prepared pursuant to General Assembly resolution 62/101 and has been reformatted by the Secretariat.