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Note verbale dated 19 December 2023 from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations (Vienna), 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 data on space launches by the Russian Federation in November 2023 and on previously launched space objects that ceased to exist during that period (see annex).¹

¹ The data on the space objects referenced in the annex were entered into the Register of Objects Launched into Outer Space on 9 January 2024.





S Annex

Registration data on space objects launched by the Russian Federation in November 2023*

1. In November 2023, the following space object under the jurisdiction and control of the Russian Federation was launched:

			Basic orbital parameters			rs	
Registration number of space object	Name of space object, launch vehicle and place of launch	Date of launch	Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	General function of space object
3692-2023-018	Cosmos-2572, launched by a Soyuz-2-1b carrier rocket from the Plesetsk launch site	25 November 2023	310.9	301.8	96.6	90.5	Intended for assignments on behalf of the Ministry of Defence of the Russian Federation

2. In November 2023, the Russian Federation did not launch any space objects on behalf of foreign clients.

3. The following space objects ceased to exist in November 2023 and were no longer in Earth orbit as at 2400 hours Moscow time on 30 November 2023:

1971-028A (Cosmos-405), which burned up on 3 November 2023;

2022-137A (Cosmos-2562), which burned up on 8 November 2023;

2023-071A (Progress MS-23), which was deorbited into the Pacific Ocean at a predetermined location on 29 November 2023; fragments of the space object that had not burned up were sunk.

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