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INFORMATION FURNISHED IN CONFORMITY WITH GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1721 B (XVI) BY STATES LAUNCHING OBJECTS INTO ORBIT OR BEYOND

Letter dated 18 January 1963 from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America addressed to the Secretary-General

In accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 of General Assembly resolution 1721 B (XVI), I enclose registration data concerning objects launched into orbit or beyond by the United States. With these additions and deletions is the record, you will have received for the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space and for the Public Registry a complete registry of all the United States space vehicles and associated objects in orbit or space transit as of 15 December 1962.

In addition there is included supplemental information concerning a United States space vehicle launched on 4 December 1962, which achieved orbit but was no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 15 December 1962.

(Signed) Adlai E. Stevenson

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## REGISTRATION DATA FOR UNITED STATES SPACE LAUNCHES

The following report supplements the registration date for United States space launches as of 2400Z on 15 December 1962

International Designation	Launch Vehicle	Satellite Category	Date of Launch	Nodal Period	Inclination (Degrees)	Apogee (Kilometres)	Perigee (Kilometres)
1962 Beta-Tau 1	Thor Agena	Α	13 Dec. 62	116.2	70.37	2,774.4	245.6
1962 Beta-Tau 2	Thor Agena		13 Dec. 62	116.3	70.34	2,781.9	246.3
1962 Beta-Tau 3	Thor Agena	. A	13 Dec. 62	115.6	70.29	2,735.2	224.5
1962 Beta-Tau 4	Thor Agena	Α.	13 Dec. 62	116.2	70.35	2,781.7	232.7
1962 Beta Upsilon 1	Thor Delta	. C	13 Dec. 62	184.9	47.77	7,455.7	1,298.1
1962 Beta Upsilon 2	Thor Delta	D.	13 Dec. 62		Insuff	icient Data-	
1962 Beta-Phi 1	Thor Agens	. A-	14 Dec. 62	90.5	70.00	388.4	203.1

The following objects were no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 15 December 1962:

1961 Alpha Epsilon 1 1962 Beta-Rho 1 1962 Beta-Omicron 1

## Supplemental Information:

In addition the United States launched the following space vehicle which achieved orbit but was no longer in orbit as of 2400Z on 15 December 1962:

International Designation	Leunch Vehicle	Satellite Category	Date of Launch
1962 Beta-Sigma 1	Thor Agena	Α,	4 December 1962