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Letter dated 1 December 1967 from the Permanent Representative of Australia addressed to the Secretary-General

Pursuant to Part B, paragraphs 1 and 2, of United Nations General Assembly Resolution 1721 (XVI), I have the honour to inform you of the following particulars concerning a space object which has been launched into orbit around the earth from Woomera, South Australia:

Name of Satellite.

WRESAT 1

Purpose of launching

Upper atmosphere and

space research

Date and time of launching 1419 hours control standard

time, 29 November 1967

Anomalistic period

98.9744 minutes

Inclination of orbit

83.306 degrees

Apogee

1248.91 km

Perigee

170.14 km

Vehicle

Based on Redstone

(Signed) Patrick SHAW
Permanent Representative