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Note verbale dated 5 November 1987 from the Permanent Mission of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in conformity with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space, has the honour to transmit information concerning space objects launched by the USSR in July 1987 and concerning objects previously launched into earth orbit which are no longer in orbit.

REGISTRATION DATA ON SPACE OBJECTS LAUNCHED BY THE USSR IN JULY 1987

1. In July 1987, the USSR launched the following space objects:

No.	Name of space object	Date of launching	Basic orbit characteristics				
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	General purpose of space object
1	2	3	4	5.	6	7	8
2303	Cosmos-1862	1 July	679	645	82.5	97.7	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
2304	Cosmos-1863	4 July	383	208	72.9	90.8	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
2305	Cosmos-1864	7 July	1 019	977	83	104.8	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
2306	Cosmos-1865	8 July	327	204	64.8	89.5	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
2307	Cosmos-1866	9 July	386	177	67	89.8	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
2308	Cosmos-1867	10 July	813	797	65	100.B	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
2309	Cosmos-1868	14 July	726	279	74	94.5	Investigation of the upper atmosphere and outer space
2310	Cosmos-1869	16 July	679	647	82.5	97.8	Acquisition of operational oceanographic data in the interests of various branches of the economy of the USSR and international co-operation
2311	Soyuz TM-3	22 July	304	249	51.6	89.9	Transport to the Mir orbital space station of a Soviet-Syrian crew compromising cosmonauts A. S. Viktorenko, A. P. Aleksandrov and M. A. Faris to
							conduct joint research and experiments with cosmonauts Y. Romanenko and A. Laveikin
2312	Cosmos-1870	25 July	282	168	71.9	88.7	Remote sensing of the earth's surface, oceans and seas in the interests of variou branches of science and the economy

All objects were launched from the territory of the USSR.

2. The following space objects ceased to exist in July 1987 and were no longer in earth orbit at 2400 hours Moscow time on 31 July 1987:

Soyuz TM-2 (1987-013A) Progress-30 (1987-044A) Cosmos-1847 (1987-046A) Cosmos-1863 (1987-056A)
