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**Note verbale dated 28 June 2017 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 registration data on space launches by the Russian Federation for May 2017 and also on the space objects that ceased to exist during that period (see annex).



## Annex

### Registration data on space launches by the Russian Federation in May 2017\*

1. In May 2017, the following space object under the jurisdiction and control of the Russian Federation was launched:

Number	Name of space object	Date of launch	Basic orbital characteristics				General function of space object
			Apogee (km)	Perigee (km)	Inclination (degrees)	Period (minutes)	
3464-2017-003	Cosmos-2518, launched by a Soyuz-2-1b carrier rocket with a Fregat booster from the Plesetsk launch site	25 May 2017	37 898.7	281.6	63.1	673.9	Intended for assignments on behalf of the Ministry of Defence of the Russian Federation.

2. In May 2017, the Russian Federation did not launch any space objects on behalf of foreign clients.
3. The following space object ceased to exist in May 2017 and was no longer in Earth orbit as at 2400 hours Moscow time on 31 May 2017:
- 2008-062A (Cosmos-2446), which burned up on 9 May 2017.

\* The registration data are reproduced in the form in which they were received.