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Uses of Outer Space****Information furnished in conformity with the Convention
on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space****Note verbale dated 21 April 2020 from the Permanent Mission of
the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the
United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General**

The Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations (Vienna), in accordance with article II, paragraph 2, of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space (General Assembly resolution [3235 \(XXIX\)](#), annex), which states that “Where there are two or more launching States in respect of any such space object, they shall jointly determine which one of them shall register the object”, confirms that the space object ICO F2 has been owned and operated by a United States company since 2012 and therefore will be held on the national registry of the United States of America (see annex).¹

¹ The data on the space object referenced in the annex were entered into the Register of Objects Launched into Outer Space on 21 December 2020.



Annex

Additional information on a space object registered by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland*

ICO F2

Information provided in conformity with the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space

Committee on Space Research international designator	2001-026A
Name of space object	ICO F2
State of registry	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
Registration documents	ST/SG/SER.E/398
Date and territory or location of launch	19 June 2001 at 0441 hours UTC; Cape Canaveral, United States of America
Basic orbital parameters	
Nodal period	351.2 minutes
Inclination	44.91 degrees
Apogee	10,113 kilometres
Perigee	10,109 kilometres
General function of space object	Communications satellite

Additional voluntary information for use in the Register of Objects Launched into Outer Space

Other information	The United Kingdom confirms that the space object ICO F2 should be held on the United States national registry and that it has been moved from the United Kingdom's national registry to the United Kingdom Supplementary Registry of Outer Space Objects
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* The information was submitted using the form prepared pursuant to General Assembly resolution [62/101](#) and has been reformatted by the Secretariat.