

2025-3 Highlights

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Updates for this release include:

- ESA Annual Report 2024 (§ 33:19)
- European Commission, Communication from the Commission to the Council, the European Parliament, The European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions, Towards a Space Strategy for the European Union that Benefits its Citizens, ST/5814/2025/INIT, OJ L, 2025/538, 24.3.2025, ELI (Mar. 11, 2025) (§ 35:10)
- Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the signing, on behalf of the European Union, of a broad package of agreements to consolidate, deepen and expand the bilateral relations with the Swiss Confederation, and on the provisional application of the Agreement on the terms and conditions for the participation of the Swiss Confederation in the European Union Agency for the Space Programme, COM/2025/308 final (June 13, 2025) (§ 35:11)
- Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on the safety, resilience and sustainability of space activities in the Union, COM/2025/335 final (June 25, 2025) (§ 35:12)
- Communication from the Commission to the European Parliament, The Council, The European Economic and Social Committee and the Committee of the Regions a vision for the European Space Economy, COM/2025/336 final (June 25, 2025) (§ 35:13)
- Commission Staff Working Document Impact Assessment Report Accompanying the document Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the safety, resilience and sustainability of space activities in the Union, SWD/2025/335 final (June 25, 2025)—Part 1 (§ 35:14)
- Commission Staff Working Document Impact Assessment Report Accompanying the document Proposal for a Regulation of the

European Parliament and of the Council on the safety, resilience and sustainability of space activities in the Union, SWD/2025/335 final (June 25, 2025)—Part 2 (§ 35:15)

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Updates for this release include:

- Specialized Panel of Arbitrators: Established Pursuant to the Optional Rules for Arbitration of Disputes Relating to Outer Space Activities (Annex 4) (§ 36:2)
- Specialized Panel of Scientific Experts: Established Pursuant to the Optional Rules for Arbitration of Disputes Relating to Outer Space Activities (Annex 5) (§ 36:3)
- Law of 17 September 2005 on the Activities of Launching, Flight Operation or Guidance of Space Objects (consolidated text as revised by the Law of 1 December 2013 (B.O.J. of Jan. 15, 2014) (§ 44:2)
- Royal Implementing Decree (Mar. 19, 2008) (§ 44:3)
- Canadian Space Agency Act, S.C. 1990, c.13 (as at Sept. 15, 2025; last amended June 17, 2019) (§ 46:7)
- Order Designating the Minister of Industry, Science and Technology as Minister for Purposes of the Canadian Space Agency Act, the Canadian Space Agency as a Department, and the President of the Agency as Deputy Head (§ 46:8)
- Order Designating the Minister of Industry, Science and Technology as Minister for Purposes of the Act (SI/93-229) (§ 46:9)
- Broadcasting Act, S.C. 1991, c. 11 (amended June 22, 2023) (§ 49:1)
- Broadcasting Regulatory Policy CRTC 2024-121 (June 4, 2024) (§ 49:2)

2025-2 Highlights

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- Resolution 72/79: Consideration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (§ 24:110)
- Resolution 73/6: Fiftieth anniversary of the first United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space: space as a driver of sustainable development (Oct. 26, 2018) (§ 24:111)
- Resolution 75/92: Continuity of the work of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space and its subsidiary bodies (Dec. 10, 2020) (§ 24:114)
- Resolution 76/3: The “Space2030” Agenda: space as a driver of sustainable development (Oct. 25, 2021) (§ 24:115)
- Resolution 76/76: International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space (Dec. 9, 2021) (§ 24:116)
- Resolution 77/120: Space and global health (Dec. 12, 2022) (§ 24:117)
- Resolution 78/72: International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space (Dec. 7, 2023) (§ 24:119)
- Resolution 79/87: International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space (Dec. 4, 2024) (§ 24:120)
- Joint Statement by the U.S. and Japan Delivered by Ambassador Robert Wood at the UN Security Council Stakeout Following Russia’s Veto of a Resolution on Preventing Nuclear Weapons in Outer Space (Apr. 24, 2024) (§ 27:2)