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**USSR:** The Soviet manned space program suffered another setback last night when a Salyut space station, launched from Tyuratam with an SL-13 booster, failed to achieve orbit. There were no cosmonauts aboard the Salyut. If the launch had been successful, however, the space station probably would have been joined in orbit by a manned Soyuz spacecraft. The last Soviet manned space mission--Soyuz 11 in June 1971--included the successful docking of a Soyuz spacecraft with a Salyut space station, but the three-man crew of the Soyuz was killed during de-orbit. THE FAILURE LAST NIGHT APPARENTLY WAS CAUSED BY A PROBLEM IN 50X1 THE SL-13 BOOSTER. CIA Statute

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