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*SATELLITES OF SATURN*

Further to *IAUC* 8523, S. S. Sheppard, D. C. Jewitt, and J. Kleyna report the discovery of nine new satellites of Saturn (S/2004 S 19 and S/2006 S 1–S/2006 S 8) in data obtained during 2004 Dec.–2005 Mar. and 2006 Jan.–Apr. with the Subaru 8.2-m reflector, aided by B. G. Marsden's ongoing linkages and search ephemerides. The astrometry and orbital data appear on *MPECs* 2006-M44, 2006-M45, and 2006-M48, showing retrograde orbits with orbital periods ranging from 862 to 1300 days.

*SUPERNOVAE 2006dj, 2006dk, 2006dl*

Three additional supernovae have been discovered on unfiltered CCD images: 2006dj and 2006dl by M. Baek and W. Li (LOSS/KAIT; cf. *IAUC* 8725), and 2006dk by M. Migliardi (communicated by A. Dimai; cf. *IAUC* 7373).

SN	2006 UT	$\alpha_{2000}$	$\delta_{2000}$	Mag.	Offset
2006dj	June 5.46	22 <sup>h</sup> 59 <sup>m</sup> 22 <sup>s</sup> .89	+53°44'09".8	18.9	0".5 E, 15".0 S
2006dk	June 25.88	12 11 34.35	+57 44 26.3	16.3	6" E, 11" N
2006dl	June 29.24	13 05 16.73	+25 57 27.8	18.0	9".5 E, 0".2 N

Additional KAIT magnitudes for 2006dj in UGC 12287: 2000 Oct. 7.24 UT, [20.0; 2006 June 25.46, 18.9; 26.43, 18.9. Additional CROSS magnitudes for 2006dk in NGC 4161: Jan. 30, [18.5; June 26.87, 16.2. Nothing appears at the location of 2006dk on Palomar Sky Survey infrared, red, and blue plates. A spectrogram obtained on June 26.92 shows that SN 2006dk is a type-II supernova close to the time of explosion (details on *CBET* 565). Additional magnitudes for 2006dl in MCG +04-31-5: June 19.26, [19.5; 30.23, 18.0.

*COMETS C/2006 J12 AND C/2006 K6 (SOHO)*

Additional Kreutz sungrazing comets have been found on SOHO website images (cf. *IAUC* 8724; GS = G. Sun) — both described by K. Battams as being small and stellar in appearance, with no tails. C/2006 K6 reached mag 6.5 on May 17.246 UT at  $5.5R_{\odot}$  in C2 images.

Comet	2006 UT	$\alpha_{2000}$	$\delta_{2000}$	Inst.	F	<i>MPEC</i>
C/2006 J12	May 15.646	3 <sup>h</sup> 31 <sup>m</sup> .6	+17°23'	C2	GS	2006-M28
C/2006 K6	17.071	3 38.1	+17 24	C3/2	RM	2006-M28