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Turksat 3A Satellite Launch Delayed by One Week

France, May 14, 2008 – The launch of Ariane 5 rocket carrying Skynet 5C and Turksat 3A satellites will be postponed to 30th of May, 2008.

According to Arianespace officials, Ariane 5 launch vehicle will pass through complementary checks, rescheduling the launch of both the Skynet 5C and Turksat 3A satellites from their original target date of May the 23rd, 2008.

Lift-off of the Ariane 5 launcher from the European Space Port in French Guiana is now set for Friday, May the 30th, at 18:52 local time, or on Saturday, May the 31st, at 00:52 in Ankara time.