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EDITORIAL NOTICE

On *MPC* 66141, with little explanation, it was announced that the Minor Planet Center will cease charging for its online publications on 2009 Oct. 1. The "Computer Service" (run since 1983 jointly by the Central Bureau and the MPC) will continue after Oct. 1 as before for paying subscribers, giving access to *IAUCs* and *CBETs*.

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COMET C/2009 A6 (STEREO)

Further to *IAUC* 9051, another slightly diffuse and somewhat elongated Kreutz sungrazer has been found on STEREO/SECCHI HI-1A images, reaching peak magnitude $\sim$ 11.

Comet	2009 UT		α_{2000}	δ_{2000}	Inst.	F	*MPEC*
C/2009 A6	Jan.	2.378	$22^{h}11^{m}.1$	$-14^{\circ}25'$	HI*	AW	2009-F31

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