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"Chris L Peterson" <clp@alumni.caltech.edu> wrote in message
news:nhiaj0dd3kvs9pu66ofchs97s80v4drib9@4ax.com...
> *Did you try the feature that is built into TheSky to download that*
> *information*
> *directly from the Internet? Data > Comets and Minor Planets > Comets >*
> *Observable (From the web).*

Thanks Chris. I actually overlooked that handy little button until (of course) after I clicked [Send]. Although I'm not sure about the internals of that function. Does it go to some URL to find a file similar to what I was looking for originally or is there some rawer data it goes to?...

Just curious. Either way, now I've got two sources to go to if I'm missing a comet.

--Mark