

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 13 June 53	2. LOCATION 44.30N 137.10 E (Pacific)
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION AIRCRAFT
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Same crew member later had a chance to observe an F-94 afterburner in operation and reported both sightings as identical.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Not Reported	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS During RE-29 encounter with unidentified a/c on night of 13-14 June 53, 1 crew member reported unidentified light similar to an a/c afterburner.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Air-Visual	
7. COURSE Not Reported	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

Witness
AIR 020
AFM DE AIR
PP AFM
DE JEPHQ 106C

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08:50

P 221820Z
FM HQ USAF WASH DC
TO CG ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO
CRYPTO SVC NR 410X. PLS PASS AS INDICATED PER RQST SMD THIS HQS.
DE JAPYC5B
P 190006Z

FM CG FEAF TOKYO JAPAN
TO HQ USAF WASHDC

/ [REDACTED] A 6743 IN-REQ ATTN CLN DIR OF INT PD PASS TO ATIC
PD DURING RB-29 ENCOUNTER W/UNIDENTIFIED ACFT ON NIGHT OF 13/14
JUNE 53 CMA 4430N/13710E CMA ONE CREW MEMBER RPTD VIS OBSERVATION
OF AFTER BURNER FLAME WHICH SHUT OFF ABRUPTLY DURING PASS PD SAME
CREW MEMBER LATER HAD OPPORTUNITY TO WATCH F-94 AFTER BURNER IN OPR
AND RPTD BOTH SIGHTINGS AS IDENTICAL PD FORM 112 ON ENTIRE INCIDENT
BEING PREPARED

19/0025Z JUN JAPYC
22/1825Z JUN JEPHQ

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