

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 30 July 1954		2. LOCATION Los Angeles, California		12. CONCLUSIONS	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 30/1815Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other <u>UNIDENTIFIED</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian (2 Test Pilots)			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Did Not Report		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1		9. COURSE Stationary	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Pencil thin line, stationary in horizontal plane parallel to earth. Seemed solid metallic. Air visual from B-25 on test mission. A/C climbed to 11,000 ft. Circling to obtain better view. Object did not disappear. Navy a/c passed under object. Object appeared to be at 30,000.				11. COMMENTS UNIDENTIFIED.	

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UFOB - ONE DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT ALFA SHAPE PENCIL THIN LINE

BRAVO UNKNOWN COCA COLOR METALLIC OR SIMILAR MATERIAL ECHO

FORMATION SINGLE FOXTROT NO SPECIFIC FEATURES DISCERNIBLE GOLF

NEGATIVE HOTEL NEGATIVE INDIA TWO TEST PILOTS OF HUGHES AIRCRAFT

CORP FLYING IN A B-25 SOUTHEASTERLY HEADING APPROXIMATELY 15

MILES SOUTHEAST OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES SIGHTED AN OBJECT LOOKING

LIKE A PENCIL THIN LINE IN HORIZONTAL PLANE IN RELATIONSHIP TO THE EARTH

PD BOTH PILOTS MADE SIGHTING SIMULTANEOUSLY PD OBJECT APPEARED TO

BE IN A STATIONARY POSITION PD AIRCRAFT CLIMBED TO 11,000

FEET AND MADE 30 DEGREE TURNS IN AN EFFORT TO OBTAIN BETTER VIEW OF

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OBJECT PD OBJECT DID NOT DISAPPEAR WHILE MAKING 30 DEGREE TURNS PD OBJECT
APPEARED TO BE SOLID AND OF METALLIC OR SIMILAR MATERIAL TWO
DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT STATIONARY POSITION ALFA THRU
FOXTROT UNKNOWN THREE ALFA BAKER NEGATIVE INFO AVAILABLE COCA BRAVO
25 AFSN AF286 HEADING UNKNOWN AIRSPEED 170MPH HOME STATION CULVER
CITY ARPT FOUR ALFA 301815ZULU JULY 54 BRAVO DAYLIGHT VISIBILITY
UNLIMITED FIVE UNKNOWN SIX ALFA ENGLERT AND PETERSON TEST PILOTS
HUGHES AIRCRAFT CORP DEPT 24 PHONE TEXAS 07111 BRAVO NEGATIVE
INFO AVAILABLE SEVEN ALFA BAKER UNKNOWN COCA UNLIMITED DELTA UNLIMITED
ECHO FOXTROT NEGATIVE EIGHT NEGATIVE NINE NEGATIVE TEN PILOT PETERSON
IS NATIONAL GUARD JET PILOT AND FELT SIGHTING IMPORTANT ENOUGH
FOR SCRAMBLE AND JET INTERCEPT ATTEMPT BUT UNABLE TO ESTABLISH RADIO
CONTACT WITH VAN NUYS NATIONAL GUARD OPS ELEVEN NAVY AIRCRAFT FLYING
FROM SOUTHERLY DIRECTION SEEMED TO PASS UNDERNEATH OBJECT WITHOUT
SEEING IT TYPE UNKNOWN TWELVE ASISTANT OPERATIONS OFFICER MARCH FLIGHT
SERVICE CENTER LD POSSIBLE CAUSE OF SIGHTING UNKNOWN RECEIVED
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NOT DISAPPEAR WHILE MAKING 30 DEGREE TURNS. OBJECT APPEARED
TO BE SOLID AND OF METALLIC OR SIMILAR MATERIAL. AT THE SAME TIME
OBJECT WAS SIGHTED A NAVY ACFT FLYING FROM A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION
SEEMED TO PASS UNDERNEATH OBJECT WITHOUT SEEING IT. PILOT [REDACTED] IS A
NATIONAL GUARD F86 PILOT AND FELT OBJECT IMPORTANT ENOUGH TO
HAVE AN F86 SCRAMBLE MADE FROM VAN NUYS TO TRY AND INTERCEPT
OBJECT. HOWEVER RADIO CONTACT WAS UNSUCCESSFUL AND IN INTERCEPT
MADE. VSBY UNLIMITED. SIGNED PILOTS ENGLERT AND PETERSON TEST PILOTS
FOR HUGHES ACFT CORP. ADDRESS HUGHES ACFT CORP DEPT 24 PHONE
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AF286 B25 TEST PILOTS ENGLERT AND PETERSON FLYING IN A
MAINTENANCE TEST HOP FOR HUGHES ACFT CORP. AT APPROXIMATELY
1115PDT BOTH PILOTS ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY SIGHTED A STRANGE
OBJECT WHILE FLYING AN EAST SOUTHEAST HEADING APPROXIMATELY 15
MILES SE FROM LOS ANGELES. OBJECT LOOKED LIKE A PENCIL THIN
LINE IN HORIZONTAL PLANE IN RELATION TO EARTH. APPEARED TO BE IN
A STATIONERY POSITION. AIRCRAFT WAS FLYING AT 7000FT AIRSPEED
170MPH WHEN OBJECT FIRST SIGHTED OBJECT APPEARED TO BE ABOVE
3000FT. AIRCRAFT CLIMBED TO 11000FT AND MADE 30 DEGREE
TURN IN EFFORT TO OBTAIN BETTER VIEW OF OBJECT. OBJECT DID