

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 30 July 1954		2. LOCATION Bethesda, Maryland		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical MARS ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 31/0310(N)		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 22 Minutes & Still in sight		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1			
9. COURSE Stationary in South					
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Star like, hovered, moved slowly, 30 deg elevation in south moving in same general area. Motion erratic. Size of Mars.				11. COMMENTS Mars at 200 deg azimuth, 25 degrees elevation. Motion attributed to atmospheric conditions.	

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TO JEDEN/COMAIRDEFCOM ENTA AFB COLORADO

JEDWP/CHIEF ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEPLG/COMTAC LANGLEY AFB VA

FROM CLN AFOIN 49592 UFOB. ATTN CLN ATIAA-2C. 1. A. ROUND. B. COMPARED

TO SIZE OF PLANET MARS. C. REDDISH YELLOW. D. ONE . E. NA CMA F.

NONE. G. SLIGHT LUMINOUS TRAIL. H. NONE. I. NONE. 2. A. MAN POINTING

OUT STARS & PLANETS TO SON CMA SAW MOVING OBJECT. B. APPROX 30

DEGREED IN SOUTHERN SKY. C. HAD NOT DISAPPEARED. STAYED IN SAME AREA.

. MOVED IN STRAIGHT LINE CMA IN CIRCLES. STOPPED AND

STARTED CMA SOMETIMES FAST SOMETIME SLOW. E. NA. F. 15 MINUTES AT

TIME OF REPORT. 3. A. GROUND VISUAL. B. NONE. C. NA CMA R. A.

310310 - 31032Z. B. NIGHT . 5. 3800N. 6 . A. MR [REDACTED] CMA

WIFE AND SMALL SON CMA [REDACTED] BETHESDA CMA MD.

[REDACTED] CMA NAVAL RESERVE OFFICER. GOOD. B. NA. 7. A OBSERVER SAYS

LEAR CMA VISIBILITY UNLIMITED. B. S/L SOUTH 4 K

10000 20 DEG 9K

16000 350 DEG 9K

18000 320 DEG 8K

20000 260 DEG 12K

22000 330 DEG 14K

NO CEILING CMA D. VISIBILITY 7-8 MILES CMA E. THIN CIRRESS AT
IGH ALT. F. NONE 8. NONE. 9. NONE. 10. NONE. 11. NONE. 12. ESTIMATES
DUTY OFFICER CMA D/I USAF POSSIELY OCCASIONED BY 2300Z PAREN 0300Z
PAREN MET BALLOON RELEASE FROM LOCAL WEATHER STATION.
01 JULY JEPHQ

FILED CNY BOMELINES 1421 BOMELINE 2GOM. E. MV. E. 12 MINUTES VI

30 JUL 45

31/03/02

North

BETHESDA
MARYLAND

ATT A
ATT A
ATTG 2
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RE139

07 58

PF 133

DE 152

VC133

Ag. Sent. ³
Lima 7.5