

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 19 Oct 55		2. LOCATION Essex Junction, Vt		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☒ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 19/2338Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE civilian and military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 1/2 mins		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE Fading in south		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One obj shaped like a half moon and then changing to a disk shape. Size of a head of a pea held at arms length. Dull orange at first then changing to blue-white.				11. COMMENTS Seen by member of 4602d AISS. From the description of the obj and comments of 4602d AISS observer sighting was generated by a jet a/c.	

PD GCA REPORTED FIRST ACFT AT 1932 EDT IN CONTROL CMM OUT CONTROL AT

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1939 EDT PD SECOND ACFT 1940 EDT IN CONTROL CMM OUT CONTROL AT 1946
EDT PD ACFT MAKING FANTOM TOUCH DOWNS 20 FT ABOVE RUNNING LEVEL CMM
APPROCHING FROM NORTH TO SOUTH ON NS RUNWAY (RUNWAY LENGTH 7920) PD
11. OBJECT COULD POSSIBLY HAVE BEEN A JET TYPE ACFT F 86 CMM FLYING
AWAY FROM OBSERVER AT DISTANCE OF 5 TO 10 MILES WITH THE AFTERBURNER
IN OPERATION CMM CAUSING THE ORANGE GLOW PD ACFT COULD HAVE FLOWN
ON COURSE SLIGHTLY TANGENT TO OBSERVERS VIEW CAUSING THE EXHAUST
TO APPEAR AS HALF MOON SHAPED CMM THEN TURN TO A DIRECT STRAIGHT
AWAY COURSE FROM OBSERVERS POSITION CMM SHUT OFF AFTER BURNER AND
FADED FROM SIGHT PD THE INVESTIGATOR WITNESSED THE LAST 30
SECONDS OF THE SIGHTING AND IMMEDIATELY CHECKED WITH ALL CONTROL
LING AGENCIES AT ETHAN ALLEN AFB PD

12. NONE PD END

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- F. 3 MINUTES CMM 30 SECONDS PD
3. A. GROUND VISUAL
B. NONE
C. N/A
4. A. 2338Z TO 234130Z 19 OCT 55 PD

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- B. NIGHT
5. ESSEX JUNCTION CMM VT (HJBQ 5329)
6. A. [REDACTED] CMM AGE 30 CMM OCCUPATION CLN ELECTRONICS TECH
NICIAN CMM VT NATL GUARD CMM ALSO RADIO OFFICER VTCIV DEF DIS
I TRICT NO 2 PD 8 YEARS MIL SER WITH US NAVY PD
B. [REDACTED] CMM [REDACTED] CMM T SGT CMM 4602D AISS CMM
FLT 3E PD DUTY CMM 20570 CMM NCOIC FLT 3E PD
7. A. T SGT SMITH IMMEDIATELY CALLED AIR WEATHER STATION AND BASE OPERA
TIONS AT ETHAN ALLEN AFB PD SEE REPORT OF FINDINGS BELOW PD
B. AIR WEATHER STATION REPORT CLN SURFACE WINDS TO 3800 NW 6 KNOTS
AT 2330Z PD
C. 3800 BASE (2330Z) PD
D. 10 MILES (2330Z) PD
E. 10/10 (2330Z) PD
F. PILOT REPORT CLN HIGH LEVEL LIGHTNING DISPLAY 20000 SW OF
ETHAN ALLEN AFB (2330Z) CMM NO THUNDERSTORMS PRESENT PD
8. NEG PD INFO AIR WEATHER STATION PD
9. NONE
10. TWO JET ACFT IN AREA FLYING NITE TRANSITION UTILIZING GCA CONTROL

1. A. SHAPED LIKE HALF MOON

B. HEAD OF PEA

C. DULL ORANGE

D. ONE

E. N/A

F. REF A. ABOVE

G. NEG

H. NEG

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I. OBJECT APPEARED SUSPENDED FOR PERIOD OF 3 MINUTES CMM OBJECT THEN APPEARED TO CHANGE TO DISC SHAPE AND DIMINISH IN SIZE CMM MAINTAINING SHAPE CMM COLOR ALSO CHANGED FROM DULL ORANGE TO BLUE WHITE CMM OBJECT CONTINUALLY DIMINISHED TO PIN POINT SIZE AND DISAPPEARED PD

2. A. MR ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ NOTICED OBJECT WHILE DRIVING TO HIS HOME IN A SW DIRECTION PD OBJECT APPEARED TO BE OVER OR BEYOND THE BURLINGTON AIRPORT CMM JUST TO THE RIGHT OF THE CEILOMETER BEAM PD FROM HIS POSITION IN ESSEX JUNCTION CMM VT (HJBQ 5329) OBJECT ATTRACTED HIS ATTENTION BECAUSE OF NO DISCERNABLE MOTION PD

B. ELEVATION APRX 10 DEGREES CMM AZIMUTH 223 DEGREES FROM MAGNETIC NORTH PD

C. SAME AS B.

D. NEG

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MM RJEDEN RJEDWP RJEPHQ RJEPSN

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M 201230Z

FM COMDR FLT 3-E 4602D AISS EAAFB WINGOSKI VT

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO SPGS COLO

RJEPSN/COMDR 32D AIDV DEF HANCOCK FLD SYRACUSE NY

RJEDWP/COMDR ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RJEPHQ/DIR OF INTEL HQ USAF WASH DC

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/UNCLASSIFIED/AIS3E 127K PD UFOB PD THE FOLL IS SUBM IN COMPL WITH

PARA 7 AFR 200-2 DTD 12 AUG 54 CLN

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4 " 4x2a