

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 9 November 1956		2. LOCATION Coronada Island (Ninas off Calif.)		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 09/2030Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 28 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE in orbit & stopped	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One round object white and red. GCA Technician spotted object while working on antenna. When first sighted, Object was in orbit then stopped. Appeared to be intercepted by 2 A/C.				11. COMMENTS Possible WX balloon.	

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1 Witness

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ACTION INFOR. INFOR.

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RR RJEDEN RJEDWP RJEPHQ

DE RJWPJE 7G

R 132221Z

FM CO DR 751ST ACURON MT LAGUNA CALIF

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJWPJE/COMDR 27TH ADIV DTF HAFB CALIF

RJEDWP/COMDR AIR TECH INTELL CENTER WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RJEPHQ/DIRECTOR INTELL HQ USAF WASHINGTON 25 D.C.

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UNCLAS 751 OPS 141-K PD

1. (A) ROUND (B) WHITE & RED (C) ONE (D) N/A (E) NONE

(G) NONE (H) NONE (I) NONE

2. (A) GCA TECHNICIAN WORKING ON ANTENNA SPOTTED IT.

(B) 83 DEGREES 35 DEGREES (C) 82 DEGREES 35 DEGREES (D) WHEN FIRST

SIGHTED IT WAS IN ORBIT OVER MINAS & STOPPED. (E) APPEARED TO BE

INTERCEPTED BY 2 ACFT. (F) 28 MINUTES.

3. (A) GROUND VISUAL (B) 7X50 BINOCULARS (C) N/A

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4. (A) 9/2030Z (B) DAY

5. CORONADO ISLAND (NIRAS)

6. (A) GRAY, LAWRENCE (ETI) IN CHARGE OF GCA SHIFT (NIRAS)
(RELIABLE)

7. CLEAR WIND 7 TO 13 KTS.

(B) SURFACE 150-5 20, 100' 155-10

8. 000 PCTACP 7 IP:PPPJPWTACP

10, 000 PYTACT TP:PPPJMOTACT

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(C) UNLIMITED (D) 150ILES (E) NONE (F) NONE

9. NONE

9. N/A

10. 2 F4D'S

11. COULD POSSIBLY BE WEATHER BALLOON

12. NONE

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