

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 18 November 1957		2. LOCATION 1.5 mi fm ocean in N. Santa Monica, 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 18/1800Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one			
		9. COURSE SW			
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Spherical, silver gray object, size of grapefruit with blades underneath.				11. COMMENTS Probably this sighting was the sun reflecting from aircraft, Giving unusual appearance.	

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FM COMDR 751ST ACWRON MT LAGUNA CALIF

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC

RJWPJB/COMDR 27TH ADIV

RJEDWP/COMDR AIR TECH INTELL CENTER

RJEPHQ/DIR OF INTELL

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UNCLAS 751ST 1015AJ PD

1. A. SPHERICAL PD
- B. GRAPEFRUIT PD
- C. SILVER GRAY PD
- D. ONE PD
- E. NONE PD
- F. BLADES UNDERNEATH PD
- G. N/A PD

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- H. NONE PD
- I. NONE PD
2. A. OBSERVING THE SKY PD
- B. 50 DEGREES ELEVATION CMA 060 DEGREES AZIMUTH PD
- C. 50 DEGREES ELEVATION CMA 210 DEGREES AZIMUTH PD
- D. NE TO SW OVER THE OCEAN IN CUAVED PATTERN OF FLIGHT PD
- E. SW OVER OCEAN PD
- F. 2 MINUTES PD
3. A. GROUND VISUAL PD
- B. NONE PD
- C. N/A PD
4. A. 18/1800 Z PD 1800-8=1000 local

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D. 10 SW OVER THE OCEAN IN CURVED PATTERN OF FLIGHT PD

E. SW OVER OCEAN PD

F. 2 MINUTES PD

3. A. GROUND VISUAL PD

B. NONE PD

C. N/A PD

4. A. 18/1800 Z PD *1800-8=1000 local*

B. DAY PD

5. A. 1 1/2 MILES FROM OCEAN IN NORTH SANTA MONICA PD

6. MRS. [REDACTED] CMA [REDACTED] CMA SANTA
MONICA, CALIFORNIA CMA PHONE EX [REDACTED] PD

7. A. CLEAR PD

B. NW/10

320/50

320/10

310/55

340/28

330/50

*There are many a/c in the air in this area,
one of the ~~most~~ busiest airports in the world
being located in Los Angeles.*

*Concur with preparing officer:
Prob sun reflection of a
circling a/c.*

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NOT AVAILABLE

C. CLEAR PD

D. 15 MILES PLUS PD

E. LESS THAN 10 PERCENT PD

F. NONE PD

8. N/A

9. NONE PD

10. NONE PD

11. WO [REDACTED], AIR SURVEILLANCE OFFICER CMA

POSSIBLE REFLECTION OFF OF A METAL OBJECT PD

12. NONE PD

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