

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>21 Apr 58</u>		2. LOCATION <u>KXX El Centro, California.</u>		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT <u>22Z0435Z</u>		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☒ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE <u>Civilian</u>		☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>1 min</u>		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>one</u>		9. COURSE <u>S to N</u>	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Delta shaped obj w/trailing edge in- distinct, but apparently recessed. S Size comparable to silver dollar at arm/s length. Black. Numerous fairly large bluish-grey lights on the under- side which flickered intermittently.				11. COMMENTS <u>The obj was probably an a/c/</u>	

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R 302000Z

FM COMDR 4750 ADWG WPNS

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC ENT

RJESAH/COMDR 73RD ADIV WPNS

RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC

RJEPHQ/COMDR ASST CHIEF OF STAFF INT HQ USAF

RJEPHQ/COMDR OFF OF INFO SVS HQ USAF

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UNCLAS FROM WODO 2433. SUBJECT: UFO. A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT. 1.

DELTA SHAPE WITH TRAILING EDGE INDISTINCT BUT APPARENTLY RECESSED

2. SIZE COMPARABLE TO SILVER DOLLAR HELD AT ARM'S LENGTH. 3. BLACK.

4. ONE. 5. NOT APPLICABLE. 6. NUMEROUS FAIRLY LARGE BLUISH-GRAY

LIGHTS ON THE UNDERSIDE. THESE LIGHTS WERE BRIGHT ON THE PERIMETER

BUT INDISTINCT IN THE CENTER AND FLICKERED INTERMITTENTLY. THE

LEADING EDGE WAS DISTINCT BUT TRAILING EDGE WAS INDISTINCT AND

APPEARED RECESSED. 7. NO TRAIL OR EXHAUST. 8. NO SOUND OF ANY KIND.

9. NO OTHER FEATURES NOTED. B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT. 1.

OBSERVER AND WIFE NOTICED OBJECT WHILE SITTING IN A CONVERTIBLE

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IN FROM OF THEIR RESIDENCE. 2. OBJECT 45 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON

WHEN NOTICED. 3. OBJECT 45 DEGREES ABOVE OPPOSITE HORIZON WHEN IT

DISAPPEARED. 4. OBJECT TRAVELLED FROM SOUTH TO NORTH ON HEADING OF

APPROXIMATELY 010 DEGREE DIRECTLY OVER HEADS OF OBSERVERS. 5. OBJECT

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LOCATION OF OBSERVERS. [REDACTED], EL CENTRO, CALIFORNIA.
F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF OBSERVERS. 1. MR. AND MRS. [REDACTED]
52 YEARS OLD, A GS-11 WORKING FOR THE USAF IN [REDACTED]
EL CENTRO NAAS, CALIFORNIA. G. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT CONDITIONS AT
TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING. 1. OBSERVER STATED WEATHER WAS CLEAR AND
VISIBILITY UNLIMITED. 2. WINDS AT SURFACE 25/16. WINDS ALOFT: 6,000
FT 300/10: 10,000 FT 300/16: 16,000 FT 300/27: 20,000 FT 300/35: 30,000
FT 280/50: 50,000 FT 280/50: 80,000 FT 110/10. 3. CEILING: NONE. 4.
VISIBILITY: 40 MILES. 5. CLOUD COVER: CLEAR. 6. THUNDERSTORMS: NONE.
H. NOT APPLICABLE. 1. NOT APPLICABLE. J. NO OTHER KNOWN AIR TRAFFIC.
K. THE OBSERVER, MR. [REDACTED], IS A GERMAN NATIONAL WHO IS PRESENTLY WORKING
WITH THE 6511TH TEST GROUP (PARACHUTE) (ARDC) AT NAAS EL CENTRO.

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HE IS WELL QUALIFIED AS AN AERIAL OBSERVER AS HIS JOB IS OBSERVING
PARADROPS. AS REPORTING OFFICER I CAN PERCEIVE NO POSSIBLE CAUSE FOR
THIS SIGHTING. L. NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE EXISTS.

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*The object is no longer in the
VFC chart.*

This is not an UFO report.

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*The object in no doubt A/C.
all UFO & chart.*

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but an unidentified & report)*

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