

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 17 May 58	2. LOCATION Red Springs, N.C.		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 18/0227Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Binoculars ☐ Air-Intercept Radar ☐ Air-Visual		☒ Was Aircraft Refuel Opr ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian		☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 mins	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS six	9. COURSE SE	☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Six lights, located in 3 pairs at the points of an imaginary inverted equidistant triangle, size of an a/c, white. Observed at 30 deg elev 315 deg azimuth. Objs moved to 35 Deg elev 115 deg azimuth. Stayed in formation.		11. COMMENTS Refuel Operation.	

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

SVCS INFO TO PROJECT 10073

Witness

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FM COMDR 464TH TRCWGM - POPE N.C.

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC ENT

RJEPJM/COMDR 85 AIR DIV

RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON

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Date 18 Jun 58

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UFO Report

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LIGHTS LOCATED IN THREE (3) PAIRS AT THE POINTS OF AN IMAGINARY
 INVERTED EQUIDISTANT TRIANGLE/ (2) SIZE OF AN AIRCRAFT, SIZE UNKNOWN
 (3) WHITE (4) SIX LIGHTS (5) UNKNOWN (6) N/A (7) NONE (8) NONE (9)
 NONE B. (1) VERY BRIGHT LIGHT (2) 30 DEG ELEVATION, ^{NW} 315 DEG (3)
35 DEG ELEVATION, ^{ESE} 115 DEG (4) SE-S-SE (5) FADED FROM SIGHT TO THE
SOUTHEAST (6) 3 MINUTES C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL (2) BINOCULARS, 7/35
 POWER (3) N/A D. (1) 18/0227Z MAY 58. (2) NIGHT E. 34 49N, 7911W
 F. (1) DR. ~~REDACTED~~, AGE UNKNOWN, GENERAL DELIVERY, RED SPRINGS,
 NORTH CAROLINA (2) N/A G. (1) NO COMMENT (2) 6,000 FT 290 DEG/20K

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10,000 FT 290 DEG/30K; 16,000 FT 300 DEG/40K; 20,000 FT 280 DEG/
 50 K; 30,000; 50,000; AND 80,000 FT NOT AVAILABLE, SURFACE WAS CALM,
 REPORT IS FROM POPE AFB NC WEATHER STATION (3) NONE (4) 10 MILES
 (5) HIGH, THIN BROKEN ABOVE 20,000 FT MEAN SEA LEVEL (6) NONE
 H. NONE 8I. NONE J. POPE AFB NC, VARIED, VARIED K. WING INTELLIGENCE
 OFFICER, IT APPEARS THAT A PHENOMENON OCCURRED 1. NONE

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JOINT MESSAGEFORM				SECURITY CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED			
SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER							
20 JUN 58 21 42z				58D/100 21 0300			
PRECEDENCE		TYPE MSG (Check)			ACCOUNTING SYMBOL	ORIG. OR REFERS TO	CLASSIFICATION OF REFERENCE
ACTION ROUTINE		BOOK	MULTI	SINGLE X	AF	WDO INT 6-W137	UNCL
FROM: COMDR ATIC						SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS	
TO: COMDR, 464TH TRCWGM, POPE AFB, NORTH CAROLINA <i>RESDF</i> /UNCLASSIFIED/FROM: AFCIN-4E4 <i>6-1233-E</i> REFERENCE YOUR MESSAGE WDO-INT 6-W137 DATED 18 JUNE 1958. REFERENCE PARAGRAPH 6B AFR 200-2, REQUEST COMPLIANCE WITH PARAGRAPHS 4b, 5, 6a AND 17, AFR 200-2 DATED 5 FEBRUARY 1958. REFERENCE PARAGRAPH 5g, A CHECK WITH OTHER AF UNITS, PARTICULARLY REFUELING UNITS, SHOULD BE MADE TO DETERMINE IF A REFUELING OPERATION WAS BEING CONDUCTED AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING. PARAGRAPH D1 OF REFERENCED MESSAGE GIVES THE DATE TIME GROUP AS 18/0227Z MAY 58. REQUEST CLARIFICATION OF THIS. IN REPLY REFER TO RED SPRINGS UFO INCIDENT. COORDINATION AFCIN-4E4 <i>Dr. H. A. Miley</i> DATE <i>20 June 58</i> AFCIN-4E <i>Mr. Nicholas Post</i> DATE <i>6/20/58</i>							
				DATE 20		TIME 1400	
				MONTH JUNE		YEAR 1958	
WRITER	SYMBOL AFCIN-4E4			SIGNATURE <i>Mary C. Markevich</i>			
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	PHONE 69216			TYPED (or stamped) NAME AND TITLE MARY C. MARKEVICH 1st Lt. USAF Assistant Administrative Officer			
	SECURITY CLASSIFICATION UNCLASSIFIED						
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FM COMDR NINTH AF

TO RJEDSQ/COMDR ATIC WPAFB

INFO RJESDF/COMDR 464TH TCWG

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UNCLASSIFIED FROM NAFOI 6-1655. SUBJECT: RED
SPRINGS UFO INCIDENT. REFERENCE YOUR MESSAGE
AFCIN-4E4-6-1233-E, SUBJECT: RED SPRINGS UFO INCIDENT, DATED
202142Z JUN. UNITS OF THIS HEADQUARTERS CONDUCTED ONE
REFUELING MISSION BETWEEN 180105Z AND 180357Z. REFUELING
WAS CONDUCTED WITH ONE KB-53 AND ONE B-66 BETWEEN COLUMBIA,
S.C. AND A POINT 100 MILES WEST OF COLUMBIA, S.C. THE CO-
PILOT OF KB-53, LT ADKINS, FROM 431ST REFUELING SQ, TURNER
AFB, GEORGIA OBSERVED A WHITE-GREENISH LIGHT FALLING. IT
APPEARED TO LOOK LIKE A VERY PISTOL SHOT BUT LT ADKINS COULD

NOT UFO REPORT - ANSWER TO TWX

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TO *Sancock*
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Date *25 June*
By: *AK*

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NOT TELL THE DISTANCE AND THEREFORE WAS NOT SURE OF THE SIZE.

THIS OCCURRED AT 18/2340Z. LT ADKINS ALSO HAD CONVERSATION

WITH VOR STATIONS AT COLUMBIA, S. C. AND AT SAVANNAH, GA.

BOTH STATIONS SAW THE SAME LIGHT AS LT ADKINS. LT ADKINS ALSO

STATED THAT DURING THE FLIGHT THERE WERE MANY THUNDERSTORMS IN THE

N. C., S.C., GEORGIA AREA AND THAT SEVERAL NATURAL PHENOMENA TOOK

PLACE I.E., A THREE FOOT ARC OF STATIC ELECTRICITY JUMPED FROM PROBE

TO DROGUE JUST PRIOR TO REFUELING THE B-66. HE ALSO STATED THAT

TEN MINUES AFTER SEEING THE FALLING OBJECT AT APPROXIMATELY

18/2350Z THE AURORA BOREALIS WAS EXTREMELY ACTIVE AND HIGHLY VISIBLE.

THE REFUELING TOOK PLACE AT AN ALTITUDE OF 15,500 FT. IF MORE

INFORMATION IS REQUIRED ON THE SUBJECT, A FORM 112 WILL BE REQUESTED

OF LT ADKINS. (UNLCASSIFIED) END

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