

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 22 August 1958	2. LOCATION USSR (North Pacific)	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical Meteor ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT TR 22/1750Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Military	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 seconds	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE - - -
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Object of undetermined shape due to brilliance of object. Size of pea at arm's length. Green-white color. No tail. Visual only, no radar contact. Object moving from left to right in horizontal slight. After 10 dgr arc object had portion separate in a descending arc and almost at the same time the main portion exploded. No increase in brilliance during explosion. Total duration 2 seconds.		11. COMMENTS Apparent Bolide observation.

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Country: USSR (At Sea in North Pacific Ocean)

Subject: See Below

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Info Spec: DE/pcp

Distr: 4E3d/4E1g/4F1/4B1a

MC #: None

Rpt #: CAF IN: 79351

Agency: DAF Staff Mes Div

FROM: DET COMBARPAC MIDWAY

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DEBRIEF OF CDR BOYD AND COPILOT REVEALS FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. UNABLE TO DETERMINE SHAPE DUE TO BRILLIANCE OF OBJECT.¹³ APPROX SIZE OF A PEA HELD AT ARMS LENGTH. GREENISH WHITE COLOR WITNESSES SAW NO TRAIL OR EXHAUST. NO SOUND HEARD. VISUAL SIGHTING. NO ELECTRONIC CONTACT. TIME OF SIGHTING DUSK, NO STARS YET VISIBLE. OBJECT APPEARED ABOUT 10 DEGREES ON STARBOARD BOW TRAVELING FROM RIGHT TO LEFT IN A HORIZONTAL PATH. WHEN ABOUT DEAD AHEAD A SMALL PART APPEARED TO SEPARATE IN A DESCENDING ARC AND DISAPPEARED. ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY MAIN PORTION

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