

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 4 April, 1960		2. LOCATION Vicinity Hawaiian Islands		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 1605Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION two seconds		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One		9. COURSE NNW-SSE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Object similar to a shooting star, only much brighter and bigger than usual and giving off bluish white light with tail three times greater than diameter of object observed to disintegrate after a flight of about two seconds.				11. COMMENTS Description typical of a meteor of the "bolide" type.	

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SPACE TRACK FILTER CENTER LG HANSCOM FLD BEDFORD MASS

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ALL INTERNAL REFERENCES BY DATE-TIME
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ACTION COMBAPAC. CIRVIS.

N43199 PILOT AND COPILOT SIGHTED OBJECT SIMILAR TO
SHOOTING STAR ONLY MUCH BRIGHTER AND BIGGER THAN USUAL.
OBJECT SIGHTED AT APPROX 1625Z APPROX 32 DEG TO RIGHT
OF AIRCRAFT HEADING. OBJECT APPEARED ABOUT 30 DEG ABOVE
HORIZON ALTITUDE UNKNOWN COURSE NNW TO SSE.
DURATION OF SIGHTING APPROX 2 SECONDS WITH OBJECT GIVING
OFF BLuish WHITE LIGHT. TAIL AGAVE OFF BLuish WHITE LIGHT
AND WAS APPROX 3 TIMES GREATER IN DIAMETER THAN OBJECT.
OBJECT DISINTEGRATED APPROX 20 DEG ABOVE HORIZON INTO FOUR

Classification Cancelled

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OR FIVE FRAGMENTS AND IMMEDIATELY BECAME INVISIBLE.
PILOTS SIGHTED APPROX 32 DEG OF OBJECTS TRAVEL DUE
COCKPIT CONFIGURATION. AIRCRAFT POSIT 32-42 NORTH
177-15 WEST AT 6000 FT TRACT 220 DEG TRUE HEADING 210 DEG.
PILOTS EVAL AS METEORITE

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