

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 11 August, 1960		2. LOCATION Madison, Wisconsin		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 12/0:09Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual binoculars ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 15 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One		9. COURSE NE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round white object the size of a quarter, had a bright glowing light. Appeared star-like. Changed course and speed periodically while under observation. Observed as it passed Regulus. XXXXXX				11. COMMENTS Description, duration and pattern fit that of ECNC I, however it was not launched until 6 hours later. Object observed as it passed Regulus. Star chart indicated that Regulus set two hours earlier, and was below the NNW horizon. Object moved in wrong direction for balloon and no known A/C in area. Insufficient Data for evaluation although indications are that the object was ECNC and the date and time in error.	

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JOINT MESSAGEFORM				SECURITY CLASSIFICATION	
				UNCLASSIFIED	
SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER					
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PRECEDENCE		TYPE MSG (Check)		ACCOUNTING SYMBOL	ORIG. OR REFERS TO
ACTION	ROUTINE	BOOK	MULTI	SINGLE	AF
INFO					130420Z
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TO:					SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
TRUAX FLD, WISCONSIN					
/UNCLASSIFIED/FROM: AFCIN-4E2x 8-2458-E					
CADS, YOUR MSG, DTD 12 AUG 60, RPTG THE SIGHTING OF AN UFO AT MADISON, WISC CONTAINS INCOMPLETE AND INSUFF DATA. THE WITNESS REPORTED SEEING A BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT MOVING SOUTH, AND WATCHED IT FOR 15 MINUTES. SUCH LIMITED INFO IS OF VERY LITTLE VALUE, AS A WHITE LIGHT CAN COME FR ANY NUMBER OF SOURCES. REQ A FURTHER INVESTIGATION BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2, DTD 14 SEPT 59. REF PAR 5, AFR 200-2 FOR GUIDANCE IN THIS INVESTIGATION.					
					DATE 16
					TIME 1030
					MONTH AUG
					YEAR 1960
SYMBOL			SIGNATURE		
AFCIN-4E2x					
TYPED NAME AND TITLE (Signature, if required)			TYPED (or stamped) NAME AND TITLE		
Maj Robert J. Friend			PHILIP G. EVANS		
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UNCLAS FROM CHODO 88247.

FOR ADC, ATIC, USAF (AC/S INTEL) AND (CI). INFO 30TH ADIV.

REFERENCE YOUR MESSAGE AFDIA-4827 8-2450-E,

16 AUG 68. THIS REPORT SUPERSEDES OUR UFO REPORT OF

12 AUG 68 WHICH WAS INCORRECTLY PREPARED. CORRECTED

UFO REPORT IS AS FOLLOWS:

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT.

(1) SPHERICAL.

(2) QUARTER (COIN) HELD AT ARMS LENGTH.

(3) WHITE

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(4) ONE

(5) NONE

(6) BRIGHT GLOWING LIGHT, STAR-LIKE.

(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) APPEARED TO CHANGE COURSE AND SPEED PERIODICALLY WHILE UNDER OBSERVATION, BUT OBSERVER STATED HE BELIEVED THIS TO BE ILLUSIONARY EFFECT CAUSED BY THERMAL CONDITIONS ALOFT.

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT.

(1) NOTICED MOVEMENT AS OBJECT PASSED REGULUS.

(2) APPEARANCE OF EXTREME ELEVATION, AS A STAR OR PLANET WOULD APPEAR, APPROACHING FROM THE SOUTH.

(3) DISAPPEARED TO NORTHEAST AT SAME APPARENT ELEVATION.

(4) COURSE SOUTH TO NORTHEAST, WITH ILLUSION OF SPEED AND COURSE CHANGES DESCRIBED IN ITEM A(9).

(5) FADED AT NORTHEAST HORIZON.

(6) APPROXIMATELY 15 MINUTES

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

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(1) GROUND VISUAL

(2) BINOCULARS

(3) NONE

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

(1) 120309Z AUGUST 1963

(2) NIGHT

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS

(1) 4378 N 8920 W

(2) MADISON CONTROL TOWER. TRUAX FIELD, MADISON,
WISCONSIN.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON ALL OBSERVERS:

(1) [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TRUAX FIELD, MADISON,
WISCONSIN.

(2) NONE.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME OF
SIGHTING:

(1) CLEAR, WITH LIGHT WESTERLY WINDS 15 TO KNOTS
AT SURFACE.

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(2) AWS ACCOUNT OF WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY AT:

A. SURFACE: 210 DEGREE - 10 K

B. 6000 FT: 200 DEGREE - 10K

C. 12,000 FT: 350 DEGREE - 10K

D. 16,000 FT: 290 DEGREE - 10K

E. 22,000 FT: 320 DEGREE - 10K

F. 32,000 FT: 010 DEGREE - 15K

G. 50,000 FT: 320 DEGREE - 10K

H. 80,000 FT: 320 DEGREE - 10K

(3) NONE (CLEAR)

(4) 10

(5) NONE

(6) NONE

H. UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN THE AREA

(1) NONE

(2) NONE

(3) NONE

I. NO INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKEN.

J. NO AIR TRAFFIC KNOWN TO BE IN AREA AT TIME OF
SIGHTING.

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K. PREPARING OFFICER:

(1) CAPTAIN STEPHEN M. FLANAGAN, INTELLIGENCE
OFFICER, HQ CHICAGO AIR DEFENSE SECTOR.

(2) SEE NEXT ITEM.

(3) THE TIME OF SIGHTING, COURSE OF OBJECT, AND
LENGTH OF OBSERVATION CORRELATE CLOSELY WITH
ORBIT PATH OF ECHO I SATELLITE.

L. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

(1) NONE

(2) NONE

M. MISCELLANEOUS COMMENTS OF OBSERVERS:

NONE

END OF REPORT.

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