

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 20 Aug 60		2. LOCATION Galena Airport, Alaska		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 20/1045Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☒ Other Poss satellite ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 sec		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE NNE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round object, white like a star, size of pea. Disappeared behind a cloud.				11. COMMENTS Correlated with Nome, Alaska sighting of 19 Aug 60 as possible satellite.	

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7. N/A

8. N/A

9. N/A

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

1. OBSERVER IS A TOWER OPERATOR AND WAS LOOKING AROUND FOR POSSIBLE TRAFFIC.

2. AZIMUTH 12° ELEVATION 15

3. AZIMUTH 117° ELEVATION 15

4. STRAIGHT PATH

5. OBJECT DISAPPEARED BEHIND A CLOUD

6. 30 SECONDS

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FM 743 ACW S2 CAMPION AFSTN ALASKA

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RJKDAG/AAC ELMENDORF AFB ALASKA

RJEDSQ/AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RJEDSQ/HQ USAF WASHDC

RJEDSQ/SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE WASHDC

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UNCLAS FROM 43 OPS NO. H-545. ATTN: AFCIN, ATTN: SAFIS.

SUBJECT: UKRO REPORT. THE FOLLOWING UFO SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH

PARAGRAPH 15, AFR 252-2.

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

1. ROUND
2. SIZE OF A PEA
3. WHITE, LIKE A LIGHT
4. ONE
5. N/A
6. N/A

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

1. N/A

2. N/A

3. N/A

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

1. 23/1745Z

2. DARK

E/X LOCATION OF OBSERVER

1. 66 44N 156 56W ON GALENA AIRPORT, ALASKA

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F. 1. N/A

2. [REDACTED]

OBSERVERS FIRST SGT WAS CONTACTED AND SAYS: THAT [REDACTED]

IS USUALLY VERY ACCURATE AND RELIABLE.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS

1. OBSERVER STATED THAT THERE WAS A LOW SCATTERED LAYER, WITH A HIGHER BROKEN CONDITION AND GOOD VISABILITY, POSSIBLE 15 MILES.

2. THE GALENA WEATHER STATION COULD NOT GET WINDS ABOVE 5000 FEET DUE TO CLOUD COVERAGE. FAIRBANKS ALASKA WEATHER STATION GAVE GALENA WINDS AS FOLLOWS:

5000 FEET 330 12

10000 FEET 360 10

15000 FEET 360 20

NO FURTHER WINDS AVAILABLE.

3. 2500 SCATTERED. 5000 BROKEN. VISABILITY 15 MILES

4. 0710

5. N/A

6. 03

7. N/A

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I. N/A

J. N/A

K. THE PREPARING OFFICER IS CAPTAIN GERALD N. SMITH, AN AC&W CONTROLLER WITH PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE AS A 2054. THIS REPORT, ALTHOUGH OF SHORT DURATION, IS ALMOST EXACTLY LIKE A PREVIOUS REPORT FROM NONE TWO (2) HOURS EARLIER (ALMOST TO THE MINUTE). IT IS THEREFORE BELIEVED THAT THIS REPORT COULD POSSIBLY HAVE BEEN A SATELLITE MAKING AN ORBIT SUBSEQUENT TO ~~THE~~ NONE SIGHTING. ARIC STATES THAT NO IFR OR VFR TRAFFIC WAS IN THE GALENA AREA AT TIME OF THE SIGHTING. REFERENCE TO PREVIOUS UFO SIGHTING FROM NONE.

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