

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 24 Sep 60		2. LOCATION Coos Bay, Oregon		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other <u>Parachute</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT <u>24/2300Z</u>		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not given		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE falling	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Sighting of one large green and yellow parachute with cylindrical or rectangular box 9-10 ft in length. Observed with 30x binoculars 8 mi SE Coos Bay, Oregon. Fell in heavily wooded area. Helicopter flown in area 25-26 Sep with negative results.				11. COMMENTS Observation of known object--parachute.	

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UNCLAS/FRON. POCIN 28-J-5.

ACTION AIR TECH INTELLIGENCE CENTER. INFO ADC AND 25 AIR DIV.

SUBJECT: REPORT OF PARACHUTE DEVICE IN COOS BAY AREA OREGON 2300Z

24 SEP 66. THIS MSG IN 7 PARTS. PART I. OBSERVERS: ~~MR [REDACTED]~~

~~MR [REDACTED]~~, ROSS INLET, COOS COUNTY OREGON. PART II.

SECHTING CONCERNED A LARGE CANOPY PARACHUTE WITH YELLOW AND GREEN

PANELS AND HELD A LARGE CYLINDRICAL OR RECTANGULAR BOX ESTIMATED

TO BE 9 TO 10 FEET IN LENGTH. PART III. OBJECT SIGHTED WITH AID

OF 30 POWER BINOCULARS. PART IV. PARACHUTE WAS ESTIMATED TO FALL

IN HEAVILY WOODED AREA POSSIBLY 8 MILES OR MORE SOUTHEAST OF COOS

BAY ON A HEADING OF APPROX 125 DEGREES. LOCATION COULD POSSIBLY BE

NEAR 124 DEGREES 5 MINUTES NORTH -124 DEGREES 5 MINUTES WEST. PART V.

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INQUIRIES MADE OF US WEATHER BUREAU SALEM OREGON AND BOEING
AIRCRAFT COMPANY AEROSPACE DIV SEATTLE WASH FAILED TO REVEAL THIS
AS ONE OF THEIR DEVICES. PARTVI, HELICOPTER SEARCH MISSION WAS
FLOWN IN THIS AREA 25-26 SEP WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. PART VII.
REQUEST ATTEMPT BE MADE TO CORRELATE THIS INFORMATION WITH
POSSIBLE DATA ON HAND.

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JOINT MESSAGEFORM				SECURITY CLASSIFICATION	
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INFO: MCCHORD AFB WASH <i>RTWZDM</i>					
/UNCLAS/FROM: AFCIN-4E2x <u>10-2952-E</u> ACTION PORTLAND ADS (OIN), INFO 25TH ADIV, MCCHORD AFB, REF YOUR MSG POOIN 28-J-5. CONFIRMING TELEPHONE CONVERSATION BETWEEN CAPT NELSON YOUR STA AND MAJ FRIEND, ATIC. REQ CONTINUED INVESTIGATION OF INCIDENT RPTD IN REFERENCED MESSAGE, WITH A VIEW TOWARD ATTEMPTED RECOVERY OF THE SIGHTED OBJECT. THIS REQ IS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF AFR 200-2, DTD 14 SEPT 59.					
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