

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 17 Dec 60		2. LOCATION Aguadilla, Puerto Rico		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other Satellite	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2030 GMT 18/0330Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 min		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE SE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Object with intensity of 1st mag star moving from W to SE. Flight path straight line. Appeared to wiggle and change path at end of observation.				11. COMMENTS Request for satellite track sent and not answered. Characteristic of satellite with exception of wiggle at end which may be explained due to atmospheric phenomenon.	

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OHIO

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: AFGCN-LE2x

SUBJECT: UFO Sighting ([REDACTED])

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23 JAN 1961

TO: SAFOI-3d (L/Col Tacker)

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FOR THE COMMANDER:

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UFO Sighting (██████████)

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[REDACTED]
12/18/60
Aguadilla, P.R.

U.S.A. AIR FORCE DEPT.
WASHINGTON D.C.

DEAR SIRs:

I address the following letter to you with the purpose of describing an unidentified object seen flying by me and my wife here in Aguadilla P.R.

While I was showing to her some of the different constellations in the sky (I AM AN EX-PROFESSOR OF SCIENCE) I noticed there was a star that was not supposed to be at the right hand side of URSA MINOR. This star shining with the intensity of a 1st magnitude star started moving very slow with a west-south eastern direction. At first I thought I was seeing wrong but my wife saw the moving "star" too. I tried to find a camera but there was none around the neighbors then I kept watching the object till it reached close to a constellation called COLUMBA, here the object with a bright blue light started moving in a sort of wobble and grew fainter till it disappeared in the sky.

Both my wife and I agreed that the object had no red or blue light flickering all the way like the many airplanes passing around here to Ramey field.

This object moved slowly in a straight line and took around 10 minutes to reach COLUMBA. WE SAW THIS PHENOMENON ON 12/17/60 last Saturday and it was around 8:30 P.M. Puerto Rico hour.

It is my personal opinion that this object was flying very deep in the space and it was not a balloon nor a rocket perhaps it was a satellite following a definite path but since it started wiggling and then changed its angle to an upward lift I frankly must confess my surprise for I have never seen such a thing in my long studies of the sky.

In case you could find what it was I will like to hear about it. I certainly hope this one be for the benefit of those interested in what is going on around our sky.

Expecting your reply in a near future,

Yours Truly,

