

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 17 Dec 60		2. LOCATION Sutton, Alaska		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other <u>Sputnik IV</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT <u>18/0332Z</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 3-4 min		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE W of N to E	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Yellow glowing object, round with no tail or sound moving slightly W of N observed in straight flight path to E. Observation from 50° above horizon to 60° above horizon. Sighting from College Alaska of Sputnik IV going due E at 1730A.				11. COMMENTS Sputnik IV.	

9 DEC 60 20 09 48

CZCSQC455ZCQYA146

ZDK

DE RJKDAG 81

P 2002237 ZEX

FM AAC ELMENDORF AFB ALASKA

TO RJWFAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJEDSQ/ATIC WPAFB OHIO

RJEZHQ/COFS USAF WASHDC

RJEZHQ/OSAF WASHDC

BT

UNCLAS FROM AAC-INT 50131.

FOR AFCIN, SAFS, ALCOM (J-2) FOLLOWING UFO SIGHTING SUBMITTE

IAW AFR 200-2:

A. 1. ROUND

2. SIZE OF AVERAGE STAR IN DIPPERS

3SS YVEELL LILLLOOOWWWWVWWWWWWWWWWWWWVAISH

REPEATING THE ABOVE LINE

3. YELLOWISH (GLOWING)

E. CNE

5. N/A

6. NONE

7. NONE

PAGE TWO RJKDAG 81

8. NONE

9. NONE

F. 1. OBSERVER AND SON STUDYING STARS IN DIPPERS. SON COMMENTEED ON MOVING STAR.

HFSAWM 50 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON SLIGHTLY WEST OF NORTYO

3. 60 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON TO EAST.

4. STRAIGHT FLIGHT PATH SLIGHTLY W OF N ACROSS THE TWO DIPPERS.

5. OBSERVATION MADE FROM WOODED AREA WHERE OBJECT DISAPPEARED IN EAST INTO TREES ABOUT 060 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON.

6. 3TO 4 MINUTES

C. 1. GROUND VISUAL

2. NONE

3. N/A

D. 1. 18/0322Z DEC 63 PLUS OR MINUS 7 MINUTES

2. NIGHT

E. 61-42N, 148-53W; 225 DEGREES TRUE, 1 NM FROM SUTTON, ALASKA.

F. 1. [REDACTED], 38, [REDACTED], ALASKA, COAL

PAGE THREE RJKDAG 81

MINOR (PRESENTLY UNEMPLOYED), F-1.

2. N/A

G. 1. CLEAR, BRIGHT STARS AND GOOD VISABILITY

2. W/U 63 160/17

123 140/15

160 140/17

230 153/21

300 190/12

500 163/08

NF 800 310/09

A - 3. NONE

4. 15 PLUS

5. NONE HIGH THIN SCATTERED

6. NONE

7. TEMP 19 DEGREES, DEW POINT 15 DEGREES.

H. SPUDNICK IV, 70 DEGREES ELEVATION GOING DUE EAST AT
1730A, AND 25 DEGREES ELEVATION FALLING IN EAST AT 1732A
(SIGHTINGS AT COLLEGE ALASKA, 64-51-30N, 147-40W).

I. NONE

J. NONE

PAGE FOUR RJKDAG 81

K. WILLIAM T. WILSON, CAPT, USAF, INTELLIGENCE OFFICER,
SIGHTING WAS MADE BY MR [REDACTED] AND HIS SIXTH GRADE SON
WHO IS PRESENTLY STUDYING STARS IN SCHOOL. SOURCES
DESCRIPTION OF FLIGHT PATH AND COROLLATION OF INFORMATION
FROM MR [REDACTED], GEOPHYSICAL INSTITUTE OF U OF ALASKA
LEADS TO EVALUATION AS SPUTNIK IV.

L. NONE

BT

C GRP 2 LINE 16 PAGE 2 SPUTNIK

20/3229Z DEC RJKDAG

NNNN

-/