

# PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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| 1. DATE<br>1 Aug 61                                                                                                                                                                         |  | 2. LOCATION<br>50 N 74.30 W QUEBEC, CANADA                                                                                                                                                                  |  | 12. CONCLUSIONS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical Meteor<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Other<br><input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation<br><input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |  |
| 3. DATE-TIME GROUP<br>Local 02/0230Z<br>GMT                                                                                                                                                 |  | 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual<br><input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual<br><input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar<br><input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  |
| 5. PHOTOS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                         |  | 6. SOURCE<br>Civilian                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION<br>15 sec                                                                                                                                                          |  | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS<br>1                                                                                                                                                                                   |  | 9. COURSE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  |
| 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING<br>Explosion in air estimated at 40,000' altitude. Explosion lasting 3 sec. Something shot out fm explosion and left trail or smoke visible for about 15 sec. |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  | 11. COMMENTS<br>Probably a bolide sighting. Very limited data.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |

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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH  
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AF IN : 12000 (2 Aug 61) ~~IN~~ ~~CA~~ ~~com~~ ~~IN~~ ~~G~~

ACTION : CIN-17

INFO : ARMY-2, NAVY-2, CMC-8, JCS-35, OSD-15, NSA-7, CIA-11,

SMB C 179 OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, SAFS-3 (104)

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CIRVIS REPORT. TELEPHONE CALL FROM [REDACTED] - GOBC - PORT  
CHIBOUGAMOU (50.00N 074.30W) QUEBEC. HE SAW AN EXPLOSION IN THE AIR  
AROUND 40.000 FT - 40 MILES NW OF CHIBOUGMOU. HE SAID THE EXPLOSION  
SEEM TO LAST ABOUT THREE SECONDS THEN SOMETHING SHOT OUT FROM THE  
FLASH AND LEFT A TRAIL OF SMOKE FOR ABOUT FIFTEEN SECONDS. TIME OF  
EXPLOSION WAS 020230Z; WEATHER CLEAR. HE SAID A SIMILIAR EXPLOSION  
WAS REPORTED ABOUT 1800Z 1 AUG 61 IN THE SAME VICINITY WHICH POSSIBLY  
CAUSED A FOREST FIRE WHICH ACTUALLY OCCURRED IN THAT AREA. MR.

[REDACTED] IS EMPLOYED BY FECTEAU AIRWAYS - LAKE CACHE, QUEBEC AND IS  
ASSESSED A RELIABLE WITNESS.

NOTE : Advnace copy delivered to OOP-CP at 0214250 Aug 61.