

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 23 October 1962	2. LOCATION 60.14N ¹³ 30.36W (Atlantic)		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other Satellite ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 23/2025Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Military		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE SE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Bright light with magnitude equal to 1st magnitude star observed moving SE. Speed unknown. Tracked through 65 dgr arc in 10 minutes.		11. COMMENTS Object has characteristics of orbital element. Case evaluated as a Satellite. ECHO data not available.	

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AF IN : 54698 (23 OCT 62) ~~P/N~~ **INCOMING**

ACTION: CIN-17

INFO : OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, SAFS-3, DIA-10, DIA-CIIC-3 (37)

SMB A 176

DE RUDIC 136

ZNR

ZOM 232121Z

FM COMBARFORLANT

TO RUCKHC/CINCLANTFLT

RUWCALB/CINCONAD

RUEASN/26TH NORAD REGION

RUEAHQ/HQ USAF

RUECW/CNO

RUEGUH/COM EAST SEA FR ON

RUWGALD/SPADT

INFO RUCKDT/COMASWFORLANT

NAVY GRNC

BT

UNCLAS

LOCATING ONE UFO

1. BRIGHT LIGHT

2. 6014N 3036W

3. 232025Z

4. SOUTHEAST SPD UNKNOWN

5. VISUAL

6. SIGHTED 45 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZ TRACKED THROUGH 65 DEG ABOVE
HORIZ LOST AT 30 DEG

7. BRIGHTN OF FIRST MAG STAR TRACKED FOR 10 MIN

BT NOTE: ADVANCE COPIES SENT TO OOP-CP, CIN AND DIA.

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ACTION: CIN-17

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INFO : OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, SACS-3, DIA-10, DIA/CIIC-3 -31-

SMB A 046

ZCZ CHOE 025Z CBJ B107

MM RUEA HQ

DE RUDIC 076

ZNR

M 240717Z

FM COMBARFORLANT

TO RUECW/CNO

RUCKHC/CINCLANTFLT

RUEA HQ/HQ USAF

RUWGALB/CINCONAD

RUEASN/26TH NORAD REGION

RUEGUH/COMEA ST SEAFRON

RUECYP/SPADAT

INFO RUCKDT/COMA SW FORLANT

NAVY GRNC

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LOCATING ONE UFO AMPLIFYING

A. MY 232121Z

1. SINGLE ROUND WHITE OBJECT SIZE OF FIRST MAGNITUDE STAR
2. OBJECT FIRST OBSERVED MOVING RELATIVE TO STARS 30 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON, AZIMUTH 315 DEGREES T LOST AT 45 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON, AZIMUTH 135 DEGREES T IN SIGHT 10 MINUTES BEFORE PASSING BEHIND AIRCRAFT.
3. OBSERVED VISUALLY AT 232025Z BY AIRCRAFT CREWMEMBERS LOCATED AT 60-14N 13-36W 4000 FT TH 240 DEGREES TAS

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185 IND. NIGHT LIGHT COMD ITIONS. CEILING AND VISIBILITY
UNLIMITED NO CLOUDS. FLIGHT LEVEL WIND 240 DEGREES TRUE
20 KTS.

4. NO RADAR CONTACT OR PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

5. CHANGE MY 232121Z POSIT TO READ 60-14N 13-36W VICE
60-14N 30-36W.

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NOTE: ADVANCE COPY TO DIA.

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AF IN : 56008 (24 Oct 62) H/je1 INCOMING

INFO : CIN-17, OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, SAFS-3, DIA-10, DIA-CIIC-3 (37)

SMB C 041

CZCHQB170ZCBBJB255

MM RUEAHQ

DE RUECYP 008

ZNR

M 241950Z

FM NAVSPASUR

TO RUDIC/COMBARFORLANT

INFO RUECW/CNO

RUCKHC/CINCLANTFLT

RUEAHQ/HQ USAF

RUWGALB/CINCONAD

RUEASN/26 NORAD REGION

RUEGUH/COMEASTSEAFRON

RUWGALD/NORAD SPADATS

RUCKDT/COMASWFORLANT

NAVY GRNC

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A. COMBARFORLANT 240717Z

1. ANALYSIS OF NAVSPASUR ORBITAL ELEMENTS INDICATES THAT NO SATELLITES OF SUITABLE SIZE AND ORBIT CHARACTER FOR VISUAL SIGHTING WERE IN THE VICINITY OF 60-14N 13-36W AT 232025Z.

BT NOTE: 240717 1s AF IN : 55379, 24 Oct 62