

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 26 July 1963		2. LOCATION Yakutat, Alaska		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☒ Probably Astronomical Meteors ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 27/0730Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Short duration		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 2		9. COURSE 1. SE 2. SE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Elliptical object and object appearing as a long streak observed for short duration. Color green yellow and green/blue. First obj no tail, 2d obj had trail or tail. Obj 1 observed at 30 deg elevation in West, second obj at 60 deg elevation in West. Objects moved in straight line from West to SE.				11. COMMENTS Probably meteor sighting based on description. Possible both observers observed same object considered. Case evaluated as a meteor.	

NAVAL MESSAGE

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AF IN : 56083 (27 Jul 63) M/crp
Y 270930Z

FM CGLORSTA OCEAN CAPE

TO RUKDAG/AAC ELMENDORF AFB

INFO RUKACR/COMAL SEAFRON
ZEN/CCGD SEVENTEEN
RUECJD/COMDT COGARD
RUW SJ/COMWESTAREA

READDRESSED OP-IMMEDIATE 271111Z JUL 63
FM COMAL SEAFRON
INFO CINCPACFLT
CNO

AF DIST: NIN-9, XOP-1, XOPX-4, SAF-OS 3 (17)

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UFO SIGHTINGS

A. CCGD 17 OPLAN NR. 1YR, TAB A TO ANNEX H

1. TWO UNIDENTIFIED LIGHTS SIGHTED, ONE BLUE, ONE GREEN/YELLOW

2. OBSERVATION MADE BY FAA PERSONNEL AT FAA AIRPORT, YAKUTAT, ALASKA, 139-40W, 59-31N.

3. 270730Z.

4. ALTITUDE BLUE LIGHT 20,000 FT GREEN/YELLOW LIGHT 12,000 FT

5. BLUE LIGHT MOVING FM ZENITH TOWARDS SOUTH GREEN/YELLOW LIGHT MOVING FM WEST TO SE

6. CGLORSTA OCEAN CAPE

7. FURTHER DETAILS BEING PREPARED AND WILL BE FORWARDED BY MESSAGE ASAP IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2, OPNAVINST 3820.9, AND CCGD17 OPLAN NO. 1-YR

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CIA..COGARD..FLAGPLOT..BFR..

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INFO RUEAHQ/AFCP HQ USAF WASHDC

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CG LORSTA OCEAN CAPE ALASKA 27/2250Z IS SUBMITTED

PER PARA 13A, AFR 200-2 QUOTE

REPORT OF UFO SIGHTING BY CIVILIANS AT 270730Z

A. AFR 200-2, OPNAVINST 3820. 9, CCGD17 OPLAN NO. 1-YR

B. MY 270930Z

1. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECTS

A. OBJECT ONE-ELLIPTICAL, OBJECT TWO-LONG STREAK

B. OBJECT ONE-SIZE OF FACE OF WATCH HELD AT ARMS
LENGTH, OBJECT TWO-ABOUT 1/4 INCH WIDE, TWO INCHES

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LONG.

C. OBJECT ONE-GREEN/YELLOW, OBJECT TWO-
BLUE:GREEN.

D. TWO

E. NA

F. NONE

G. OBJECT ONE-NO TAIL, TRAIL OR EXHAUST, OBJECT
TWO-APPERED TO HAVE TAIL.

H. NO SOUNDS HEARD.

I. NONE

2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECTS

A. OBJECT ONE-ATTENTION CALLED TO OBJECT BY
CHILD WHO THOUGHT IT WAS A WEATHER OBSERVATION
BALLOON, OBJECT TWO-PERSON NOTICED THROUGH
WINDOW OF HIS HOME.

OBJECT TWO-ELEVATION 60 DEG, WEST.

C. OBJECT ONE-20 DEG BEARING SE, OBJECT TWO-
UNKNOWN

D. OBJECT ONE-MOVED IN STRAIGHT LINE FROM WEST

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TO SE, NO MANEUVERS, OBJECT TWO-SAME.

E. BOTH FADED

F. BOTH VERY SHORT TIME, INDETERMINATE

3. MANNER OBSERVATION

A. BOTH OBJECTS SIGHTED FROM GROUND TO AIR

B. NO OPTICAL AIDS USED

4. DATE AND TIME OF SIGHTING

A. 270730Z

B. DARK NIGHT

5. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS-BOTH AT FAA AIRPORT, YAKUTAT, ALASKA
139-40W, 59-31N.

6. INFORMATION ON OBSERVERS

A. OBJECT ONE-[REDACTED]S, 30 YRS, WEATHER BUREAU,
YAKUTAT, ALASKA, WEATHER MAN, EXCELLENT RELIABILITY, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], 30 YRS, WEATHER BUREAU, YAKUTAT, ALASKA, HOUSE WIFE,
EXCELLENT RELIABILITY.

B. OBJECT TWO-[REDACTED] 38 YRS, FAA, YAKUTAT, ALASKA,
FAA EMPLOYEE, EXCELLENT RELIABILITY.

7. WEATHER CONDITIONS

A. ALL OBSERVERS SAME-GOOD VISIBILITY, SCATTERED CLOUDS.

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B. WB REPORT-WINDS-SURFACE-CALM, 6,000-300-13KT,
12,000-260-13 KT, 16,000-310-16 KT, 20,000-340-24 KT, 50,000-310-
13 KT, 80,000-120-7KT.

C. CEILING, 3,000 FT SCATTERED.

D. VIS BILITY-15 PLUS MILES

E. 2/10 FRACTO/CU- 2,000 FT, 4/10-SC-3,000 FT.

F. NO

G. TEMP GRAD NORMAL EXCEPT SHALLOW INVERSION 7,700-8,200 FT

8. NONE

9. NONE

10. WEATHER BALLOON OBSERVATION MADE AFTER SIGHTINGS.

11. LTJG D. H. FREESE JR. 6573, USCG. OBJECT ONE BELIEVED TO
BE PYROTECHNICS, OBJECTS TWO BELIEVED TO BE EITHER METEOR OR
COMET.

12. NONE.

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