

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 20 Aug 63		2. LOCATION Turner River Station, Australia Ord River Station, Australia		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other <u>Satellite Decay</u> ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 20/0038Z		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 seconds		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE Explosion	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Explosion in upper atmosphere which shook buildings. Smoke screen observed. Report from Ord River had 2 witnesses who observed a silver object leaving a trail of smoke which was 10-15 deg elevation 225-235 azimuth. Ball of flame emanated from silver object, orange color. Silver streak 3-4 seconds, flash 2-3 seconds and smoke or vapor trail for one minute.				11. COMMENTS Possible decay of Cosmos II.	