

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 27 Sep 63		2. LOCATION Long Beach, Calif		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other Satellite ECHO I ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2130 PDT GMT 28/0430Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes n ☒ No		6. SOURCE civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 4 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE SE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Star traveling SE. Disappeared after four minute flight from 40 deg above horizon in NW to 40 deg above horizon in SE.				11. COMMENTS At 822 PM PST ECHO was North of the city at 70 deg elevation moving SE in position to be observed by the witness. Case evaluated as ECHO.	

27 SEPT

HEADQUARTERS
6592d SUPPORT GROUP (AFSC)
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
Air Force Unit Post Office, Los Angeles 45, California

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: SSQO

SUBJECT: Report of Unidentified Flying Object (UFO)

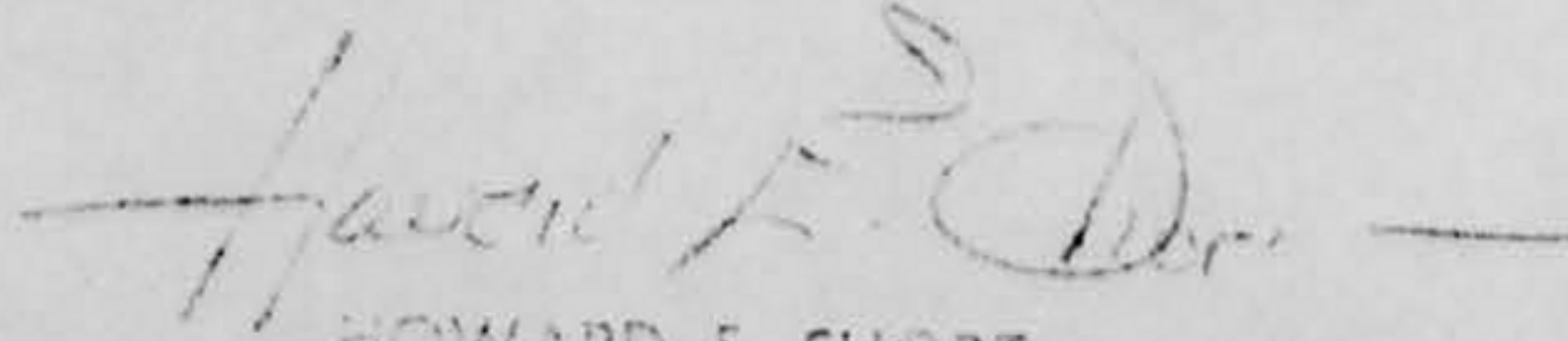
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TO: ATIC
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

1. Reference AFR 200-2.

2. The following UFO sighting was reported to the SSD Command Post, on 28 September 1963:

- a. Description: Object appeared to be a star, travelling south-east.
- b. Course: In four minutes, object started from a point 40° above NW horizon and disappeared 40° above the SE horizon.
- c. Manner of Observation: Visual.
- d. Time and Date: At 2130 PDT, 27 September 1963.
- e. Location of Observer: Belmont Beach (Long Beach).
- f. Observer: Mr. [REDACTED], Long Beach, California. Telephone [REDACTED]
- g. Weather Condition: Clear and 12-15 miles visibility.
- h. Unusual Activities: None.
- i. Identification Actions: None.
- j. Air Traffic: None of the speeds described.
- k. Preparing Officer's Position and Comments:
 - (1) Emergency Plans Officer, SSD.
 - (2) The presented description resembles that of a meteorite.


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