

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 10 July 1964		2. LOCATION Yahatz, Oregon		12. CONCLUSIONS	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 21/0040Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military -- Civilian		☒ Other Satellite ECHO II ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 20 Minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One		9. COURSE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Star shaped object like star. Bright and bluish white color. Flight to North in straight line.				11. COMMENTS ECHO II moving NE over Oregon at 1143 PM PST. If time was converted from PST then object was likely ECHO II. Case evaluated as this Satellite.	

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ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-5, SAFOS-3 , DIA-15 (32)

SMB B087

B442ZCQJA943

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TO RUWGALE/AIR DEFENSE COMMAND ENT AFB COLO

RUWHBH/25TH AIR DIV MCCHORD AFB WASH

RUCD SQ/AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER WRIGHTPATTERSON AFB OHIO

RUEAHQ/HEADQUARTERS USAF WASH 25 D C

RUEAHQ/SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE WASHINGTON 25 D C

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FOR AFCIN - HQ USAF; SAFOI - SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE. UFOB
REPORT. THE FOLLOWING UFOB REPTRT IS SUBMITTED: PART I.

PART A.

1. SOMEWHAT STAR SHAPED.
2. ABOUT THE SAME SIZE AS A STAR9
3. BRIGHT AND BLUISH WHITE.
4. ONE.
5. N/A.
6. N/A.

3040
8
2240 PDT
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7. NONE.

8. NONE.

9. NONE.

PART B.

1. WHILE LYING ON BACK OBSERVED MOVEMENT.
2. SLIGHTLY BELOW THE MOON AND 45 DEGREES ABOVE THE HORIZON.
3. 045 DEGREES ELEV, 360 DEGREES AZIMUTH.
4. SEE COMMENT BY CIO. (PART II.)
5. MOVED IN A STRAIGHT LINE TOWARD THE NORTH.
6. 20 MINUTES.

PART C.

1. GROUND OBS

RMATION.

2. NONE.

3. N/A.

PART D.

1. 21 JULY 1964, 0640Z.
2. NIGHT.
3. SLIGHTLY NORTH OF YAHATZ, OREGON (SAN MARINE MOTEL).

PART E.

1. ~~CHAS. [REDACTED] [REDACTED]~~, VENETA, OREGON.

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(RETIRED TSGT - INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS SPECIALIST)

PART II. CHARLES E. PETERSON (RETIRED TSGT, INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS SPECIALIST, QOTRL REPORTED SIGHTING UFOB AT 0640Z WHILE NORTH OF YAHATZ, OREGON, ON 21 JULY 1964. HE WAS LYING ON HIS BACK WHEN HE NOTICED MOVEMENT OF A BRIGHT OBJECT SLIGHTLY BELOW THE MOON AND 45 DEGREES ABOVE THE HORIZON. THE OBJECT RESEMBLED AND WAS APPROXIMATELY THE SAME SIZE AS A STAR, HOWEVER IT WAS A BRIGHTER BLUE-WHITE. THERE WAS ONLY ONE OBJECT. THE OBJECT ROSE ACROSS THE FACE OF THE MOON, TURNED HALF LEFT AND PROCEEDED UP THE COAST IN A NORTHERLY DIRECTION. NO DIVERSIONARY MOVEMENTS WERE NOTED, BUT THE OBJECT PAUSED FOR A SPLIT SECOND AND THEN PROCEEDED AGAIN IN A STRAIGHT LINE. IT PASSED THROUGH THE FIRST AND SECOND STAR OF THE HANDLE OF THE BIG DIPPER.

MR [REDACTED] GAVE THE IMPRESSION OF AN INTELLIGENT OBSERVER.

HE HAD PREVIOUS INTELLIGENCE EXPERIENCE AS AN OPERATIONS SPECIALIST IN THE AIR FORCE. HE WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FORMAL REPORTING OF UFOB INCIDENTS WHILE STATIONED AT GREAT FALLS ; MONTANA, IN 1953.

C-3. MAJOR A. F. SHIFLETT, PORTLAND AIR DEFENSE SECTOR.

BT

NOTE: Adv copy del to DIA and NIN.

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PST

AT 01.43 AM JULY.14 SOUTH OF CITY, 21 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 03.48 AM JULY.14 SOUTH OF CITY, 71 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 02.33 AM JULY.15 SOUTH OF CITY, 48 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 03.22 AM JULY.16 SOUTH OF CITY, 75 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 02.07 AM JULY.17 SOUTH OF CITY, 52 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 00.51 AM JULY.18 SOUTH OF CITY, 28 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 02.55 AM JULY.18 SOUTH OF CITY, 78 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 01.40 AM JULY.19 SOUTH OF CITY, 56 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 03.43 AM JULY.19 NORTH OF CITY, 85 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE
AT 02.29 AM JULY.20 SOUTH OF CITY, 81 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON MOVING NE