

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 26 October 64 27/0732Z	2. LOCATION 23.09N 159.31W (Pacific)
3. SOURCE Military USS FALGOUT	10. CONCLUSION MISSILE
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3-4 min	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object leaving luminous vapor trail. Direction 205 deg. Speed estimated at 600 knots. Flight at low altitude. Electronic pickup at 2119 on bearing of 160 deg.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE 205 deg True	COMMENTS: Sighting descriptive of missile observation and Radar pickup of same. Path on downrange area from Vandenberg. Probable launch from this site. Case evaluated as a probable missile.
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-6, SAF-OS-3, JCS/OSD-50, NSA-7, DIA-15 (90)

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FM USS FALGOUT

TO RUHPHH/COMHAWSEAFRON

RUHLHL/C INCPACFLT

RUWGALB/C INCNORAD

RUEAHQ/COFS USAF

RUHAKW/ADCC WHEELER AFB HAWAII

GR70

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1. MERINT

2. USS FALGOUT

3. SIGHTED ONE OBJECT BEARING 205 DEG. T WHICH LEFT AN IRREGULAR
LUMINOUS VAPOR TRAIL.

4. 2309N 159.31W

5. 270732Z

6. LOW

7. OBJECT HAD IRREGULAR TRAIL. OVERALL DIRECTION MOVEMENT 205
DEG. T

8. SPEED UNK ESTIMATED 600 KTS.

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9. ELECTRONIC INTERCEPT FREQ 1295 PRR 2400 PW 6.8 ARR 4 BEARING
160 DEG. T TIME 2119

10. SEA STATE 2. WEATHER CLEAR. NO MOON.

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TO DIA, NIN and XOPX.