

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 8 April 65 09/0330Z	2. LOCATION Dundee, Minnesota	
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION UNRELIABLE REPORT <i>2/11</i>	
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Investigation Official regarded individual as an unreliable observer. No further action will be taken.	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer estimated size of object at approx 6 ft in diameter. When object first appeared the color was not discernible except as a brilliant light and then as 2 bright lights inside of an object. When the door to the object was closed the light was extinguished and the object appeared to be of a metallic color. The light which appeared to be inside resembled that of an arc welding light. Observer's attention was called to the object because of its interference with his radio. The light appeared when the object was hovering near the ground, approx 150 ft from the ground and 100 yds from the observer. Distance of object, 150 ft above the ground approaching from the NW, 45 deg elevation from the observer, 360 ft at disappearance. Object traveled in a circular path to the S and then N. Period of disappearance 11.2 sec. From distance of 3/4 mile. Object disappeared 11.2 sec after actual sighting.	
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual		
7. COURSE Varied		
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No		

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ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-8, SAFOS-3, DIA-1 (21)

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TECHNOLOGY DIVISION AT WRIGHT PATTERSON, AFNIN, SAFOI. INFO

SCODC-1. SUBJ: U F O. THE FOLLOWING REPORT IS SUBMITTED IN

ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2. A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT. (1) CIRCULAR (OVAL). (2) UNKNOWN. OBSERVER COULD NOT DESCRIBE THIS OBJECT

IN THIS MANNER. HIS ESTIMATE SIZE WAS APPROX 6 FT IN DIAMETER.

DEPTH COULD NOT BE DETERMINED. (3). WHEN OBJECT FIRST APPEARED

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THE COLOR WAS NOT DISCERNIBLE EXCEPT AS A BRILLIANT LIGHT AND THEN AS 2 BRIGHT LIGHTS INSIDE OF AN OBJECT. WHEN THE DOOR TO THE OBJECT WAS CLOSED THE LIGHT WAS EXTINGUISHED AND THE OBJECT

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APPEARED TO BE OF A METALIC COLOR. (4). ONE. (5) NOT APPLICABLE. (6) ONLY THE DOOR AND THE MANEUVER OF CLOSING IT. THE OBSERVER SURMISED THAT IT MUST HAVE BEEN CLOSED ELECTRONICALLY BECAUSE NO PERSON OR APPARATUS WAS SEEN. THE DOOR WAS ROUND CORRESPONDING TO THE OPENING FROM WHICH THE LIGHT WAS COMING. (7) NINE. (8) NO SOUND WAS HEARD FROM THE OBJECT, HOWEVER THE OBSERVER'S ATTENTION WAS CALLED TO THE OBJECT BECAUSE OF ITS INTERFERENCE WITH HIS RADIO (STATIC). (9) THE LIGHT WHICH APPEARED TO BE INSIDE RESEMBLED THAT OF AN ARC WELDING LIGHT ACCORDING TO THE OBSERVER. THE LIGHT APPEARED WHEN THE OBJECT WAS HOVERING NEAR THE GROUND, APPROX 150 FT FROM THE GROUND, APPROX 200 YDS FROM THE OBSERVER. B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT. (1) INTERFERENCE (STATIC) OF HIS RADIO WHICH LEAD HIM TO INVESTIGATE OUTSIDE OF HIS FARM HOUSE. (2) APPROX 150FT ABOVE THE GROUND APPROACHING FROM THE NORTHWEST. AND ANGLE OF APPROX 45 DEGREES FROM THE OBSERVER. (3) APPROX 300 FT AT DISAPPEARANCE. (4) OBJECT TRAVEL NORTH TO

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SOUTH ASCENDING FROM 180 FT TO LEVELING AT APPROX 300 FT AT
DISAPPEARANCE. OBJECT TRAVELED IN A CIRCULAR PATTERN TO THE EAST
AND THEN SOUTH. (5) INSTANTANEOUSLY TO THE SOUTH OBJECT SEEMED
TO DISAPPEAR AFTER THE DOOR WAS CLOSED. (6) APPROX 2 MINUTES AT
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A DISTANCE OF 3/4 MILES FROM THE OBSERVER. C. MANNER OF OBSERVA-
TION. (1) GROUND - VISUAL. (2) NONE. (3) NOT APPLICABLE.

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING. TKQL 0 APRIL 65 - 0330Z.

(2) NIGHT. E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER. 1 MILE SOUTHWEST OF

DUNDEE, MINNESOTA, 8 MILES SOUTH EAST OF FULDA, MINNESOTA IN THE
TOWN OF KINDRAE, MINNESOTA. F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER.

(1) ~~REDACTED~~, ESTIMATED AT 55-65 (WOULD NOT REVEAL AGE)

KINDRAE, MINNESOTA. RELIABILITY - DOUBTFUL - BASED ON FACTS AS
INDICATED IN COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER. (2) N/A. G. WEATHER
AND WINDS AT SIGHTING. (1) NICE EVENING, NO WINDS, CLEAR SKY.

(2) NOT AVAILABLE. (3) 600 FT. (4) 2 MILES WITH FOG. (5) 6

TO 9 TENTHS (OVERCAST). (6) NONE. (7) 40 DEGREES. H. THE

WINDS WERE CALM, BLOWING FROM THE NORTHEAST. (0400Z WEATHER).

I. NONE. J. NONE. K. UNIT INTELLIGENCE OFFICER COMMENTS.

OBSERVER REPORTED THE SIGHTING 20 DAYS AFTER THE ACTUAL OBSERVA-

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TION. THE PATTERN OF EVENTS FOLLOW A LOGICAL SEQUENCE, ALTHOUGH THE ELEMENT OF TIME AND AGE OF THE OBSERVER MIGHT BE A CONSIDERATION WHEN THE COMPLETE PICTURE IS ANALYZED. CREDENCE OF INFORMATION. AN INTERVIEW BY THE INVESTIGATOR WITH THE OBSERVER REVEALED THE FOLLOWING FACTS: OBSERVER LIVES ALONE ON A FARM ON THE WEST
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EDGE OF KINDRAE, MINN. HE IS A RETIRED MAIL CARRIER AND DIVORCEE. HE HAS LIVED ALONE FOR THE PAST 3 YEARS. DURING THE INTERVIEW THE OBSERVER STATED THAT A SIMILAR INCIDENT (WHICH HE DID NOT REPORT) OCCURRED WHEN 2 RUSSIAN MIG AIRCRAFT APPEARED ON HIS FARM. HE INDICATED THAT HE SPOKE WITH THEM DURING THIS TIME. HE WOULD OFFER NO FURTHER INFORMATION OF THIS INCIDENT. IN VIEW OF THE IMPROBABILITY OF SUCH AN INCIDENT IT IS THE OPINION OF THE PREPARING OFFICIAL THAT TOTAL CREDIBILITY OF THIS OBSERVATION IS DOUBTFUL.

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