

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 3 August 65 04/0630Z	2. LOCATION Salt Springs Reservoir, California
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (METEOR) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Ball like object glowing red, no sound, light vapor trail. Sky hazy, no clouds. No stars visible, no air traffic visible. Observed for 10 seconds. Changed direction from NE to East and back to NE.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE NE	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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2. SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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3 August 1965

12. ORIGINATOR:

SECURITY & LAW ENFORCEMENT DIV
McGILLAN AFB, CALIFORNIA

5. PLACE AND DATE OF ACQ:

13. PREPARED BY:

Patrolman Harold W. Comstock

6. EVALUATION: SOURCE _____ INFORMATION X

7. SOURCE: Mr. [REDACTED]
Sacramento, Calif.

14. APPROVING AUTHORITY:

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15. SUMMARY:

Mr. [REDACTED] a carpenter, was encamped near the Salt Springs Reservoir on the Mokulome river. At approximately 2230 hrs, 3 August 1965 he observed a ball like object in the sky. It appeared to be about the size of a silver dollar. Altitude of object unknown. Color of object was glowing red, there were no other objects other than the unidentified flying object in sky at time of sighting. Object appeared to leave a slight vapor trail, made no sound, was traveling in a north-easterly direction. Observer stated that he watched the object for approximately 10 seconds, the sky was slightly hazy with no clouds, sighting was by naked eye, age of observer was 30 years. No wind existed at the time. There was no air traffic visible at time of sighting.

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A. DESCRIPTION:

1. Shape - Like a ball.
2. Size - Silver dollar.
3. Color - Glowing red.
4. Number - One.
5. N/A
6. Features - Bright object with vapor trail.
7. Size - Unable to determine.
8. Sound - None.
9. Much like a ball with vapor trail.

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

1. Traveling in northeasterly direction.
2. Angle of elevation - Approximately 90°.
3. Same as 2
4. Flight path - Changed path from northeast to due east back to northeast.
5. Disappearance - Did not watch it that long.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

1. Ground - visual

D. TIME & DATE OF SIGHTING:

1. 2230 hrs, 3 August 1965
2. Night.

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER:

Camp near Salt Springs Reservoir, on Mokulome river.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF OBSERVER:

Civilian - Mr. [REDACTED]
Sacramento, Calif.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS:

Wind - 160 at 4 knots
Temperature - 79°
Dew point - 53
Scattered clouds - over east

**H. No air traffic or balloon released in area.
No existence of physical evidence (Materials or Photographs).**