

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 16 August 65 17/0135Z	2. LOCATION Little Rock, Arkansas
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION SATELLITE
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Sighting characteristic of Satellite observation.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 1/2 - 2 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object observed at 60 deg elevation to the North moving to the SE Flight included Zig-Zag. Disappeared beyond trees at horizon. Varied speed. No sound. Only one light. Zig-Zag motion attributed to illusion as one light nears another. Flight consistent with Satellite sighting.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground - Visual	
7. COURSE SE	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM

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16 Aug 65

Mrs. Hunt/man/SAFOICC/72842/14 Sep 65

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Dear Mr. [REDACTED]:

Your observation on the night of 16 August 1965 has been evaluated as a satellite. The erratic flight can be attributed to an illusion as one light passes another or to atmospheric conditions such as a temperature inversion which could cause the object to appear to have such an erratic movement.

Sincerely,

JOHN F. SPAULDING
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Chief, Civil Branch
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Office of Information

Mr. [REDACTED]
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Little Rock, Arkansas 72204

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