

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 23 August 65 24/0250Z	2. LOCATION Superior, Wisconsin
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Possible Astro (STAR/PLANET) ✓ Elevation at appearance missing, azimuth at disappearance not included. Description indicates Astro Body. Will be reevaluated if Form 164 is returned.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION One Hour	
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE East (?)	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS One object with ring around it. Color green. No features trail exhaust or sound. Initial sighting to North. Disappeared over the horizon. Flight to East reported. In sight for one hour. Investigating official regards the most likely cause as a star. Direction missing. Flight to East can be explained if azimuth not changed. Form 164 sent for clarification, not returned. Report is characteristic of an Astro Body except for the direction reported of flight. Also no major Astro Body in the North. Possible error in direction. Case will be evaluated as an Astro Observation in view of the investigating official's remark. Subject to change if Form 164 is returned by witness.
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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FTD (TDEW)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
14 September 1965

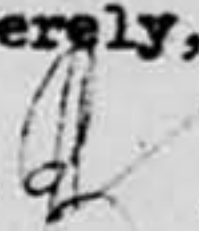
[REDACTED]
Superior, Wisconsin

Dear [REDACTED]

Reference your recent unidentified observation of 23 August 1965.
The information which we received was not sufficient for evaluation.
Request you fill out the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the
envelope provided.

We wish to thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

Sincerely,


HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr
Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

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ACTION : NIN-7,

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

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R 241445Z

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RUCDSQ/FOREIGN TECH DIV WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RUEAHQ/HQ USAF WASH DC

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UNCLAS DUIN 00092 AUG 65

FOR: USAF, SAFOI & AFNIN, 30TH OIN, SUBJ: UFO:

1. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT:

A. SHAPE : UNKNOWN

B. SIZE: PENNY AT ARMS LENGTH

C. COLOR: GREEN/RED RING AROUND

D. NUMBER: ONE

E. FORMATION: NONE

F. DISCERNABLE FEATURES: NONE

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G. TAIL, TRAIL OF EXHAUST: NONE

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H. SOUND: NONE

I. UNUSUAL FEATURES: NOT OBSERVED

2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

A. WHY NOTICED: UNKNOWN

B. INITIAL ELEVATION AND AZIMUTH: NORTH OF SUPERIOR

C. ELEVATION AND AZIMUTH AS OBJECT DISAPPERED: HORIZON

D. FLIGHT AND PATH MANEUVERABILITY: HEADED EAST

E. MANNER OF DISAPPERANCE: NOT OBSERVED

F. LENGTH OF TIME IN SIGHT: 1 HOUR

3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

A. METHOD: EYE

B. OPTICAL AIDS: BINOCULARS

C. AIRBORNE SIGHTING INFORMATION: NONE

4. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

A. DTG (Z): 24/0250Z

B. NIGHT

5. LOCATION OF OBSERVER (S): SUPERIOR, WISC:

6. IDENTIFYING INFO ON ALL OBSERVER (S): ~~REDACTED~~ STUDENT) 16

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7. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME OF SIGHTING:

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A. OBSERVERS ACCOUNT OF WEATHER: CLEAR AND VERY DARK

B. AWS ACCOUNT OF WINDS DIRECTION AND VELOCITY AT:

1. SURFACE 210/10

2. 6,000 280/20K

3. 10,000 290/25K

4. 16,000 320/35K

5. 20,000 290/30K

6. 30,000 310/25K

7. 50,000 300/35K

C. CEILING: 7,000 BROKEN

D. VISIBILITY: 15 MILES

E. CLOUD COVER: NONE

F. THUNDERSTORMS IN AREA: NONE

8. UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN THE AREA: WX BALLOON REL'D 24/0400Z

9. INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION OF ACTION TAKEN: NONE

10. LOCATION OF AIR TRAFFIC IN AREA AT TIME OF SIGHTING : NONE

11. POSITION TITLE/COMMENTS OF PREPARING OFFICER: CHIEF OF

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INTELLIGENCE/THIS PARTICULAR OBSERVATION OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD OF MY REPORT, DUOIN 00093. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THIS PERSON SAW THE SAME OBJECT AS COVERED IN THE OTHER REPORT, HOWEVER THE PAGE 4 RUCDDU 9 UNCLAS OBJECT APPARENT MOVEMENT TO THE EAST WOULD TEND TO RULE THIS OUT. THE COLOR OF RED AND GREEN BEING EMMITTED BY THE OBJECT CAN POSSIBLY BE EXPLAINED THAT THE OBSERVER WAS ONLY SEEING THE RED AND GREEN PORTIONS OF THE COLOR SPRECTRUM DUE TO IMMEDIATE LOCAL DUST CONDITIONS OR LIGHT REFRACTION OCCURING AROUND THE OBJECT. IN THE PAST, I HAVE NOTED THAT STARS OCCASSIONALLY SEEM TO EMIT GREEN AND RED LIGHT. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE OBJECT SEEN WAS A SATELLITE BUT MOST PROBABLY A STAR.

12. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE: NONE

13. MISC. COMMENTS BY THE OBSERVER: NONE

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