

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 2 September 65 03/0315Z	2. LOCATION Clearmont, Iowa
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Satellite (ECHO II) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	ECHO II, West of city, 36 deg above horizon, moving NE at 2122 at time of observation.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 15 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Vidual (BX)	Object was changing colors from red to green and circular shape. No tail or trail or exhaust was observed. No sound. Observer was looking for Satellites when strange color attracted him. Sighting was visual with use of Binoculars.
7. COURSE North	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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ACTION: NIN-7

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

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FM 788TH RADAR SQ SAGE WAVERLY AFS IOWA

TO RUWGALE/AIR DEFENSE COMMAND ENT AFB COLON

RUCDHJ/30TH AIR DIVISION SAGE TRUAX FIELD WISC

RUCDHJ/CHICAGO AIR DEFENSE SECTOR SAGE TRUAX FIELD WISC

RUCDHJ/AIR FORCE SYSTEMS COMMAND WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

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AFSC-FTD; AFNIN; SAFOI. SUBJECT: UFO REPORT. THIS MSG IN 13 PARTS.

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT: A. SHAPE: CIRCULAR. B. SIZE: A
QUARTER HELD IN THE HAND AT ARMS LENGTH. C. OBJECT WAS CHANGING
COLORS FROM RED TO GREEN. D. ONLY ONE OBJECT OBSERVED. E. NO
DISCERNIBLE FEATURES OR DETAILS WERE OBSERVED. F. NO TAIL, TRAIL
OR EXHAUST WAS OBSERVED. G. NO SOUND WAS HEARD. 2. DESCRIPTION

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OF COURSE OF OBJECT: A. OBSERVER WAS LOOKING FOR SATELLITES WHEN
STRANGE COLOR OF OBJECT ATTRACTED HIM. B. OBJECT APPEARED TO BE
ABOUT 15,000 FEET THROUGHOUT SIGHTING. C. OBJECT WAS MOVING FROM
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SOUTH TO NORTH. OBJECT DISAPPEARED INSTANTANEOUSLY TO THE NORTH.
D. OBJECT WAS VISIBLE FOR 15 MINUTES. 3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:
A. SIGHTING WAS VISUAL WITH USE OF BINOCULARS. 4. TIME AND DATE OF
SIGHTING: A. 03/0315Z. B. OBSERVER STATED LIGHT CONDITIONS WERE BE-
TWEEN DUSK AND DARK.
5. OBSERVER WAS LOCATED IN CLEARMONT, IOWA. 6. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON
OBSERVER: A. [REDACTED] WAS THE OBSERVER. B. ARE UE ES48. C.
MAILING ADDRESS IS [REDACTED] CLEARMONT, IOWA. D. OCCUPATION IS
FARMER. E. RELIABILITY IS UNKNOWN. 7. WEATHER AND WINDS-ALOFT AT
TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING: A. OBSERVER INDICATED WEATHER WAS CLEAR.
B. WX REPORT FROM AWS WAS: 6,000' 230/15/PLUS 14, 10:000' 240/20/
PLUS 8, 16,000'/240/15/-1,
20,000'/250/20/-15, 30,000'/260/40/-41 50,000'/270/45/-61. C. CEILING
WAS 10,000'. D. VISIBILITY WAS 12 MILES. E. CLOUD COVER WAS SCATTERED.
8. NO ACTIVITY OR CONDITION WHICH MIGHT ACCOUNT FOR THE SIGHTING.
9. INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION WAS NOT ATTEMPTED. 10. NO BALLOON

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RELEASES WITHIN THE AREA. 11. PREPARING OFFICER IS INTELLIGENCE NCO,
788TH RADAR SQUADRON (SAGE). 12. NO PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS IS SUB-
MITTED. 13. NO EXISTENCE OF PHYSICAL EVIDENCE NOR PHOTOS.

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