

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 21 December 1965 21/2024Z	2. LOCATION xxx 55.37N 171.25E
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION Astro (METEOR) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	No decay this date.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5-6 seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS A/C sighted an unknown object. It was the shape of fireball and appeared to be flame with a short tail when sighted. Object appeared to be disintegrating when observed. Object began descent and began disintegrating as it entered clouds.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Air-Visual	
7. COURSE Descending, SE	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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5537N-121.25E

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FM CTU 93.1.1

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RUWGAE/CINCNORAD

RUHL KM/PACAF

RU/DAG/COMNAVAIRPAC

RU/DAG/ALASKAN NORAD RGN

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT SIGHTING

1. CTF 33 AIRCRAFT SIGHTED AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT 212024Z

AT POSITION 55-37N 171-25E. OBJECT WAS IN SHAPE OF FIREBALL AND

APPEARED TO BE FLAME WITH A SHORT TAIL WHEN SIGHTED. SIZE OF

OBJECT WHEN SPOTTED WAS SIZE OF PEA. OBJECT APPEARED TO BE

DISINTEGRATING WHEN OBSERVED. ACFT ALTITUDE 15000 FT. ANGLE OF

ELEVATION AND AZIMUTH WHEN FIRST OBSERVED PLUS 30 DEGREES AT 305

DEGREES TRUE. ANGLE OF ELEVATION AND AZIMUTH WHEN LAST OBSERVED

MINUS 10 DEGREES AT 305 DEGREES TRUE. FLIGHT PATH OF OBJECT WHEN

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FIRST OBSERVED WAS IN A DESCENT. OBJECT THEN APPEARED TO LEVEL OFF

AND CLOSE ACFT. OBJECT THEN CONTINUED DESCENT AND BEGAN

DISINTEGRATING AS IT ENTERED CLOUDS. OBJECT OBSERVED BY THREE

OFFICERS AND TWO ENLISTED. DURATION OF SIGHTING 5-6 SECONDS. CUS/SPDD

OF ACFT AT TIME OF SIGHTING 310 DEGREES TRUE/250 KTS. CLOUD

TOPS 12000 FEET. VISIBILITY UNLIMITED. ACFT PROCEEDED TO AREA WITH

NO JOY.

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