PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP

1 Oct 67 02/0100Z

2. LOCATION

QUEENS, NEW YORK (Multiple)

4. SOURCE

Civilian

10. CONCLUSION

/ Possible (AIRCRAFT/W ADVERTISING SIGN)

4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS

One

5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION

45 Minutes

6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION

Ground-Visual

7. COURSE

See Summary

8. PHOTOS

☐ Yes
☒ No

9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

☐ Yes
☒ No

11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS

The observer sighted an object that looked like a flying disc with rotating lights. The object came from the East turned and disappeared toward the East. The observer said the objec made no noise but while the UFO was circling the area, his television picture became distorted.

COMMENTS: All of the witnesses listed by the observer were sent Form 117's but none returned these forms. The Queens Police Dept. was contacted to determine if anyone had reported any unusual a objects to them on that date, they replied that they had receive no reports. We received no other reports from the area for 1 Oct 6 The description is similar to that for an electrical aerial advertising sign. These signs are attached to slow moving small aircraft or helicopter and are often reported as UFOs. The aircraf may also have caused the interference with the observers television

FORM

20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) (Yes) No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? 30 to 50 mph

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) (Yes) No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? 1500 to 2000 feet

22. Where were you located when you saw the object? (Circle One):

a. Inside a building
b. In a car
(c. Outdoors)
d. In an airplane (type)
e. At sea
f. Other _____

23. Were you (Circle One)

a. In the business section of a city?
(b. In the residential section of a city?)
c. In open countryside?
d. Near an airfield?
e. Flying over a city?
f. Flying over open country?
g. Other _____

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

a. North
b. Northeast
c. East
d. Southeast
e. South
f. Southwest
g. West
h. Northwest

24.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

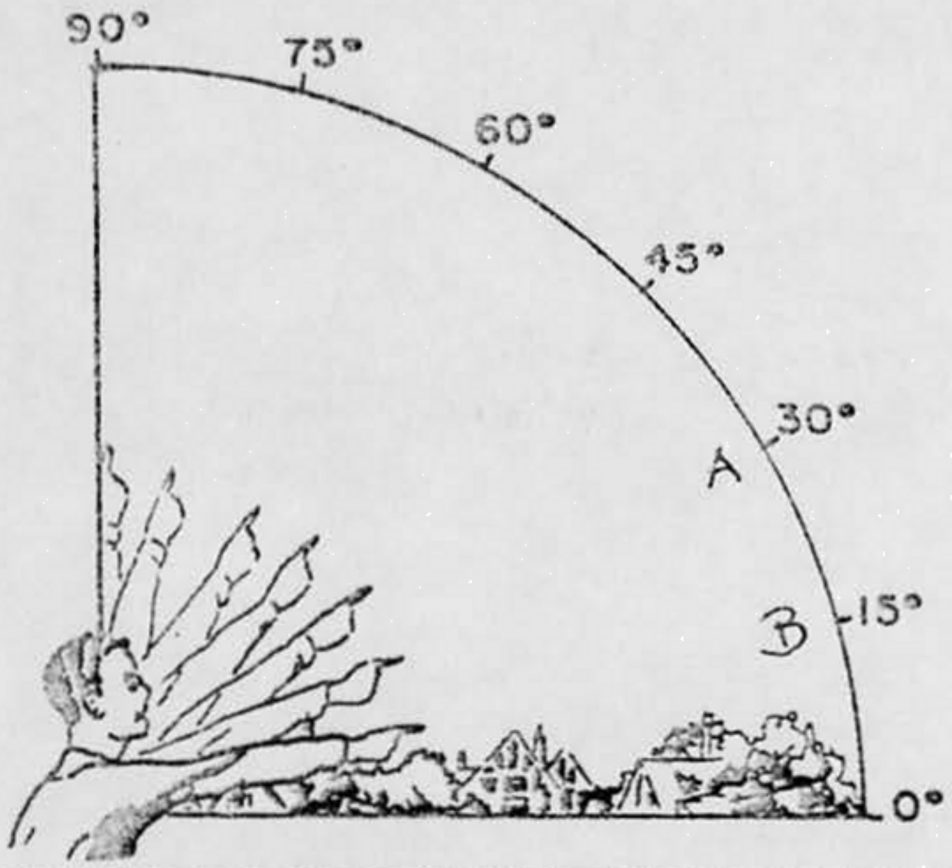
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

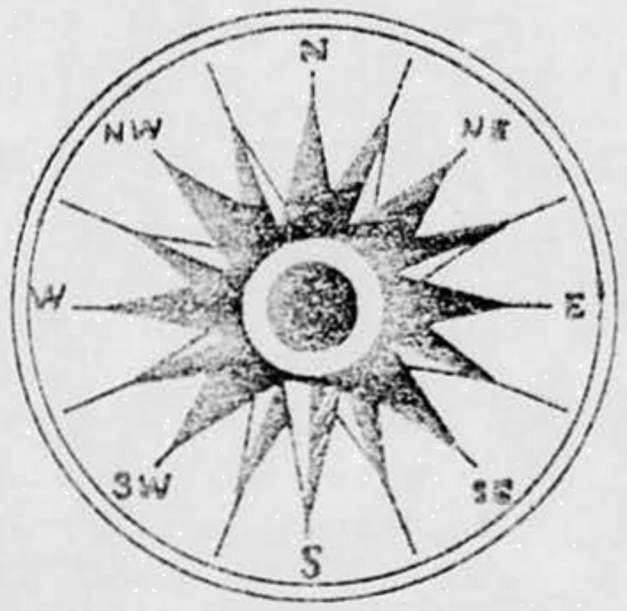
a. Eyeglasses	Yes	No	e. Binoculars	(Yes)	No
b. Sun glasses	Yes	No	f. Telescope	Yes	No
c. Windshield	Yes	No	g. Theodolite	Yes	No
d. Window glass	Yes	No	h. Other _____		

26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

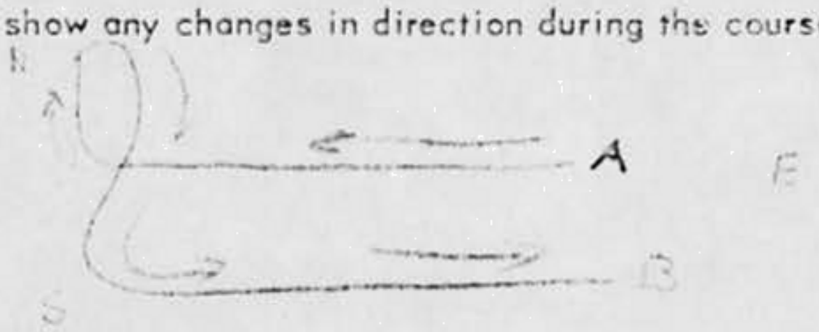
Two flying disc with lights (rotating as moving)

27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you *last* saw the object.





28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? _____

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

Date 7-22-57
1711 LaCombe Ave Bklyn 72 NY
North East

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One) (Yes) No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One) (Yes) No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

RESIDENTS
[redacted] Bayside Queens 1136[redacted] upper & lower Tenants
[redacted] Bayside Queens [redacted] upper Tenants

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] (Last Name) [redacted] (First Name) _____ (Middle Name)

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) Bayside Queens (City) 1136[redacted] (Zone) NYS (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 27 SEX male

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

I have been interested in UFO sighting since high school and have stood many watch while in Service - Navy. At Present I am trying to bounce radio waves off surface of moon and received start - Electronics Technician is my Business + I have the interest some day to be a part of the Space program of which I am truly interested.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

SUNDAY - 1st (Day) 10 (Month) 67 (Year)

Dept of Air Force
Federal Building
Washington 25 DC.

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: Sunday 8 (Day) 10 (Month) 67 (Year)

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

When the object (UFO) while circling the general area the frequency signal on the television become distorted and video portion was out of sync. There wasn't any noise coming from the object.

It seemed to be on an observation course of general scanning pattern.

Also it facing due east at 275° a bright star was being circled by red lights. and at 60° SE another star was being circled by a red light (or some object).

1967

October 5, 1967

Dear Mr. [redacted]

Reference your letter of October 1, without complete information, we cannot make an accurate analysis of your sighting.

If you will, therefore, complete the attached questionnaire and send it in the postage free envelope we are inclosing to the address given on this envelope, it is quite possible that you will be able to find out what you saw.

Sincerely,

Civil Branch
Community Relations Div.
Office of Information

Attachment

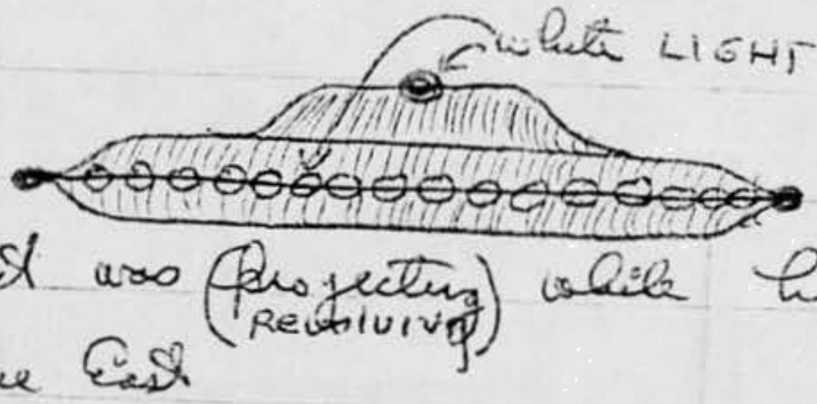
Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Bayside, Queens, New York 11364

[redacted]
Bayside Queens 113
Date 10-1-67
Tele: [redacted]

Dept of Air Force
Federal Building
Washington 25 DC.

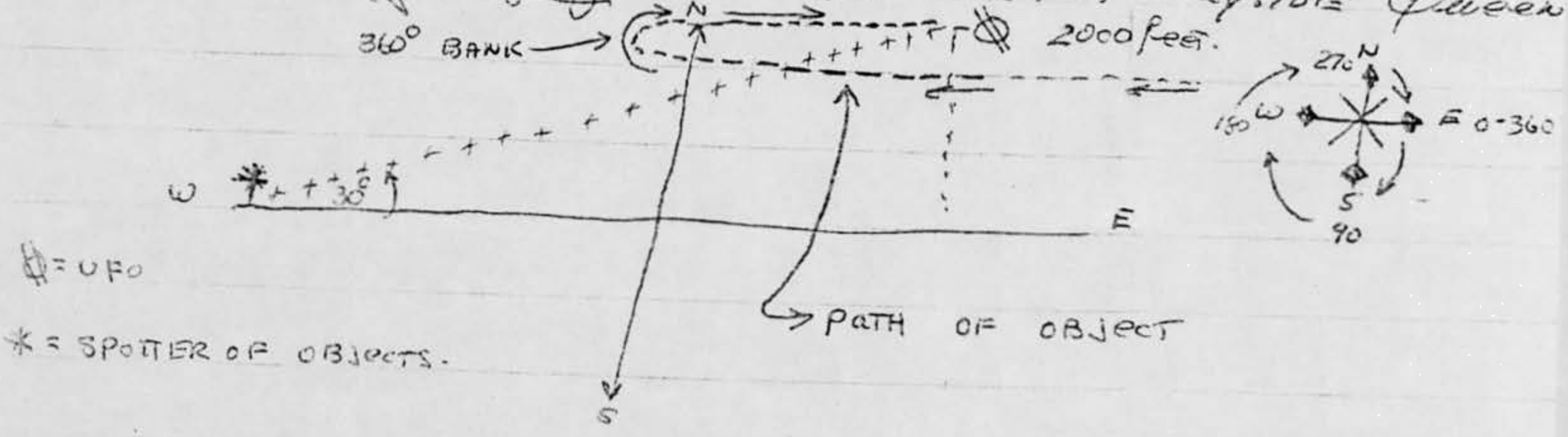
Dear Sir:

Title: Report of Sighting of unidentified flying object.
Date: 10-1-67 E.S.T 2100 hrs to 2145 hrs.
Description of UFO.



Object was (Projecting Revolving) while heading West then forged 360° due East

Place of Sighting: 67th Ave + 224 ST Bayside Queen



The sighting was verified by residents of 67th Ave 224 St Court Lots

I have stood watches while in service and I could tell aircraft from helicopters and various other aircraft. This U.F.O sighting was visible to the naked eye and nothing I have ever seen before.

I will be willing to answer any questions which pertain to this report any where any time.

Please let me know by return mail if I could be of any assistance

Yours truly

[redacted]

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TDPT (UFO) Lt Col Quintanilla/70916/mhs/26 Apr 68

29 APR 1968

UFO Observation, October 1, 1967

Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]ue
Bayside, Queens, New York 11364

Reference your unidentified flying object (UFO) observation of October 1, 1967. We have attempted to contact witnesses to your sighting without success. If you could supply us with the complete names and exact addresses of as many of the witnesses as possible, it would be helpful in our investigation. Your assistance in this matter is appreciated.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

1 Atch
self-addressed envelope

TDPT (UFO) OFFICIAL FILE CY

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION (AFSC)
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO 45433

REPLY TO ATTN OF: TDPT (UFO)

29 APR 1968

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, October 1, 1967

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Bayside, Queens, New York 11364

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NAME

RESIDENTS [redacted] → [redacted]
" " " [redacted]
" " "
" " "

AND OTHERS RESIDENT OF SAME COURT.
which are afraid to give name.

Since some of the residents of the above apartments were previously contacted but failed to respond, no further action is considered necessary at this late date. C.L.M.

Recvd in UFO Office
3 Jul 68

, Oct 67

29 APR 1968

TDPT (UFO) Lt Col H Quintanilla/70916/mhs/25 Apr 68

UFO Observation, 1 October 1967

Queens Police Department
Queens, New York 11429

1. The Aerial Phenomena Office is in receipt of an unidentified flying object (UFO) report from Bayside, Queens, New York, which occurred on 1 October 1967 at approximately 9 pm, EDT.

2. The observer sighted what he described as a flying disc with lights on it and observed it for approximately 45 minutes.

3. Did you receive any reports of unusual objects for this date? We would appreciate your comments as to a possible cause for this sighting.

4. Thank you for your assistance on this matter.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF NEW YORK
NEW YORK 13, N. Y.

May 21, 1968

Department of The Air Force
Headquarters Foreign Technology Division, (AFSC)
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio 45433

Attn of: TDPT (UFO), Lt. Colonel, Hector Quintanilla, USAF

Subject: UFO OBSERVATION, 1 OCTOBER 1967 AT 9:00 P.M., IN THE VICINITY OF BAYSIDE, QUEENS.

1. Records of this Command, Re: Your request of October 1, 1967 are as follows:

a. The Bayside area of Queens is in the confines of the 111 precinct. Records of this command disclose no report of any UFO sightings at 9:00 p.m., on October 1, 1967.

b. A further check of ajacent predincts in the area were made and also disclose no UFO sightings in the area.

Thomas McCrink,
Lieutenant,
Communications
Section Queens.

U.F. 52
POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF NEW YORK
COMMAND / ADDRESS
QUEENS COMMUNICATIONS

JAMAICA, N.Y.
PM
1968

FTD/UFO (Maj Quintanilla/70916/mhs/25 Oct 67)

OCT 25 1967

UFO Observation, October 1, 1967

224-29B 224-29A 224-39B

67th Avenue
Bayside, Queens, New York 11364

1. The Aerial Phenomena Branch is investigating an unidentified flying object (UFO) sighting which occurred on October 1, 1967. The witness saw the object east of your position between 9 and 9:45 pm, EDT, and reported that residents at the above address also observed the object.

2. If residents of your apartment did see this object, please complete the inclosed FTD Form 164; if they did not observe anything, request you state so on the inclosed form.

3. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

JAMES C. MANATT, Colonel, USAF
Director of Technology and Subsystems

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FTD Form 164 w/envelope

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will *not* be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

Sunday-1 (Day) 10 (Month) 67 (Year)

1 Oct.

2. Time of day: _____ (Hour) _____ (Minutes)

(Circle One): A.M. or (P.M.)

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): (a. Eastern)
b. Central
c. Mountain
d. Pacific
e. Other _____

(Circle One): (a.) Daylight Saving
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[redacted] (Nearest Postal Address) Queens 11364 (City or Town) New York- (State or County)

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) 0 (Hours) 45 (Minutes) 30 (Seconds)

(a. Certain)
b. Fairly certain
c. Not very sure
d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? _____

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes ✓ No ____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY	NIGHT
a. Bright	(a. Bright)
b. Cloudy	b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One):
a. In front of you
b. In back of you
c. To your right
d. To your left
e. Overhead
f. Don't remember

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS *(Circle One)*:

a. None
b. A few
(c. Many)
d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON *(Circle One)*:

a. Bright moonlight
b. Dull moonlight
c. No moonlight -- pitch dark
d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS *(Circle One)*:

(a. Clear sky)
b. Hazy
c. Scattered clouds
d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER *(Circle One)*:

a. Dry
b. Fog, mist, or light rain
c. Moderate or heavy rain
d. Snow
e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: *(Circle One)*:

(a. Solid)
b. Transparent
c. Vapor
d. As a light
e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? *(Circle One)*:

a. Brighter
b. Dimmer
c. About the same
d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

12. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One): a. Fuzzy or blurred
b. Like a bright star
(c. Sharply outlined)
d. Don't remember

e. Other By light around objects a rotation of object around

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

a. Appear to stand still at any time?	(Yes)	No	Don't know
b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?	Yes	(No)	Don't know
c. Break up into parts or explode?	Yes	(No)	Don't know
d. Give off smoke?	Yes	(No)	Don't know
e. Change brightness?	Yes	(No)	Don't know
f. Change shape?	Yes	(No)	Don't know
g. Flash or flicker?	(Yes)	No	Don't know
h. Disappear and reappear?	(Yes)	No	Don't know

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

By heading east until visual contact was lost, then reacquired by heading west.

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes (No) Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: _____

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

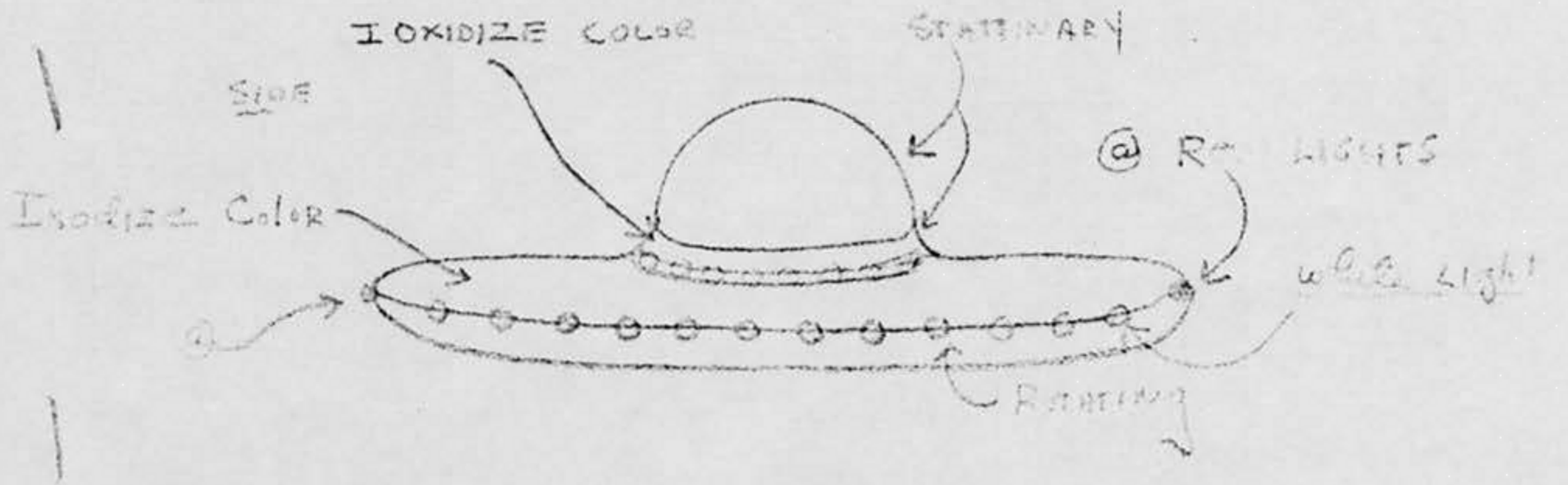
(Circle One): Yes (No) Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of: _____

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound No sound could be heard from object

b. Color Oxodize color of Sub was complete

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

One quarter of the object was covered.

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.