

1. NAME

25 June 1952

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA

2. LOCATION

Lat 2115 NCT

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Long 0115 W

3. PHOTOC

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Civilian

3. SIGNATURE

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Orbiting object with magnitude twice diameter of object. Well defined and bright. First seen at 2:45⁰⁰. Looked like a/c and had flared wings. Was reported because it appeared to be landing and there was no landing field there. Probably was a conventional friendly aircraft.

UNCLASSIFIED

CSAF ITEM 2 [REDACTED]

SECURITY INFORMATION

TO ATIAA-5 RUPPELT

FROM AFOIN-2B3 FOURNET

REPORT RECEIVED BY PHONE FROM A [REDACTED]

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TF 155
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ATIAA

A/C
ACTION

[REDACTED] YELLOWISH ORANGE LIGHT APPEARED OVAL,
TRAVELING FROM EAST IN PRESUMABLY WEST DIRECTION,
UNDULATING MOTION WITH MAGNETUDE EQUAL TO
AT LEAST TWICE DIAMETER OF OBJECT. VERY WELL
DEFINED AND VERY BRIGHT PROJECT OBSERVED AT
252115 EDT FROM HOME ON [REDACTED]
CHARLOTTSVILLE, VIRGINIA. PICKED UP AT ABOUT
45 DEGREE ELEVATION IN EAST AND LOST BEHIND
TREES

AT ABOUT SAME ELEVATION IN SSE. ESTIMATED
LARGER THAN ANY PLANET AND MUCH LARGER THEN
A NICLE HELD AT ARMS LENGTH. UNDER OSERVATION
FOR ABOUT 3 MINUTES WHILE MOVING SLIGHTLY.
A/C APPEARED ABOUT 15 MINUTES LATER FROM WEST AT
HIGH ALTITUDE.

STARTED LOSING LATITUDE NOTICABLE AND HAD
"FLASHING" LANDING LIGHTS, DEFINITELY NOT
NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. ESSENTIALLY NORMAL A/C
SOUND WITH ITS PASSAGE. MR EASTON CONSIDERED
THIS UNUSUAL SINCE THERE IS NO LANDING
FIELD EXCEPT AND EVERGENCY STRIP IN THE AREA.
EASTON REPORTS NO CLOUDS OBSERVED, NOR
DOES HE REMEMBER MOON.

ADDITIONAL OBSERVER, [REDACTED]'S WIFE. INCIDENT
REPORTED TO LOCAL CIVIL DEFENSE A/C SPOTTERS,
CHARLOTTSVILLE.

[REDACTED] AND, CHARLOTTSVILLE,

PHONE [REDACTED]

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NO FUTHER ACTION TAKEN HERE.

END CSAF ITEM 2 [REDACTED]

DOWNGRADED AT 3 YEAR INTERVALS
DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS
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