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Act 48

PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION

MP:	MARTIN REDMOND (LABOUR) DON VALLEY
PQ REFERENCE:	1985H & 1986H
PQ TYPE:	ORDINARY WRITTEN
DRAFT ANSWER REQUIRED BY:	12:00 TUESDAY 23 JULY 1996

QUESTION: [1985H] To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, who assessed that the events around RAF Woodbridge and RAF Bentwaters in December 1980, which were reported to his Department by Lieutenant Colonel Charles Halt were of no defence significance; on what evidence the assessment was made; what analysis of events was carried out; and if he will make a statement.

QUESTION: [1986H] To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what response his Department made to the report submitted by Lieutenant Colonel Charles Halt detailing events in Rendlesham Forest in December 1980; what interviews were held; and if he will make a statement.

DRAFT ANSWER: The report was assessed by the staff in my Department responsible for air defence matters. Since the judgement was that it contained nothing of defence significance no further action was taken.

APPROVED BY:

Head of Sec(AS) **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 23.7.96

Sec(AS)2ab **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 23.7.96

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DPR(RAF)
DI55c
GE3

I'll attend
except ii.
[illegible] DI55
Grey

BACKGROUND - PQs 1985H & 1986H

1. Mr Redmond has asked a large number of questions about military aviation issues over the years. He recently tabled four PQs about unidentified flying objects prompted, we believe, by the recent publication of a book on the subject by a former member of Sec(AS). The MP has tabled a further six questions on the subject of "UFOs" for answer before the Parliamentary recess, two of which follow up earlier answers he received about an alleged "UFO" incident which occurred outside RAF Woodbridge in Rendlesham Forest in December 1980 (Hansard extracts attached).

2. The alleged incidents to which Mr Redmond refers occurred between 27-29 December 1980 when unusual lights were seen by USAF personnel, including the Deputy Base Commander, outside RAF Woodbridge. A report of the sighting (copy attached) was forwarded to the MOD by the RAF Liaison Officer at RAF Bentwaters. The report was examined by the Department at the time and no other evidence of any matter of defence significance was found. This is of course the Department's only interest in such sightings.

3. Our line regarding this alleged incident is that all available evidence was examined at the time and we are satisfied that nothing of defence concern occurred in the location on the nights in question. No additional information has come to light over the last 15 years which calls the original judgement into question.

4. The only documents on the subject held by the Department are the report itself, limited official comments on the report, and correspondence from members of the public enquiring about the alleged events. The wording of the draft reply is in line with that used in responses to previous Parliamentary Enquiries on the subject (see attached).

5. There is no requirement for the Department to contact or reply to a witness following receipt of a "UFO" report. It would only have

been necessary to contact Lt Col Halt had there been any indication that the sighting was of defence relevance and it was necessary to interview him further. As this was not the case no response was appropriate or necessary.

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

THAMES VALLEY POLICE
AREA CONTROL ROOM

Church Street
Wantage
Oxfordshire
OX12 8BW
Tel. Section 40
Fax.

Date

96/274

SIERRA FOXTROT

FROM : Section 40

TO : WEST DRAYTON (UFO SIGHTINGS) PAGE 1 of 1

MR Section 40, EAST VIEW COTTAGE, ST JAMES STREET, EASTBURY HUNGERFORD, BERKS, TEL Section 40, REPORTING A WHITE CIRCULAR OBJECT ABOUT AIRCRAFT SIZE, THIS OBJECT FLEW AT 10 TIMES THE SPEED OF A NORMAL AIRCRAFT FLEW SOUTH TO NORTH, WITNESSED BY HIMSELF AND HIS WIFE INCIDENT OCCURED AT 1505 HRS 20/7/96

THAMES VALLEY POLICE REF URN 1329 20/7/96

SIGNED : Section 40 DATED : 20/7/96

Section 40

INCID NO 0514 SOURCE TELEPHONE DATE 20-07-96 TIME 1158 Section 40

LOCATION PARK LANE,AVELEY
OFF HIGH STREET

SECTN F12 BEAT C MAP REF 569804 UHF 95/04

MESSAGE POSS UFO SIGHTING ***SEE TEXT***

INFORMANT Section 40 FROM NO:39
Section 40 863634

VIEWING RATING RESPONSE GRADE 3 DATE AND TIME OCCURRED

ACTION ENTRIES FOR 20-07-96

1207 From: FS
OBJECT WAS SEEN BY INFT & HER SISTER AT APPROX 2330HRS FRI 190796 & WAS DESC AS:TUBE SHAP,FLOURECENT GREEN IN COLOUR

1208 PRINTED AT PRES

1231 From: CONT'D
& ABOUT THE SIZE OF A SMALL JET AIRCRAFT.IT WAS SEEN TO MOVE ACROSS THE SKY AT LOW ALTITUDE & HIGH SPEED IN THE DIRECTION OF FS & WAS ONLY IN SIGHT BRIEFLY IT DID NOT APPEAR TO MAKE ANY NOISE.

1236 Section 40 WAS IN HER LOUNGE AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING.

1246 From: FS
INFORMATION ROOM INSPECTOR AWARE.

Section 40

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END OF MESSAGE HQIR00065 TO HQIR FROM VDU002 20-07-96 1247

Section 40

19 JULY 96.

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ENCLOSURE NUMBER

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER 272

Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
21 JULY 2250(L) 1½ SECONDS

Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size, UNABLE TO DEFINE AS IT WAS TO QUICK
Shape,
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL.

Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, IN GARDEN
~~Indoors~~, Outdoors,
Stationary, ~~Moving~~,

How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera~~.

Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) FROM EAST.

Angle of Sight. —

Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) —

Movement of Object. EAST ⇒ WEST VERY FAST.

Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR.

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.
HOUSEING ESTATE

To Whom Reported.
~~Police, Press, Military Organisation~~, Airport

Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted]
HINCKLEY LEIC
Section 40 [redacted]

Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

Other Witnesses.
WIFE

Date & Time of Receipt of Report.
23JY 0012(L).

22 JUL '98 8:24 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
21 JULY 2230(L) STILL VISIBLE @ 2250.

Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size, NOT KNOWN
Shape, ROUND AT TOP TRIANGULAR AT BOTTOM.
Colours, YELLOW.
Brightness, NOT AS BRIGHT AS A STAR.
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location,
~~Indoors~~, Outdoors,
Stationary, ~~Moving~~,

How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera~~.

Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) SOUTH EAST

Angle of Sight 35°

Distance. UNABLE TO ESTIMATE
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

Movement of Object. BOBBING AROUND

Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, CLEAR SKY.
Haze, Mist.

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.
FEW HOUSES.

To Whom Reported.
Police, ~~Base, Military Organisation, Airport~~.

Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]
NORWICH

Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

Other Witnesses.
WIFE.

Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

Data, Time, Duration of Sighting.
[redacted] 2025 1hr 21 JULY 96.

Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, N/K STARSIZED
Shape, LIKE A CLOVER
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NIL.
Smell, NIL

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ENCLOSURE NUMBER

Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, WHITEHALL BRISTOL
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS.
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

How Object was Observed. —
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

Direction in which Object was first seen. NW
(A Landmark may be useful)

Angle of Sight. 1000ft - 2000ft

Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 2-3 MILES

Movement of Object. L → R UP + DOWN

Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. BUILT UP AREA

To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]
BRISTOL
Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

Other Witnesses.

Date & Time of Receipt of Report. POSS ADVERTISING BALLOON

REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

8 JUNE 96 / ~~2255~~ 2355 1½ mins

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

1 Star shaped - no colour
very bright - no sound.

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

Farnley NR Leeds outdoor - stationary

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

Naked eye

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

South.

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

80°

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

—

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

West to East
very rapidly

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

Partly cloudy

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

None near

l. Name and Address of Informant Section 40 [redacted]

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

n. Other Witnesses

Husband

o. Date and Time of Receipt

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The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)

RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting**
16TH JUNE 1996 2330 LOCAL 10-15 MINS

B **Description of Object**
BRIGHT STAR, ERRATIC MOVEMENT, WHITE TRAIL, LOOKED LIKE A SPACESHIP ON FIRE.

C **Exact Position of Observer**
Section 40 [redacted] AYR - BACK GARDEN

D **How Observed**
NAKED EYE

E **Direction in which Object was First Seen**
SOUTH BUT HEADING NORTH

F **Angular Elevation of Object**
45°/o

G **Distance of Object from Observer**
NOT KNOWN

H **Movements of Object**
ERRATIC - LIKE A FIREWORK

J **Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc**
CLEAR

K **Nearby Objects**
HEADS OF AYR - BUTLINS WONDERWEST

L **To Whom Reported**
N.A.T.S. ATLANTIC HOUSE PRESTWICK

M **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] AYR

N **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**
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O **Other Witnesses**
NIL

P **Date & Time of Receipt of Report**
2300Z 16TH JUNE 96.

17 JUN '96 8:24 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON
FROM NATS SCORCC AIRWAYS SUPERVISOR 06.16.1996 23:18
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A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting** - Local times to be quoted.
14/6/96 2010 10 SECS

B **Description of Object** - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.
GOLFBALL - SILVERY - PULSATING - HIGH - BRIGHT

C **Exact Position of Observer** - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
Section 40 STANDING IN GARDEN

D **How Observed** - Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
NAKED EYE

E **Direction in which Object was First Seen** - A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
WEST BOUND SIMILAR TO BUZAD S.I.D. FROM STANSTED

F **Angular Elevation of Object** - Estimated heights are unreliable.
AT LEAST 60° - 70°

G **Distance of Object from Observer** - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
VERY HIGH.

H **Movements of Object** - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
STRAIGHT LINE

J **Meteorological Conditions During Observations** - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.
CAVOK.

K **Nearby Objects** - Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
2 FT CHIMNEY STACK TO RIGHT HAND SIDE.

L **To Whom Reported** - Police, military organisation, the press, etc.
STANSTED ATC

M **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 Section 40 , HERTS Section 40

N **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**
AIRCRAFT ENTHUSIAST (QUOTE & I AM NOT A NUTTER)

O **Other Witnesses**
INFORMANT'S WIFE

P **Date and Time of Receipt of Report**
16/6/96 1035 UTC.

The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40

The completed form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

END

A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting Local times to be quoted	15th, 17th, 18th June 1996 1330hrs 3:00pm.
B. Description of Object Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc.	1 object red + green + blue flashing red at bottom (like body)
C. Exact Position of Observer Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationery or moving.	Stationary, Indoors.
D. How Observed Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.	Naked eye
E. Direction in which Object was First Seen A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.	NW
F. Angular Elevation of Object Estimated heights are unreliable	25°-30°
G. Distance of object from Observer By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.	Uncertain
H. Movements of Object Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed	Slowly northwards over 3 hours
I. Meteorological Conditions During Observations Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.	clear skies
J. Nearby Objects Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir; lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; tall chimneys; steeples; spires; TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.	Walking in vicinity of objects.
K. To Whom Reported Police, military organisations, the press etc.	HTV - not interested. MOD - Both
L. Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] Bristol Section 40
M. Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	
N. Other Witnesses	Informant + family
Date and Time of Receipt of Report	2345 PM. local 18/6/96

ion
s report by telephone to AIS (Military) at LATCC
ediately. Forward written report to Ministry of
nce Sec (AS)2, Room 8245, MOD Main Building,
ahall, London, SW1A 2HB. Fax Section 40 [redacted]
PHS MILITARY

Report received by .. Section 40 [redacted]
Air Traffic Control, Bristol Airport, Bristol, BS19 3DY.
Tel Section 40 [redacted]
Fax [redacted]

19 JUN '96 8:01 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON PAGE.002

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FEED DIRECTION

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CWD211 19/1947 171C2114

FOR CAB

ROUTINE 191705Z JUN 96

FROM RAF FYLINGDALES
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F
SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENOM
A. 15/16 JUN 96, 2346 AND 0245
B. ONE OBJECT-BRIGHT SPHERICAL
C. SCAMOWDEN NEAR HALIFAX
D. BINOCULARS
E. MOVED FROM THE MANCHESTER AREA TO HIS POSITION-THEN IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION
F. VERY HIGH APPROX 50000FT
G. UNK
H. EACH PASS LASTED 5 MINS, VERY FAST
J. CLEAR
K. TV RADIO MASTS IN THE VICINITY.
L. OC OPS SQN
M. Section 40 [redacted]

PAGE 2 RBDAIA 0006 UNCLAS
N. NIL
P. ONE OTHER WITNESS
Q. 190934Z JUN 96
R. CLEAR
S. THE INDIVIDUALS HAD BEEN OBSERVING SATELLITES
BT

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F
CAB 1 SEC(AS) ACTION (CXV 1 AFDO)
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REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. [redacted]te/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted) 1604

7th JUNE 1996/1248 - 30 SECONDS. Natural Daylight

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

ROUND OBJECT, WHITE, GLOWING.

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

BURNAGE (Section 40), MANCHESTER, INDOORS, MOVING.

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

NAKED EYE.

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

NORTH ?

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

STRAIGHT LINE

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

2-3 MILES.

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

FLOATING - MOVING SLOWLY.

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

CLEAR.

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

NONE

l. Name and Address ofInformant

Section 40 [redacted]

BURNAGE MANCHESTER.

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

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n. Other Witnesses

NONE.

o. Date and Time of Receipt

0200 7th JUNE 1996.

DONE.

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Ministry of Defence (AFO)

RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1.	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	120245zJun 96 for approx 10 seconds
2.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	dark balloon shaped object
3.	Location (indoor/outdoor stationary/moving)	He was in third floor flat and saw object outside over the park quite low on the horizon
4.	How observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or moving)	Naked eye
5.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	To the east over the park
6.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	above the trees but a low angle
7.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Just over the park
8.	Movements (Changes in 5,6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Stationary, hung about for about 10 seconds, then just disappeared
9.	Met conditions during observations (Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc)	Dark, just starting to get light
10.	Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines reservoir,lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys,steeples,spires, TV or Radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing significant
t 11.	To whom reported (Police, military, press, etc)	To MOD

12.	Name and Address of Informant Address 229-231 Norwood Rd, Hern Hill, London SE24 9AG 0181 671 5434	Section 40 [redacted]
13.	Background of informant that may be volunteered Seemed very coherent, could not sleep, got up, looked out of living room window - saw object. Was embarrassed to talk about it but couldn't just let it pass.	
14.	Other Witnesses	Nil
15.	Date, Time of Receipt	120320z Jun 96
16.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	Nil
17.	Remarks	Just seemed a very genuine man

Date: 12 Jun 96

Section 40 [redacted]
RO2
Air Force Duty Officer
DCMC
MB JOC136R Section 40 [redacted]

Distribution:

Chots address:

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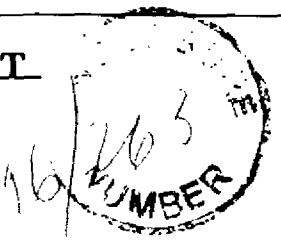
NB. Note that the format of this form accords with Civpol formats

REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT



a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

24·7·96 0033

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

RED/WHITE/GREEN LIGHTS STATIONARY.

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

N.NE CROSSHILL LANE CHORLEY TOWARD BLACKBURN.

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

NAKED EYE / BINOCULARS

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

O.S. 594173 SHEET 69.

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

30 DEGREES. APPROX.

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

10-20 MILES.

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

STATIONARY.

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

CLEAR. [redacted] THIN HIGH CLOUD.

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

NONE

Name and Address ofInformant P. C. Section 40
COUNTY POLICE
ST THOMAS ROAD
CHORLEY.

Section 40
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m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

POLICE OFFICER.

n. Other Witnesses Section 40
.
CHORLEY.

o. Date and Time of Receipt

23582 24-7-96

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Whitehall
LONDON SW1

D/Sec(AS)/64/2

24 July 96

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F I L E N O T E

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Witness: Section 40 [redacted]

2. Address of Mr Clegg: Section 40 [redacted]
Manchester
Section 40 [redacted]

3. Details of sighting:

Sat 20 Jul at 1130hrs ish.
pm

Out camping with 2 friends one of which also witnessed sighting.

Location: Slaidburn/Chay Ho, Lancashire

Saw four sets of white lights moving across the sky. Quite high up. The whole sighting lasted 2-3 seconds. Convinced they were not planes.

Explained our role and understood the air defence interest that we have. Explained our views of the extraterrestrial phenomenon.

Agreed to write to him to advise whether anyone else had reported what they had seen. Although I did make clear to him that we could not provide an aerial identification service.

I asked whether he wanted to have the details of UFO research organisations. He said "no I don't what to talk to any nutters thank you". In the end we agreed that I would forward details of UFO RAs to him.

Section 40 [redacted]

Action: check files and send a letter to Section 40 [redacted] explaining our role and policy.

260/96

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	31.7.96 3AM - 3:45AM
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Big bright light with lights on bottom. Humming noise. Beam came down + man came out + walked down the Uxbridge Rd
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Hayes In car
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked Eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	Over Hayes, Middlesex.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Followed them in the car, looked as if it tried to land, let the man out then flew off.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Built up area.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	The Leader (local newspaper)
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] Hillingdon, Middlesex. Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	car clock was wrong.
14. Other witnesses	4 friends + the milkman
15. Date and time of receipt	1.8.96. 3:15pm.
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

Low Flying Military Aircraft - Public Complaint

FILE ■ Important ■

Forward the completed form to the appropriate authorities listed at Section 1 within 24 hours

Section 1

From (Unit): OC RAF BRIZE NORTON

To ✓ as appropriate

☑ MOD Sec (AS) 2b,
Room 8249 Main Building,
Whitehall, London.. SW1A 2HB
For complaints outside MATZ

☐ MOD PL(LS) Claims 3,
Room 314 First Avenue House,
High Holborn, London. WC1V 6HE
To be sent a copy if a claim is involved

Section 2
Details of Complainant

Name: Section 40

Mr/Mrs/ Miss/Ms/Dr etc.: MR AND MRS

Address: Section 40

Town/City: CHEDWORTH

County:

Postcode:

☎ No.: Section 40

Section 3
Location of Incident

OS Grid Ref:

a Address as at Section 2
or
b

Address:

Town/City: 254

County:

Postcode:

Section 4
Details of Incident

Date: 25 JULY 96

How many Aircraft involved: ONE

Time(Local): 2330

Type of Aircraft

If Known:

or ✓ as appropriate

Jet ☐ Prop ☐ Helo ☐ Light a/c ☐

Other:

Continued overleaf

MOD use only

✓ as appropriate

First timer ☐ Other ☐

LFA: Serial No.:

File Ref:

Action Branch:

☐ MOD Sec (AS) 2b ☐ GS Sec
☐ MOD Sec (NS) b ☐ PL (LS) Claims 3

Markings

✓ as appropriate

Grey ☐ Camouflaged ☐ Red & White ☐

Other

Estimated Height

Direction

Particulars of Complaint

Section 40 report a stationary object with various lights, (the shape of a peacock). ATC sup spoke at length, and directed flying club aircraft to the vicinity, nothing seen. MR Section 40 has tried to photograph the object, if the pictures turn out he will send one to Brize Norton OPS.

Continue on an additional sheet if necessary

Section 5 Unit's Response

✓ as appropriate

	Yes	No
Return telephone call	☐	☐
Written acknowledgement (if Yes, attach copy to this form)	☐	☐
Low Flying Leaflet sent	☐	☐
15 Facts Info Sheet sent	☐	☐
Other action taken	☐	☐

Specify any other action taken

Details of individual receiving complaint

Time (local) 2335

Date complaint received 25 July 96

Signature Section 40

Name Section 40

Rank WO

☎ No. Section 40

Has the incident given rise to any injury to persons and/or livestock or damage to property which will result in a claim for compensation being submitted to the Ministry of Defence?

Yes ☐ No ☐ ✓ as appropriate

If Yes, give details (and copy form to PL (L&S) Claims 3)

Important Reminder

The completed form is to be forwarded to the appropriate authorities listed at Section 1 within 24 hours

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
29 JUL 96 0045 (L) 2 seconds

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, —
Shape, OBLONG SHAPED
Colours, WHITE LIGHT, WITH AN OUTER WHITE RIM.
Brightness, V. BRIGHT
Sound, NONE
Smell, NONE

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

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D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
OVERHEAD RUISLIP - UXBRIDGE, TRAVELLED VERY FAST.

F. **Angle of Sight.**
- 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
N/K.

H. **Movement of Object.**
STATIONARY, THEN HEADED OFF V. FAST, THEN TOTALLY DISAPPEARED (LIKE A TORCH BEING SWITCHED OFF)

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR NIGHT.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
SMALL BLOCK OF FLATS

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
MET OFFICE.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted], RUISLIP. Section 40 [redacted].

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
—

O. **Other Witnesses.**
— NIL —

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
31 JUL 96 1925 (L)

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

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1. Date, time & duration of sighting	4.7.96 10:40pm - 12:40pm 6.7.96
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	OVAL/MUSHROOM SHAPE GREEN, RED, WHITE + ORANGE LIGHTS.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	ON LAWN
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	BINOCULARS
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	DOVER
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	LIGHTS JUMPING AROUND CONSTANTLY
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR, SOMETIMES CLOUDY
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	RAF MANSTON, WHO HAD NO AIRCRAFT AROUND AT TIME.
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] DOVER Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	DAUGHTER
15. Date and time of receipt	8.7.96 11:CCAM
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

UFO FILE

WASHINGTON outlook

EDITED BY JAMES R. ASKER

HINSON'S HAD ENOUGH

Not only is the FAA losing its top safety administrator, agency chief David R. Hinson is likely to leave before the end of the year. The FAA is looking both inside and outside the agency to replace Anthony Broderick, the associate administrator for regulation and certification. Broderick, a well-respected administrator and safety official who held his job for eight years, was prompted to retire this week in the wake of the agency's bungled oversight of ValuJet. Well before the ValuJet crash and ensuing flap, Hinson had told the White House he did not want to serve in the second term, should President Clinton be re-elected.

DECISION TIME

The decision to ground ValuJet came down to management of maintenance, not dispatch, operations or training by the airline, Hinson told *Aviation Week & Space Technology*. Both ValuJet and the FAA fell down on maintenance oversight, he admitted. "We have regulated the airlines and the repair stations from the top down, but did not previously look adequately at the link between the two." Hinson decided June 16 that the airline could no longer keep up with correcting the faults inspectors were finding. Hinson said he simply briefed Clinton aides on his decision on June 17, but there was never any pressure on the FAA from the White House before or after the decision.

POLITICAL MOTIVATIONS

Rep. Bud Shuster (R.-Pa.), who chairs the House aviation subcommittee, has scheduled hearings this week not only on the FAA's oversight of ValuJet Airlines, but whether its grounding was politically motivated. In an unusual display of bipartisanship, Rep. James Oberstar (D.-Minn.), the ranking minority member of the subcommittee, agrees those hearings are necessary. A long-time critic of the FAA, he also complained that the agency keeps too much safety information too close to its vest.

BROKEN PROMISES

Bob Dole may have embarrassed Lockheed Martin executives during his visit to Sunnyvale, Calif., last week. According to a Lockheed Martin official, Dole's people had pledged he would not use the appearance for "Clinton bashing." But Dole, standing with executives in front of a large company banner, said, "The Administration's hostility to defense has been like a Stinger missile aimed at the heart of the California economy, destroying some 215,000 jobs in this state." California Gov. Pete Wilson (R.) had said earlier that 215,000 jobs were lost *in the last 10 years.* Dole charged Clinton has broken his 1992 campaign promise to maintain a strong military. Instead he drove military expenditures down "to their lowest percent of gross domestic product since the bombing of Pearl Harbor." He blasted Clinton's opposition to the rapid deployment of a national missile defense (NMD) system, charging China threatened to "rain nuclear bombs on Los Angeles" if the U.S. comes to Taiwan's defense. "In my Administration, California will never again be subject to nuclear blackmail," Dole promised, neglecting to mention that initial NMD systems wouldn't be able to fend off massive missile strikes. Meanwhile, the Clinton Administration—coincidentally, no doubt—announced the day before Dole's visit that Lockheed Martin was one of two finalists for a multi-billion-dollar contract to build the JASSM missile (see p. 29).

FIGHTER ATTACK

The General Accounting Office's criticism of the F/A-18E/F is finally public after months of congressional review. The GAO says the Pentagon could save "almost $17 billion" if it would abandon the $89-billion, 1,000-aircraft F/A-18E/F program and instead buy additional F/A-18C/Ds until the lower-cost Joint Strike Fighter goes into production. The GAO says operational deficiencies used to justify the E/Fs either have not materialized or could be corrected with changes to the C/Ds. It says E/F range increases were achieved at the expense of combat performance, and wind tunnel tests suggest there may be problems in using its full weapons payload. Some congressional staffers said the GAO report was flawed. However, they do see a big "tac-air funding crunch" coming, with neither the F/A-18E/F nor the F-22 being built in today's numbers. Only about 200-300 Lockheed Martin F-22s will be built, not the 442 currently projected, staffers predicted. With the latest cost projection of $100 million per aircraft in full-rate production, there will be no way the Air Force can afford them all, no matter who wins the election. Staffers expect the number of Air Force and Navy wings won't decrease, but that the aircraft in a squadron will continue to shrink to as few as 10 or 12 from a high of 24.

ALIEN TO *OUR* THINKING

The Air Force has been officially queried by USA Today on its contingency plans if the U.S. is invaded by aliens from space. The inquiry apparently was triggered by the new movie "Independence Day." An Air Force official said that the service would forego any extensive planning pending verification of the existence of aliens.

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	1300hrs 8.7.96
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Massive round light.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Corn field on hill.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	In the Alton - Barnes area & Wiltshire -
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	1-2 miles up in sky
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear No Moon
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	He flashed his torch at it + it signalled back.
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	8.7.96 6pm (R.Warn)
16. Remarks	Did not want to give his address + hung up quickly.

D/Sec(AS)/64/2

9 Jul 96

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F I L E N O T E

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. At 1000 hrs received a call from the following gentleman:

Section 40 [redacted]

Salisbury
Wiltshire
Section 40 [redacted]

2. Sighting:

Sun 7 Jul at 2230-2250 hrs
A303 J34 Sutton Scotney
1-2 miles east of Boscombe Down
one/two intense gold lights 2-3° off the horizon
spherical in shape 10 feet in diameter
500-700 ft off the ground
800 yards from the witness
Very clear night, good visibility, no clouds
No navigation lights discernable
Stationary

3. The above was observed by Section 40 [redacted], his wife and child. He told me that he was ex-Army and was used to observing aircraft etc and this technology was not from here.

4. He was sympathetic to the extraterrestrial hypothesis, saying that a very senior British Government scientist had told him that extraterrestrial life did exist. Section 40 [redacted] came across as a very sensible and sober character.

5. Being ex-British Army he fully understood our role. I undertook to let him know if any information came to light to explain his sighting.

Section 40 [redacted]

LOTHIAN & BORDERS POLICE
F DIVISION

Divisional Headquarters
Almondvale
Livingston
West Lothian, EH54 6PX

Tel. 01506 431200
Fax 01506 445615
Crime Desk 01506 436072

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Date 08.07.96

FAX MESSAGE

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To:

Name: Section 40 redacted	Position:	Fax. Tel: Section 40 redacted
Organisation: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE		

SUBJECT: U.F.O. SIGHTING, WEST LOTHIAN 07.07.96
Our Reference: INCIDENT 231/08.07.96

Free Text:
(special instructions etc)

AT 1957 HRS ON 07.07.96 AT THE A899 UPHALL TO DECHMONT ROAD, WEST LOTHIAN, Section 40 redacted, Dental NURSE, Section 40 redacted, WEST LOTHIAN WAS TRAVELLING EAST WITH HER Section 40 redacted WHEN SHE SAW THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED OBJECT IN THE SKY ABOVE THE KNIGHTSRIDGE AREA OF MUIRHOUSE, WEST LOTHIAN.

A WHITE STREAMLINE AIRCRAFT, NO WINGS, BLACK GLASS COCKPIT, VERTICAL TAIL WING, TRAVELLING AT NORMAL SPEED FOR A NORMAL AIRCRAFT, NO SOUND - TRAVELLING WEST. VISIBILITY GOOD, FEW CLOUDS, HEIGHT 150 FEET ABOVE GROUND. NO CABLES/PYLONS NEARBY

From:

Name / Rank: Section 40 redacted SGT	Department: CONTROL ROOM LIVINGSTON POLICE STATION	Direct Dial Tel. No: Section 40 redacted

ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 26 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: Seven 0100 Fri 12 July 96

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, small, etc): One large (orange sized) round object with red flashing light underneath.

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): Over head the Health Centre Victoria Rd [redacted] Leuchars. Moving very slowly.

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR): Naked eye.

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): From the direction of Leuchars. Very low just above buildings.

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable):

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible):

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): Towards Tents beach very slowly.

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) Can't remember.

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

Methil Power Station

11. To Whom Reported: .....

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40 .....

Section 40 Fife Section 40 .....

13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered: .....

Bird watcher, lives Above, Previous Reports in 1971

14. Other Witnesses: None

15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: 15 July 96 1015 hr

16. Is a Reply Requested: Yes (Has not seen in 1971)

Notes:

1. Members of the public who submit reports should be informed that their reports have been passed to the Ministry of Defence.

2. Sightings by Service personnel and action taken as a result of civilian sightings must not be disclosed to members of the Press who, if they make enquiries, should be referred to the Ministry of Defence.

3. A routine unclassified signal, or Fax (Ext Section 40) should be sent to Ministry of Defence, London (for the attention of MOD Sec(AS)2A). The format of the signal is as set out in the report above. The signal SIC is Z6F.

4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40

Example of a Completed Signal Behind This Page.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

AIS/PPS

A. 13/7/96 2300(L) for 2hrs.

B. Small round orbs 20/30 movements
1 Red ob travelling upward..
2 flashes similar to lightning

C. Redhill Area 8 Miles from KK
In Informants Garden.

D. Naked Eye / Binoculars

E. –

F. – 30,000FT +

G. –

H.

J. LONDON KK - REDHILL - LONDON KK

K. NONE

L. N/A

M. Section 40 [redacted]

N. 3 OTHERS SURREY

O.

P. 14/7/96 1125Z

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

MATS PART 1
8SD/1/11

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A Date, Time and Duration of Sighting - Local times to be quoted.
14/7/96 0010 APPROX 15 SECONDS

B Description of Object - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.
STAR.

C Exact Position of Observer - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
GREAT BARDFIELD, ESSEX - OUTDOORS - STATIONARY

D How Observed - Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
NAKED EYE.

E Direction in which Object was First Seen - A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
FROM NORTHEAST TO SOUTHEAST

F Angular Elevation of Object - Estimated heights are unreliable.
NOT KNOWN

G Distance of Object from Observer - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.

H Movements of Object - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
NE TO SE THEN CLIMBED SHARPLY

J Meteorological Conditions During Observations - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.
CLEAR SKY

K Nearby Objects - Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
WETHERSFIELD AIRFIELD 4 MILES N.E

L To Whom Reported - Police, military organisation, the press, etc.
MIDDENHALL ATC - STANSTED ATC

M Name and Address of Informant
Section 40 [redacted]

N Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered

O Other Witnesses
Section 40 [redacted]

P Date and Time of Receipt of Report
14/7/96 0930.

The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40 [redacted]

The completed form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 07/07/96 0030L

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size,
Shape, Half moon
Colours, Amber
Brightness,
Sound, N-L
Smell, N.L

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving, Driving car

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Naked Eye.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) N

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 1/4 mile

H. **Movement of Object.** dropping out of sky

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds.
Haze, Mist. N/K

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Residential area

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
South Wales Police 2-9-96

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Portugal

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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Rec By :PHONE Serial:427 Ident:C07 -SDF 0855 11/07/96 Page 1 of 2
Phone :
Location:Section 40
Origin :Section 40
Text :AT 0330HRS I WOKE UP. DUE TO A BRIGHT LIGHT IN THE SKY.
HUBBIE AND I WATCHED IT FOR SOME TIME. HUSBAND GOT BINOCULARS
AND CAN ONLY DESCRIBE IT AS THREE VERY BRIGHT LIGHTS - WAS
STATIC FOR 30MINS HOVERING ABOVE US.
WOULD LIKE UPDATING PLEASE
Title :3:UFO
Enc type:GENASSIS Grade:3 Occ Time:0855 Date:11/07/96 Ras:N3600H Sect:N32

INFO HIST AV:0 DT:0 Status:A0

Result : : :
DIC : : : : : : : :

Rec By :PHONE Serial:427 Ident:C07 -SDF 0855 11/07/96 Page 2 of 2
0858 SDF -C07 Incident confirmed
0859 SDF -C07 Incident passed to TO N /FOR U I THINK
0900 AJB -N05 HISTORY NOT RELEVANT
0900 AJB -N05 Incident acknowledged.
0906 AJB -N05 COPY FAXED TO AIB(M)

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7/1/96

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENQUIRY NUMBER 96/248

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 082330 L 5 - 10 MINS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number,
Size,
Shape, Flashing White lights
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** Perry Canman . Birmingham
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** Towards Birmingham Airport.
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** /

G. **Distance.** Too far to tell :
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Houses

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 [redacted] Perry Canman.
Birmingham

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.** Section 40 [redacted]

O. **Other Witnesses.** Husband + Son.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
9th July '96

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ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 26 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: 15 JULY. 0340 LOCAL. 30 MINUTES PLUS OBJECT STILL IN SKY.

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc): ONE SINGE BRIGHT LIGHT.

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): FROM METHAL OBJECT APPEARS OVER LEUCHARS.

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR): BINOCULARS AND NAKED E/E

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): AS FOR 3.

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable): 45°

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible): TO HARD TO TELL.

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): NONE.

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) GOOD VIS A LITTLE CLOUD.
(LEUCHARS WEATHER. 80KM NIL WOC 1/8 4000 FS 9.)

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

NONE

11. To Whom Reported: CPC Section 40

12. Name and Address for Informant:

Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted] RAF LEUCH Section 40 [redacted]

13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered:

14. Other Witnesses: WIFE

15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: 15 July 0340 Local

16. Is a Reply Requested: NO

Notes:

1. Members of the public who submit reports should be informed that their reports have been passed to the Ministry of Defence.

2. Sightings by Service personnel and action taken as a result of civilian sightings must not be disclosed to members of the Press who, if they make enquiries, should be referred to the Ministry of Defence.

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4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40

EXAMPLE OF A COMPLETED SIGHTING REPORT THIS ONE.

INCIO NO 0129 SOURCE TELEPHONE DATE 15-07-96 TIME 0639 Section 40
OCATION Section 40

ECTN B1 BEAT 09 SUB-DIV B1 MAP REF UHF 01/03
ESSAGE U.F.O. MY SON HAS JUST COME TO THE HOUSE AND SAYS HE SAW A UFO OVER THE CEMETARY AND HE FOLLOWED IT - HE SAYS IT HOVERED ABOVE SAYCES PIT
NFORMANT Section 40 , WIDNES

MI GRADE OF RESPONSE ROUTINE

0647 Section 40 WAS QUITE SCEPTICAL ABOUT THIS,HIS SON THEN Section 40
INSISTED THAT HE WENT TO THE AREA WITH HIM, HE HAS FOUND A NUMBER OF RAILWAY SLEEPERS WITH WHAT APPEARS TO BE A HOLE BURNT INTO THEM.
0647 PG21/P 7691 A 0647 Section 40 L 0732 Section 40 REDIRECTED Section 40
0729 THE MALE IN QUESTION IS Section 40 24YRS WHO SAYS THAT AT APPROX 2.30AM THIS MORNING HE WAS WALKING OVER THE NEW FOOT BRIDGE WHICH GOES OVER FROM AVONDALE DRIVE INTO UPTON. WHEN HE SAW A VERY BRIGHT YELLOW LIGHT HOVERING APPROX TWO HOUSES HIGH A SHORT DISTANCE AWAY FROM HIM. AS HE STARTED TO WALK AW AWAY FROM IT , IT BEGAN TO FOLLOW HIM AND HE STARTED TO RUN. HE LOOKED BACK AND SAW IT HOVERING OVER THE CEMENTARY AREA AND HEARD A HIGH PITCHED SOUND(LIKE CATS WAILING) AND SAW BEAMS OF LIGHT COME DOWN FROM IT STRIKING THE GROUND. AFTER ARRIVING HOME HE INFORMED HIS FATHER OF WHAT HE HAD

SEEN AND THEY BOTH WENT BACK TO THE AREA AND FOUND THE LOCATION WHERE (IAN) HAD SEEN THE LIGHT BEAMS HIT THE GROUND AND DISCOVERED 4 RAIL WAY SLEEPERS SMOULDERING WITH A LARGE HOLE APPROX 4" DIAMETER BURNT THROUGH ONE OF THE SLEEPERS.
0732 CALLSIGN PG21 REDIRECTED TO INCIDENT 0145 OF 15-07-96 Section 40
0734 PG21: I HAVE BEEN TO LOCATION WITH IAN AND THE SLEEPERS HAVE BEEN BURNT AND THERE IS A HOLE IN ONE OF SLEEPERS. THERE DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE ANY TRACE OF ANY ACCELERRANT. ONE OF THE SLEEPERS IS STILL SMOULDERING IT DOES LOOK RATHER ODD. IAN APPEARS TO BE A SENSIBLE SORT OF LAD AND GENUINE.
0750 THE AERONAUTICAL INFORMATION SERVICE TO BE INFORMED AT 9AM Section 40
TEL Section 40 .
0753 INSP
0821 Section 40 AWARE OF THE INCIDENT
0851 AIS REQUEST INCIDENT BE FAXED TO THEM Section 40

CONFIDENCE CONSTRAINED: WARNING THIS INFORMATION MAY BE SUBJECT TO DATA PROTECTION ACT 1984
WARNING THIS INFORMATION MAY BE SUBJECT TO DATA PROTECTION ACT 1984

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	4.7.96 11AM
2. Description of object (No. of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	LARGE SILVER DISC CHANGED COLOUR TO BLUE THEN DISAPPEARED.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	NR. ABRIDGE, ESSEX
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	"CIVIL AIRLINER HEIGHT"
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	MOD Section 40 [redacted]
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] ROMFORD, ESSEX.
13. Any further detail volunteered	—
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	
16. Remarks	

Classification: UNCLASS

Caveat: /

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Facsimile Transmission Cover Sheet

Serial Number: /	Transmission: Date: FRI 12 JULY 96 Time: 1110 hr
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Signature: /	Signature: Section 40

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Subject: CIVILIAN REPORT OF UNEXPLAINED LIGHTS

On 3 occasion during the past 4 months Section 40 and her husband observed unexplainable lights approx 30' above the ground creating an oval shape in the night sky.

details - Section 40

OSWESTRY
SHROPSHIRE

Section 40

tel: Section 40

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UFO FILE

LOOSE MINUTE

D/Sec(AS)/65/3

12 July 1996

DI55c

NICK POPE - RECENT MEDIA APPEARANCE AND STATEMENTS IN EXTRACTS FROM HIS BOOK

1. Thank you for your D/DI55/108/15 of 24 June concerning Nick Pope's continued activities in promoting his book, which you may have noted has featured in the Sunday Times bestseller list (albeit in the "general" section - "fiction" might have been a more appropriate categorisation). I fear that you are in danger of falling for Mr Pope's exaggerated description of his rôle whilst in Sec(AS)2a.

2. I can assure you that there has been no change whatsoever in our policy on UFO matters. We are not aware of any scientific investigations into UFO sightings, nor of any "threat to the Realm". If there were such investigations or evidence of a threat we would expect to hear of them from you rather than vice versa.

3. Turning to your concerns about disclosures about DI55, I explained in my minute of 1 May that to date Mr Pope had been very careful over this matter. I have no reason to believe that he has any intention on making such disclosures in future, but there is always a small risk that he might say something unwise in an unguarded moment.

4. The nearest he has possibly come to any disclosure in the material we have seen is the attached extract from "The X-Files Book of the Unexplained" by Jane Goldman, published by Simon & Schuster (Mr Pope's publisher). This "X-files" spinoff contains a chapter about Mr Pope entitled "The Real X-Files". In the sidelined paragraph from that chapter he refers to a "Deep Throat character" who we thought might be you - certainly Mr Pope gave us to understand, whilst he worked here, that he had found a kindred spirit in you. Alternatively, the reference could be to his father who was, at the time Mr Pope was in Sec(AS)2a, Deputy Chief Scientific Adviser.

5. Should you have any continuing concerns about Mr Pope's future activities they are best taken up with his current line management in GF Pol.

Section 40 [redacted]

Sec(AS)2
MB8247 Section 40 [redacted]

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thing on that level. But I would have thought that I'd have had the combination of clearance *and* need-to-know, given that I was doing the UFO job.'

Pope is aware that some of his allegations can sound suggestive. For instance, there were times when he was, he suspects, 'deliberately given other work just to take me off an investigation.' He asserts: 'I know some people say that's because they were covering something up. But honestly they did not know about flying saucers. If they were covering up anything it was their own ignorance and predjudice about the subject.'

However, Pope's experiences were not without a touch of *X-Files*-style intrigue. He reluctantly confesses: 'I don't really want to get into this, but I had a sort of Deep Throat. Not neccesarily someone directly involved, but yeah, I had a Deep Throat character. A sympathiser who I would sometimes consult, who would offer an opinion. Someone in a senior position? I don't think I can really get into that, but I think you could say: well-placed to discuss one or two of the more interesting options.'

After the military style, the M.o.D. regularly appoints its employees to new tours of duty, and in the summer of 1994, Pope was promoted to a position in a financial department. 'An awful lot of people were glad to see the back of me, I can tell you,' he laughs. 'I had mixed feelings. Everyone loves promotions, of course, but there was no way I was ever going to come across a job that was as interesting as investigating UFOs for the Government again. I was very sad to leave.'

** TOTAL PAGE.001 **

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

MATS PART 1
8SD/1/11

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting** - Local times to be quoted.
15th July 1996 2245 – several minutes.

B **Description of Object** - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.
Light object when faded they became very bright

C **Exact Position of Observer** - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
Changed out of

D **How Observed** - Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
Naked Eye

E **Direction in which Object was First Seen** - A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
S.E. Heading – observed map compass.

F **Angular Elevation of Object** - Estimated heights are unreliable.
Unknown

G **Distance of Object from Observer** - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
Unknown

H **Movements of Object** - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
Moving slowly then var. fast

J **Meteorological Conditions During Observations** - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.

K **Nearby Objects** - Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
None observed

L **To Whom Reported** - Police, military organisation, the press, etc.
ATC Scrambled

M **Name and Address of Informant**
—

N **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**
—

O **Other Witnesses**
Another group of people with them

P **Date and Time of Receipt of Report**
15th July 1996 1955

The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40

The completed form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 17.07.96. - 1558 hrs - 2-3 secs

B. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size,
Shape, ROUND. - NEBULAR GOING AROUND IT.
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Speed, RUMBLING.
Sound, No

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, FELIXSTOWE AREA TO SOUTH WEST
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, ~~MOVING~~ STANDING

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. (A Landmark may be useful) DISS AREA.

F. Angle of Sight. 90° TO VERTICAL THEN CURVE

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 10,000 - 15000 ft

H. Movement of Object. MOVING HORIZONTALLY

I. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, VERY CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

J. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. NO

K. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. POLICE

L. Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 Section 40, LOWESTOFT HARBOUR

M. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
EX-RAF.

N. Other Witnesses.

O. Date & Time of Receipt of Report. 16.4. - 17.07.96

Section 40

NORFOLK POLICE CENTRAL CONTROL ROOM NORWICH NORFOLK

Section 40

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 17 July 96 2200L-2300L

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size,
Shape, CIRCULAR
Colours, WHITE/RED
Brightness, BRIGHT
Sound, SILENT
Smell, NO

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** IN GARDEN
Geographical Location, MANCHESTER
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.
NAKED

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
SOUTH WEST

F. **Angle of Sight.**
ABOVE HORIZ

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
UNKNOWN

H. **Movement of Object.**
SLOWLY LEFT TO RIGHT

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.
CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
NIL

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
DSO

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
NIL

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Section 40 [redacted]

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT.

AIS/PP5

A. 7/7/96. 1100 L 45 Seconds.

B. Metallic 3-4ft across.
Shape unknown - Seen Sunlight reflecting from it.

C. Town N. Wales
Built up area - Industrial Shops.

D. Naked eye

E. from hill to Town SW/to NE following coast.
following a/c.

F. 2000' ft c 500 ft to the right of ac slightly below a/c

G. 1/2 mile approx.

H. following light a/c along coast.

J. Clear day no cloud..

K. None.

L. None.

M. Section 40 [redacted], Hollywell Section 40 [redacted]

N.

O. None

P. 17.7.96 14.50 Z

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	1050 16/7/96
B	Description of Object	2 X OBJECTS WITH THICK DARKER TRAILS ENTERED SMALL CLOUD + DISAPPEARED
C	Exact Position of Observer	STEWARTON
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	SE
F	Angular Elevation of Object	N/A
G	Distance of Object from Observer	VERY HIGH
H	Movements of Object	WAVY MOTION
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	HIGH CIRRUS MAINLY BLUE SKY
K	Nearby Objects	NIL
L	To Whom Reported	RAF LEUCHARS WATCH SUP. SCOACC
M	Name and Address of Informant	NOT GIVEN
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NIL
O	Other Witnesses	NONE
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	16/7/96 1105

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	1050 16/7/96
B	Description of Object	2 X OBJECTS WITH THICK DARKER TRAILS ENTERED SMALL CLOUD + DISAPPEARED
C	Exact Position of Observer	STEWARTON
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	SE
F	Angular Elevation of Object	N/A
G	Distance of Object from Observer	VERY HIGH
H	Movements of Object	WAVY MOTION
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	HIGH CIRRUS MAINLY BLUE SKY
K	Nearby Objects	NIL
L	To Whom Reported	AIRWAYS WATCH SUP. SCOACC
M	Name and Address of Informant	NOT GIVEN
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NIL
O	Other Witnesses	NONE
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	16/7/96 1105

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 17th July EARLY MORN

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, UK
Shape, ROUND
Colours, RED GREEN ORANGE + WHITE
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, DOLWYDDELEN
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) DUE SOUTH

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 100 MILES HIGH ??

H. **Movement of Object.**

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. NORTH WALES POLICE
INCIDENT Nº 24/17

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 16 JULY 0130 8 SEC

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, N.K.
Shape, FLAT DIAMOND
Colours, ORANGE
Brightness, DULL
Sound, HIGH PITCH SOUND LIKE HEARING AID
Smell, NONE

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
~~Indoors~~, Outdoors,
Stationary, ~~Moving.~~

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera~~.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) WEST → N

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NK

H. **Movement of Object.** [redacted]

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** HOUSE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, ~~[redacted] Report~~
JUST PASSED PHONE NUMBER OF AIS

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted] WEYBRIDGE, SURRY

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NONE

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 17 Jul 1600 - 1640.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1 - + 1 or 2 rectangular, coffin shaped.
Size, Could not judge.
Shape,
Colours, — WHITE - METALLIC -
Brightness, — VERY BRIGHT
Sound, — NO. NOISE
Smell, — NO SMELL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, ORMOOR, SKELMERSDALE
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY.

D. **How Object was Observed.** NAKED EYE.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** East to NORTH, then NE to SW,
(A Landmark may be useful) e joined by 2 rectangular shapes (buzzed)
hovered overhead and to north.

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** SLOW THEN FAST, gained height fast.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.** SKY CLEAR
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Schools, BUILDINGS

L. **To Whom Reported.** POLICE / LIVERPOOL - ATC
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted] . SKELMERSDALE

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
VOLUNTEER WORKER. MUSICIAN, ARTIST. MOTHER.

O. **Other Witnesses.** 4 OTHER WITNESSES.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	13.7.96 12.02 AM
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	ONE WHITE LIGHT WHICH FLASHED EVERY 15 SECONDS. THEN TRIANGLE SHAPE WITH ORANGE LIT UP AT BACK
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	OVER HARECLIFFE, BRISTOL. FROM WEST TO EAST
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	35,000 ft.
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	MOVED FROM SCOTES TO PLOUGH IN 2 SECONDS.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	CLOUD AROUND BUT CLEAR PATCH WHERE "UFO" WAS SEEN.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	BRISTOL ATC } NO AIRCRAFT HEATHROW ATC } AT THE TIME
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] BRISTOL Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	USED TO WORK WITH PLANES.
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	15.7.96. 3pm
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

** TOTAL PAGE.001 **

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

MATS PART 1
8SD/1/11

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting** - Local times to be quoted.
12th July 1996 2245 – SEVERAL MINUTES.

B **Description of Object** - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.
LIGHT OBJECT WHEN FADED THEN BECAME VERY BRIGHT

C **Exact Position of Observer** - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
OBSERVED OUTSIDE

D **How Observed** - Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
NAKED EYE

E **Direction in which Object was First Seen** - A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
S.E. HEADING – OBSERVER HAD COMPASS

F **Angular Elevation of Object** - Estimated heights are unreliable.
UNKNOWN

G **Distance of Object from Observer** - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
UNKNOWN

H **Movements of Object** - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
MOVING SLOWLY THEN VAR EAST

J **Meteorological Conditions During Observations** - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.

K **Nearby Objects** - Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
NONE OBSERVED

L **To Whom Reported** - Police, military organisation, the press, etc.
ATC SCRAMBLED

M **Name and Address of Informant**
—

N **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**
—

O **Other Witnesses**
ANOTHER GROUP OF PEOPLE WITH THEM

P **Date and Time of Receipt of Report**
15th July 1996 1855

The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40

The completed form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
17/7/96 1626 HRS 30-40 SEC

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 3
Size, —
Shape, Circles, 1 on top, 2 on bottom
Colours, White, grey shade on left
Brightness, Shiny
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, (Outdoors,) In car travelling from Pystone to Plymouth
Stationary, (Moving.)

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye,) Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
Over Dartmoor

F. **Angle of Sight.**
Very high, an a/c approached to land at Plymouth Airport

G. **Distance.** and the object was a lot higher.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
5 miles from Plymouth

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary
Just opposed, travelled further along road and it was still there,

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.** then looked again and it was gone.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear Sunny day but hazy over the moors

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
NONE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Plymouth Airport

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted], PLYMOUTH, DEVON.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
—

O. **Other Witnesses.**
- Brother in law

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
17/7/96 1626 Hrs

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	24/7/96 1500hrs 2 SECONDS
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	BLUE/BLACK OBJECT STREAKED ACROSS THE SKY, WITH WINGS.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	AT HOME
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	EASTLEIGH/SOUTHAMPTON AREA.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	2000ft HIGH
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR DAY
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] EASTLEIGH HAMPSHIRE. Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	30/7/96 4pm
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

DATE :- WEDS 24TH JULY 1996

TIME :- 10:30hrs.

PLACE :- PITNEY SOMERSET (Nr LANGPORT)

TYPE :- UNIFORM SMALL OBJECT WITH WHITE FLASHING LIGHT

ACTION :- THE U.F.O. WAS FLYING DUE SOUTH AT GREAT SPEED AND TOOK ABOUT 4 SECONDS BEFORE GOING OUT OF SIGHT.

INFORMANT :- Section 40 [redacted]

RECEIVING OFFICER :- CONSTABLE Section 40 [redacted]

RNAS YEOVILTON

ILCHESTER

SOMERSET

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, time and duration of sighting.

31 JULY '96 - 2335 hrs - 15 seconds.

2. Description of object.

2 ORANGE LIGHTS MAKING PATTERNS IN SKY

3. Exact position observed.

OVER HOUSE MOVING NORTH.

4. How observed.

STOOD IN BACK GARDEN.

5. Direction in which object was first seen.

NORTH.

6. Angle of sight.

7. Distance.

NOT KNOWN

8. Movements.

9. Meteorological conditions during observations.

WARM & MUGGY.

10. Nearby objects.

11. To whom reported.

SGT Section 40
RAF ODIHAM

12. Name, address and telephone number of informant.

Section 40

13. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.

14. Other witnesses.

HE SAID 5 OTHER PEOPLE SAW THEM.

15. a. Individual receiving the report.

Name: Section 40 [redacted]

Rank: SGT

b. Date/Time of receipt.

1ST AUG '96 1400HRS.

16. Remarks.

DOC's Actions:

1. The Duty Operations controller is to carry out the following:

a. Forward the completed proforma to:

Sec(AS)2A Room 8245
MOD Main Building
London

Tel: Section 40 [redacted]

Fax: [redacted]

b. In the event that the report sounds urgent you should contact the Duty Officer at Air Force Ops (Section 40 [redacted]) for assistance.

WORD PERFECT DISK: PROFORMA.UFO

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.

Date. 25th June 1996

Time. 0200 (L)

Duration. 41 minutes.

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B. Description of Object.

Number. 1

Size. Very Large.

Shape. Not clear due to brightness, suspects inverted triangle.

Colours. White

Brightness. Very bright.

Sound. No

Smell. No

C. Exact Position of Observer.

Geographical Location. Inverness Police Station.

Indoors, Outdoors. Indoors

Stationary, Moving. Moving at first, then after sighting stationary.

D. How Object was Observed.

Naked Eye. ✓

Binoculars.

Still or Video Camera, Video camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. North of Inverness then
(A landmark may be useful) E. NE over Moray Firth.

F. Angle if Sight. 30°

Get Video

Awaiting reply

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known landmark if possible)

Approx 100 miles.

H. Movement of Object. Object was pulsing slightly when steadied moving E to E.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.

Moving Clouds. Scattered moving clouds. Object initially penetrated sky's light through clouds, then it disappeared at 0242(L).

Haze.

Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. Nil.

L. To Whom Reported.

Police. Sgt [redacted] Inverness Police.

Press.

Military Organisation.

Airport.

M. Name and Address of Informant.

Name. As above.

Address.

N. Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses.

Name. P.C.'s [redacted]

Address. Inverness Police.

P. Date and Time of Receipt of report.

Date. 25 June 1966.

Time. 0432 (L)

Section 40

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

Report of UFO.

A: 03 08 1015 LCL

B: TWO SILVER OBJECTS WITH POINTED FRONTALS. NO SOUND, SMELL. SMALL SIZE.

C: MORDEN LONDON.

D: FROM GROUND, NAKED EYE.

E: FROM MORDEN LOOKING TOWARDS THE NW

F: STATED AS BEING VERY HIGH (JET A/C HEIGHT)

G UNKNOWN.

H. SLOW SPEED MOVING CLOSELY TOGETHER.

J CLEAR SKY.

K UNKNOWN.

L. CAA ONLY.

M UNKNOWN.

N –

O –

P 03 08 1020.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

HEADQUARTERS PROVOST & SECURITY SERVICES (UNITED KINGDOM)

DAILY OCCURRENCE LOG

DOB Serial No:..... 701.96
Date of DOB Entry:.....31 Jul 96
Time of DOB Entry:.....20:07
P&SS Region of responsibility:...UK

Ignored

REPORT MADE BY

Rank.....Mr
Name.....Section 40
Trade/Duty.....
Unit.....Civilian
Telephone Number.....
Extension.....

DETAILS OF OCCURRENCE

TITLE UFO SIGHTING OVER MILK HILL

1. Section 40 left a message on the answer machine to the effect that there had been UFO activity over Milk Hill this evening. It appears that the object was close to landing then took off in the diection of Alton Barn. He stated that all this was recorded on camera. He also wanted to know how long we were to keep this ' TOP SECRET CRAP UP'.
2. Section 40 stated that he would phone back later with an update.

ACTION TAKEN

1. Info.

DOB Entry made by: Cpl Section 40

H.Q.P. & S.S. (U.K.)
1 Ave 1996
FLYING COMPLAINTS
FLIGHT

RESTRICTED - STAFF

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
SEC (AS) 2
- 5 AUG 1996

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. Date, time and duration of sightings. (Local times to be quoted).

20 2315 July 1996

B. Description of object. (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc).

Single Object

C. Exact position observer. (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving).

In back garden

D. How observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).

Naked Eye

E. Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).

N/E of Neston (N' Cowham, Chippenham

F. Angle of sight. (Estimated heights are unreliable).

?

G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).

?

H. Movements. (Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).

J. Meteorological conditions during observations. (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc).

Clear & Warm

Very bright light moving extremely slowly visible for nearly 3 minutes.

K. Nearby Objects. (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake, swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; windmills; generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting).

L. To whom reported. (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

Duty Ops Controller
RAF Lyneham

M. Name and address of informant.

Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.

Chippenham Wilts

N/A

O. Other witnesses.

N/A

P. Date and time of receipt of report.

1300(L) 21 July 1996

Section 40 [redacted]

STATION OPERATIONS

Operations Wing
ROYAL AIR FORCE
Lyneham
Chippenham
Wiltshire SN15 4PZ
England

Telephone: Section 40 [redacted]

FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION COVER SHEET

TO: Sec As 2A

FROM: FS Section 40 [redacted] Lyneham Ops

MESSAGE:

Sorry you didn't get this yesterday but I was off duty –

Thanks

Section 40 [redacted]

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

29/7/96
Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
2130 – 30 mins.

Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, Size of old sixpence. Presumed v. large as object @ distance.
Shape,
Colours, 1 x white light (central) 3 to one side.
Brightness, V. Bright.
Sound, —
Smell, —

Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, Beechamwood SP Shafton
Indoors, Outdoors, (garden)
Stationary, Moving,

How Object was Observed, telescopes x 2.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

Direction in which Object was first seen. South of Beechamwood
(A Landmark may be useful) (moving Nearly west)

Angle of Sight.
30° – 40° from horizon.
Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
None.
Movement of Object.

Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, Still, high clouds (cirrus)
Haze, Mist.

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.

To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. Heathrow.

Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40
[redacted]

Any Background of the Informant that may be Accompanied.
Birdwatchers. Security officer ex-policeman (3/4 years).

Other Witnesses.
Observer + family (4 x Adults).

Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

** TOTAL PAGE.003 **

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
22/7/96 2100. → 2140. (40 mins)

Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, not known. but deemed Large.
Shape, Bird like similar to Ac.
Colours, BLACK (Lights / not moving).
Brightness, —
Sound, —
Smell, —

Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, Stanmore, Middx.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) West & pole. No Obvious Landmark.

Angle of Sight.
45°

Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) ?
Not known 5-10 mls.

Movement of Object.
Hovering / turning / descending.

Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, Some clouds
~~Haze, Mist~~

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.
None.

To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

Name and Address of Informant
Section 40
[redacted]

Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
Retired Policeman.

Other Witnesses.
Wife & passers by (many).

Date & Time of Receipt of Report. Duplicate Lights observed during

RINT INCIDENT FACILITY

ER.NO.1208HA6V REC TEL BY Section 40 T 2203 22/07/96 (MISCELLANEOUS)
111 MAP 111A1 GRID 025301 - — LOG SENT FROM E01V TO H26V AT 2310
ESSAGE-UFO SIGHTING - ROUND WITH BLUE,RED,WHITE AND GREEN LIGHTS.THEY WERE
LASHING.
OCATION-01482 657417,SQUARE,CARR LANE,WILLERBY,HULL,HU10

NFORMANT-Section 40
EMARKS-CALLER RANG FROM KIOSK.
CTION
208 BY 9449 HA6V-INCIDENT ALLOCATED AS URGENT
209 BY 9449 HA6V-
222 BY 34 E01V-INSP Section 40 FOR YOUR INFO
INCIDENT REALLOCATED TO H26V
322 BY 8839 H24V-LOG FAX TO MINISTRY OF DEFENCE FOR THEIR INFO
323 BY 8839 H24V-@@

ND OF PRINT INCIDENT

PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION

MP:	MARTIN REDMOND (LABOUR) DON VALLEY
PQ REFERENCE:	1989H, 1994H
PQ TYPE:	ORDINARY WRITTEN
DRAFT ANSWER REQUIRED BY:	12:00 TUESDAY 23 JULY 1996

QUESTION: [1989H] To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make a statement on the unidentified flying object sighting reported to his Department by the meteorological officer at RAF Shawbury in the early hours of 31st March 1993.

QUESTION: [1994H] To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is his Department's assessment of the incident that occurred on 5th November 1990 when a patrol of RAF Tornado aircraft flying over the North Sea were overtaken at high speed by an unidentified craft; and if he will make a statement.

DRAFT ANSWER:

Reports of sightings on these dates are recorded on file and were examined by staff responsible for air defence matters. No firm conclusions were drawn about the nature of the phenomena reported but the events were not judged to be of defence significance.

APPROVED BY:

Head of Sec(AS) **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 23.7.96

Sec(AS)2ab **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 23.7.96

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BACKGROUND PQs 1989H, 1994H

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2. The sighting on 31 March 1993 was one of a number reported from the West Country and South Wales that day. These were examined in the usual manner and included a check with the US authorites about Stealth aircraft activities, which revealed nothing. The report by Tornado aircrew on 5 November 1990 suggested that they may have seen a Stealth aircraft, but there is no evidence on the file of any follow-up action. The report would have been shown to air defence experts, if the normal procedures were followed, and it may therefore be assumed that nothing of defence significance was inferred from the report.

PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION

MP:	MARTIN REDMOND (LABOUR) DON VALLEY
PQ REFERENCE:	1987H
PQ TYPE:	ORDINARY WRITTEN
DRAFT ANSWER REQUIRED BY:	12:00 TUESDAY 23 JULY 1996

QUESTION: To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment his Department made of the photograph of an unidentified craft at Calvine on 4th August 1990; who removed it from an office in Secretariat(Air Staff)2a; for what reasons; and if he will make a statement.

DRAFT ANSWER: A number of negatives associated with the sighting were examined by staff responsible for air defence matters. Since it was judged they contained nothing of defence significance the negatives were not retained and we have no record of any photographs having been taken from them.

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2. Details of the sighting and the associated photograph were examined by officials, including photographic experts, and revealed no evidence to indicate anything of defence significance.

REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

14th July 1996. 2230 - 2300 visible for ½ hr. min.

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

No discernable outline. Objects appear to be a formation of lights, one large, others small, all very bright . ● ..

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

From viewers home in Birkdale, Southport, object(s) appeared to be 5 miles SW, approx 2 miles south of Woodvale. Viewers were outdoors.

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

With naked eye, through 'high powered' binoculars and with video camera. Photographs taken.

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

Reported as South West of observers position.

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) Estimated at 10,000'

From description, 'low in sky, not much higher than rooftops' I would estimate between 15°–25°

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

Reported as approx. 5 miles but no apparent landmark to use as a datum.

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

Mainly stationary but occasional movement left and right in relation to observers position.

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

Sky mostly clear, a little wispy cloud, no moon visible, stars visible but faint in comparison to object(s).

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

Viewers unable to relate sightings to nearby objects due to angle of sight and apparent distance from viewpoint.

l. Name and Address ofInformant Section 40 [redacted]

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

Nothing specific volunteered.

n. Other Witnesses

A total of five people were reported as having witnessed the occurence.

o. Date and Time of Receipt

14th July 1996 time 2255(L)

The first witness was a Section 40 [redacted]. He reported he could make out no outline but Section 40 [redacted] described the sighting as having a shape like of fighter aircraft. When asked to describe the shape in more detail she referred to it as 'triangular'. The object(s) remained stationary for most of the sighting during which time no sound was heard. When it did move a little it remained silent. Both witnesses I spoke to were intelligent, sober and articulate.

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), Latcc on ext. Section 40 [redacted] and

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)

RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 16 0136 JUL 5MIN – 10MINS

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size, SIZE OF A PENNY PIECE FROM WHERE HE WAS STANDING
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE LIGHT WITH RED + GREN LIGHTS ON ONE SIDE
Brightness, V BRIGHT BLINDING WHITE WITH RAYS FROM TOP + BOTTOM
Sound, NONE
Smell, NONE

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS OUT OF BEDROOM WINDOW
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, [redacted].

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. Angle of Sight.
45°

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) LITCHFIELD

H. Movement of Object.
NE

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
NONE

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted] BURNTWOOD
STAFFS Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses.
WIFE

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 31 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: 2150 FOR 5 MINS

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc): WHITE FLARE TAIL

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): OBSERVED FROM INDOORS.

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR): NAKED EYE THEN BINOCULARS

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): TRAVELLING WEST TO EAST DISAPEARED IN CLOUD OVER THE LOMOND HILLS

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable): LOOKING STRAIGHT AT THE OBJECT.

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible): APPROXIMATELY 1½ MILES AWAY

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): STRAIGHT AND SMOOTH IN AN ARC & SLOW SPEED.

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) VERY CLEAR BUT CLOUDY TO THE EAST.

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

NIL IN THE SKY QUITE HIGH.

11. To Whom Reported: CPL Section 40

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40

Section 40

CPAR Section 40

13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered:

14. Other Witnesses: SEVERAL WITNESSES

15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: 17/7/96. 2230.

16. Is a Reply Requested: YES

Notes:

1. Members of the public who submit reports should be informed that their reports have been passed to the Ministry of Defence.

2. Sightings by Service personnel and action taken as a result of civilian sightings must not be disclosed to members of the Press who, if they make enquiries, should be referred to the Ministry of Defence.

3. A routine unclassified signal, or Fax (Section 40) should be sent to Ministry of Defence, London (for the attention of MOD Sec(AS)2A). The format of the signal is as set out in the report above. The signal SIC is Z6P.

4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40

EXAMPLE OF A COMPLETED SIGHTING REPORT THIS CASE.

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

96/223

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	28 JULY 96 10pm
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	LARGE, DARK CIRCLE WITH OUTER RIM. OUTER RIM WAS DULLER + WAS PULSATING. NO NOISE
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	SITTING ON PATIO.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	VERY HIGH
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] NORTHWOOD MIDDLESEX. REFUSED TO GIVE NAME OR FULL ADDRESS. (FEMALE)
13. Any further detail volunteered	SAID SHE WAS A NON-BELIEVER OF "UFOs"
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	16:30 29/7/96.
16. Remarks	THE LAST THING SHE SAID WAS THAT OTHER PEOPLE FROM THE NORTWOOD AREA ??

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

Ignored as no proper date-time

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	The summer of 1973 or 1974 Evening.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Large, black mass that glided over her head. Slow, no lights, no noise.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	on her patio having a smoke. South Shields, Co. Durham
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Quite low
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	No-one until now, as a result of the Time Out article.
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	says she is a sceptic + doesn't seek publicity.
14. Other witnesses	None.
15. Date and time of receipt	30/7/96 10AM.
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

** TOTAL PAGE.002 **

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
28/07/96 ~~1600~~ 1030 hrs 1hr-2hrs

B. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, VERY LARGE
Shape, OVAL
Colours, YELLOW-GLOWING
Brightness, VERY
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, NEWTON PRESTON
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) TOWARDS WARTON

F. Angle of Sight. 30°

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N K

H. Movement of Object. ERATIC

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. —

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. LL D+D

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40
[redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

NIL

O. Other Witnesses.
Section 40
[redacted]

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	28 JULY 96 11:35pm 15minutes
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Doily shaped object hovered for 15 mins.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] Northwood Middlesex
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	Daughter
15. Date and time of receipt	29/7/96 16:45.
16. Remarks	

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** ~~[illegible]~~ 22 0100 6-7MINS JUL

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, THREE
Size, TWO 80FT ACROSS ONE 60FT ACROSS
Shape, △ ALL THREE
Colours, BLACK
Brightness, DULL MATT
Sound, NONE
Smell,

96/220

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) NEAR TILBURY DOCK TOWARDS THE EAST

F. **Angle of Sight.**
10° ABOVE HORIZON

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
1 MILE - 1½ MILE

H. **Movement of Object.**
V SLOW SPINNING IN FORMATION

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
NONE

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted] ESSEX Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NONE

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

7

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	6/6/96 1:30 – 3:00 AM
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	OCTAGON, KITE SHAPE, WHITE + LARGE. LOTS OF LIGHTS. QUITE LOW HUMMING NOISE.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	IN BEDROOM
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	OVER BARNSBY WOOD, ISLINGTON.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	VERY CLEAR
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	BUILT UP AREA

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] ISLINGTON, LONDON. Section 40 [redacted].
13. Any further detail volunteered	PHONED MOD BECAUSE SHE READ "TIME OUT" ARTICLE + HER FRIEND KNOWS TIM GOOD.
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	30/7/96 8:30p.m
16. Remarks	COULD HAVE BEEN AN AIRSHIP.

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FEED DIRECTION

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CAB062 29/1514 211C1237

FOR CAB

PRIORITY 291415Z JUL 96

FROM RAF WADDINGTON
TO HQSTC
MODUK AIR

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SIC IBF/IBJ/JDA
MODUK AIR FOR AFDO. HQSTC FOR UKROAC. WG CDR GE AND SEC(AS)2A1.
SUBJECT REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED LOW FLYING OBJECT
A. 212250 JUL 96
B. LARGE SATELLITE DISC SHAPE
C. SITTING IN BACK GARDEN
D. NAKED EYE
E. EAST-WEST
F. 50 DEGREES
G. NOT KNOWN
H. MOVING SLOWLY BLOTTING OUT SEVERAL LARGE STARS, THEN SPEEDING UP UNTIL OUT OF SIGHT
I. CLEAR SKY
J. NOT KNOWN

PAGE 2 RBDAIX 0015 R E S T R I C T E D
K. STATION OPERATIONS RAF WADDINGTON
L. Section 40 [redacted], LINCOLN. Section 40
M. NOT KNOWN
N. NOT KNOWN
O. 291230(L) JUL 96
P. NIL
Q. NIL
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CXL 1 DD EW&R ACTION (CXV 1 AFDO)

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
24 JUL 96 2330-2359 (30 MINS) 25 JUL 96 0415

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, TWO
Size, LARGE
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE LIGHTS
Brightness, V. BRIGHT (looked like metallic object behind)
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
WEYBRIDGE

F. **Angle of Sight.**
V. HIGH

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
3 miles approx, overhead Shepperton.

H. **Movement of Object.**
V SLOWLY, HOVERING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
ALDELSTON.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
WEYBRIDGE, SURREY. Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
—

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 24 July 96 1045 - 15 mins

B. Description of Object
Number, ONE
Size, SMALLER THAN AVERAGE AEROPLANE. TRIANGULAR.
Shape, ROUND SET OF HEADLIGHTS (WHITE) THEN THEY DISAPPEARED THEN
Colours, ULTRA VIOLET LIGHT (BLUE) ON PERIMETER
Brightness, BRIGHT
Sound, NO SOUND
Smell, NIL

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, BOARSHEAD MILTON KEYNES
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY.

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) TRAVELLING NORTH THEN NORTH WEST.

F. Angle of Sight. ?

G. Distance. VERY LOW.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) ?

H. Movement of Object. TRAVELLING NORTH

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, CLEAR.
Haze, Mist

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. RAF (DIS)

M. Name and Address of Informant
Section 40
[redacted]
MILTON KEYNES

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses.
SON.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 24 July 2240 40+ mins.

3. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size,
Shape,
Colours, Red Blue & Green.
Brightness, 1 BRIGHT LIGHT
Sound,
Smell,

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C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, HOLCOMBE (GTR MANCH)
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) LEFT of HOLCOMBE HILL

F. Angle of Sight. 40°

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 5 MILES

H. Movement of Object. STATIONARY WITH SLIGHT DRIFTDOWN MOVEMENT. HOVERING.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. NIL

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. MANCHESTER

M. Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted], BURY, LANCS.

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
COMPANY DIRECTOR

O. Other Witnesses.
WIFE, BROTHER & FIANCE

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**

25 JUL 96 0430 (L) 1 hr approx.

B. **Description of Object.**

Number,
Size, ONE
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE LIGHT
Brightness, V. BRIGHT
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**

Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving.

D. **How Object was Observed.**

Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. (* Photos available if req*)

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**

(A Landmark may be useful)

MOVED IN FROM THE EAST — OVER FALMER.

F. **Angle of Sight.**

V. HIGH (PLANES FROM GATWICK OUTBOUND WERE WAY BELOW IT)

G. **Distance.** APPROX 10,000 FT.

(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

2 MILES.

H. **Movement of Object.**

HOVERING, MOVING UPWARDS AND TURNING, HEADED OFF SOUTH

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

NONE

L. **To Whom Reported.**

Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

LEWIS POLICE

M. **Name and Address of informant.**

Section 40 [redacted]

FALMER. Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

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O. **Other Witnesses.**

NIFE

P. **Data & Time of Receipt of Report.**

25/7/96 Jul '96

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	22/7/96 3:10 - 3:20 PM
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	SAW OBJECT HOVERING AROUND THE NOSE OF AN AEROPLANE. OBJECT WAS BIGGER THAN A BALLOON.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	DRIVING IN TWICKENHAM
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	ABOVE TWICKENHAM
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	ROTATED AROUND NOSE OF CIVIL AIRLINER.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR.
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	BUILT UP AREA.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	BUFORA
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] TEDDINGTON SURREY Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	MARRIED WITH A TWO YEAR OLD CHILD.
14. Other witnesses	—
15. Date and time of receipt	24/7/96 1600hrs
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	24/7/96 2.50 am
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	A streak of light that went across the sky then stopped for 15 - 20 mins before moving off again
3. (Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Indoors
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked Eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. (Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (BY reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	See 2
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Low cloud
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Police, who gave him MOD's number
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] Tayside Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	Lives near RAF Leuchars.
14. Other witnesses	NONE
15. Date and time of receipt	24/7/96 14.30
16. Remarks	Reply requested.

FROM [redacted] DRAYTON

BOHNOR POLICE Section 40 [redacted]

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING O[redacted]

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A. 2150

B. OVAL SHAPE SIZE OF STREET LIGHTS BRIGHT YELLOW IN COLOUR NO SOUND & NO ODOUR LEFT VAPOUR TRAIL

C. PARKLANDS ANE BOHNOR SW TOWARDS SELSEY BILL OVER HEAD

D. NAKED EYE

E. 2[redacted] FT ABOVE TREE

F. 45°

G. 200 ft

H. S. WESTERLY

J. CLEAR NIGHT

K. TREE

L. BOHNOR POLICE

M. Section 40 [redacted]

BOHNOR Section 40 [redacted]

N.

O. NONE

P. 16/7/96 (2215 LOCAL)

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 22 2110 Z JUL 96 — 2 MINS

B. **Description of Object.** △ EQUALATERAL TRIANGLE
Number, 1
Size, BIG.
Shape, △
Colours, NON DISCRIPT GREY. UNDERSIDE
Brightness, LIGHT - BRIGHT (1 IN EACH CORNER)
Sound, POSSIBLE ENGINE NOISE (CLOSE TO HUM ALMOST)
Smell, NO.

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, CHRISTCHURCH HAMPSHIRE.
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS IN GARDEN
Stationary, Moving, CONSTANT MOVEMENT

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) WEST TO EAST.

F. **Angle of Sight.** FLEW OVERHEAD VIEWED FROM UNDERNEATH.

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K.

H. **Movement of Object.** STEADY

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, STORMY CLOUDS
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** RESIDENTIAL AREA

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. NO.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
CHRISTCHURCH
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
DAUGHTER SAW A CIGAR SHAPE DISAPPEAR INTO THE CLOUD AND WHILST WAITING FOR IT TO REAPPEAR THIS OTHER ONE APPEARED

O. **Other Witnesses.**
DAUGHTER AND WIFE

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.** 23 1610 Z JUL 96

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FROM RAF WETHERING
TO RUBUK AIR

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FOR ATIN OF SECRETARIAT(AIRSTAFF)CA. REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT
A. DATE 4 JUL Y6, Ø3ØØ, DURATION Ø5 MINUTES
B. ONE LARGE UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT, ORANGE IN COLOUR, ESPECIALLY BRIGHT WITH A CHANDELIER EFFECT, MADE A JUST AUDIBLE SOUND SIMILAR TO OLD PUMPERS
C. OBSERVER WAS INDOORS AT HOME IN STAMFORD LINCOLNSHIRE FACING EAST
D. OBSERVED WITH NAKED EYE
E. DUE EAST
F. UNABLE EST ANGLE BUT ESTIMATED HEIGHT AT 1ØØ± FT AGL
G. APPROX HALF A MILE FROM OBSERVER
H. AT FIRST HOVERED, THEN MOVED AWAY SOUTH TO NORTH IN A STEADY MOVEMENT, NO LIGHT SEEN

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J. CLEAR NIGHT, WAS ABLE TO SEE STARS, NO CLOUD
K. NO NEARBY OBJECTS
L. REPORTED TO OPS A BYKNE STATION OPERATIONS, RAF WETHERING
M. Section 40 [redacted], STAMFORD INCOLNSHIRE
Section 40
N. NO BACKGROUND INFO
O. NO OTHER WITNESSES
P. RECEIVED AT 1157 4 JUL Y6
Q. FURTHER INFORMATION - OBS REPORTED BROKEN OPAQUE STRATOCUMULUS CLOUD AS ONE OCTA AT FIVE THOUSAND FEET AND VISIBILITY OF TWENTY KILOMETRES AT Ø3ØØ. THEY ALSO REPORTED A MULTIPLE SEVEN ONE HOUR BEFORE
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
02 Jul 96 Roughly between 0130 - 0215, 1 Minute

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, One
Size, Small
Shape, Roundish
Colours, Orange, reflecting light.
Brightness, Bright
Sound, } Nil.
Smell, }

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
Approximately overhead the Queens Stand on Epsom Downs.

F. **Angle of Sight.**
N/K

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
N/K.

H. **Movement of Object.**
Stationary at first, then moved upwards.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Early morning light breaking through, a few clouds.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
Residential Area.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Police (Kingston)

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]
Chessington, Surrey

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

1

7.96 00.15 LOCAL 10 MINS

LARGE CIRCULAR OBJECT, LIGHT EMINATING FROM THE CENTRE.

BACK GARDEN

NAKED EYE

N/A

200 TO 300 FT ABOVE ROOFTOPS.

N/A

N/A

LOW CLOUD AND HAZE

K N/A

L N/A

M Section 40 Section 40

SURREY.

TEL Section 40

N N/A

O MRS STREET + SEVERAL NEIGHBOURS

P 1.7.96 2315 Z

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ENCLOSURE NUMBER

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

From: FCF, HQ P&SS(UK)
RAF Rudloe Manor
Hawthorn
Wilts

To: MOD(Sec(AS)2)
Room 8247
Main Building
Whitehall

A. Date, time and duration of sighting: 2 JUL 96 2245(L) 3 secs

B. Description of object: BRIGHT SILVER LIGHT - CIRCULAR OR OVAL RED LIGHT IN THE MIDDLE. TWO RED LIGHTS AT THE SIDE.

C. Exact position observer: IN BED AT TIME IN BUNGALOW, THEN STOOD ON BED LOOKING OUT OF WINDOW

D. How observed: WITH NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which object was first seen: TO THE EAST

F. Angle of sight: AT EYE LEVEL - JUST ABOVE TREES

G. Distance: 1 MILE

H. Movements: WENT VERTICALLY UP/DOWN ONCE. APPEARED TO BE HOVERING, THEN FLEW OFF HORIZONTALLY AT V. HIGH SPEED.

I. Meteorological conditions during observations:
DARKNESS AT TIME, DRY & CLOUDY

J. Nearby objects: HIGH VOLTAGE CABLES RUN ACROSS, ABOVE GARDEN.

K. To whom reported: INITIALLY BRISTOL WEATHER CENTRE, THEN HQ P&SS(UK) FLYING COMPLAINTS FLIGHT.

L. Name and address of informant: Section 40 [redacted] (AGED 10).
Section 40 [redacted], CALNE, Section 40 [redacted].

M. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered:
LIVED AT CURRENT ADDRESS FOR 1 YR.

N. Other witnesses: Section 40 [redacted] SAW THE BRIGHT FLASH BUT NOTHING ELSE.

O. Date and time of receipt of report:

3 JUL 96 1300 L.

N.B. = observers stated that they saw a bright flash first and then Section 40 [redacted] saw the 'object'.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 02 JULY 96 2115 Z.

B. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, N/K
Shape, THIN LINE
Colours, RED
Brightness, V. BRIGHT
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. SOUTH - EAST.
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. Angle of Sight. 15°

G. ~~Distance~~.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NOT DETERMINED

H. Movement of Object. SOUTH → EAST V. HIGH SPEED HORIZONTAL

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR SKY.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. RESIDENTIAL AREA.

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
GREENWICH OBSERVATORY, CAMBRIDGE.
HEATHROW AIRPORT.

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40
[redacted]
NORTH RUISLIP
M1 0QX Section 40

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
KEEN SKY WATCHER - ADAMANT THAT IT WAS NOT METEORITE / SHOOTING STAR

O. Other Witnesses. —

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 5 JUL 0445L

B. **Description of Object.**
Number,
Size, SQUASHED OVAL SHAPE
Shape,
Colours, GLOWING CHROME
Brightness,
Sound, NO SOUND OR SMELL
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, CHELTENHAM
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.**

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** PC Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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Sender:	Section 40	To:	A. I. S. (M)
Ext:		Fax No:	Section 40
Fax No:		For The Attention of:	DUTY OFFICER
Date:	4th JULY 1996		
		This transmission consists of	2 page(s) including this one

TEXT

Dear Sir / Madam.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

AIS - PFS

1) DATE: 04 07 96 TIME: 0032 HRS DURATION: 15 SECONDS

2) TWO BRIGHT LIGHTS STEMMING FROM ONE CENTRAL SECTION WITH A SMALLER ONE BENEATH: TRIANGULAR SHAPE

3) VERY BRIGHT: NO SOUND

4) REAR LANDING OF Section 40 SWINDON

5) INDOORS, STATIONERY

6) NAKED EYE

7) WEST OF THE HOUSE.

ABOUT 2 ACROSS IN ...

ERRATIC : MOVING QUICKLY FROM SIDE TO SIDE

VERY CLEAR SKY : GOOD VISIBILITY

NOTHING SPECIFIC

POLICE : (AS PER FAX SENDER)

Section 40 [redacted] SWINDON

Section 40 [redacted]

TEL :

NONE

NO OTHER WITNESSES KNOWN TO INFORMANT

1040HRS - 04/07/96

I CAN BE OF ANY FURTHER ASSISTANCE. I WILL PROBABLY

ON DUTY UNTIL 1700HRS TODAY OR FROM 0700HRS TOMORROW.

Section 40 [redacted]

ANDER :

THORISED : PS Section 40 [redacted]

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FAX FROM : Section 40 COMMS ROOM 04/07/96 10:23 PG: 2
x sent by : COMMS ROOM A4->A4 04/07/96 11:21 Pg: 2

SAME DISTANCE AWAY, RELATIVELY FLAT FROM INFORMANTS LOCATION

FAX FROM : Section 40 COMMS ROOM 04/07/96 10:23 PG: 1
Fax sent by : COMMS ROOM A4->A4 04/07/96 11:21 Pg: 1

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** Monday 1 Jul 2315

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, Not able to estimate size.
Shape, Pear shaped
Colours, Red
Brightness,
Sound, No sound or smell
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, Dreghorn Irvine Ayrshire
Indoors, Outdoors, Indoors
Stationary, Moving, Stationary

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Naked eye

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) Directly overhead

F. **Angle of Sight.** Vertical

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) Unknown

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Fairly cloudy

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Housing area

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. Prestwick ATC

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

None

O. **Other Witnesses.**

None

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

4 Jul 96 2100Z

PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION

MP: MARTIN REDMOND (LABOUR) DON VALLEY

PQ REFERENCE: 1755H

PQ TYPE: ORDINARY WRITTEN

DRAFT ANSWER REQUIRED BY: 12:00 FRIDAY 5 JULY 1996

QUESTION: To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which office within his Department deals with sightings of unidentified flying objects.

DRAFT ANSWER:

The focal point within my Department for reports of sightings of unidentified flying objects is Secretariat(Air Staff)2a.

APPROVED BY:

Head of Sec(AS) **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 4/7/96

Sec(AS)2 **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 4/7/96

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PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION

MP:	MARTIN REDMOND (LABOUR) DON VALLEY
PQ REFERENCE:	1767H
PQ TYPE:	ORDINARY WRITTEN
DRAFT ANSWER REQUIRED BY:	12:00 FRIDAY 5 JULY 1996

QUESTION: To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will list by (a) date and (b) location for the last 10 years unexplainable sightings of unidentified flying objects received by his Department; and what action was subsequently taken.

DRAFT ANSWER:

My Department evaluates reports of "unexplained" aerial phenomena solely in order to establish whether they may have any defence significance. Unless there is evidence to indicate that the UK Air Defence Region may have been compromised, and to date no sighting has provided such evidence, my Department does not investigate or seek to provide an explanation for what was observed. The question of unexplainable sightings has not therefore arisen.

APPROVED BY:

Head of Sec(AS) **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 4/7/96

Sec(AS)2 **original signed** Section 40 [redacted] Date 4/7/96

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BACKGROUND - PQs 1755H & 1767H

1. These PQs follow two recent PQs tabled by Mr Redmond about an alleged "unidentified flying object" incident which occurred outside RAF Woodbridge in Rendlesham Forest in December 1980. It is not clear why Mr Redmond has become interested in unidentified flying objects. There has been an increase in media attention on the subject of "UFOs" of late, partially as a result of the recent publication of a book on the subject by a former member of Sec(AS), and this may account for his interest.

2. There are commonly held misconceptions surrounding the MOD's role and responsibilities with respect to "unexplained" aerial phenomena. The Department has a very limited interest - our only concern is to establish whether there is any evidence of a matter which is of defence significance.

3. One of the functions of Sec(AS)2a is to act as the MOD focal point for reports and correspondence relating to "UFO" sightings. The task falls to Sec(AS) because the official interest in "UFO sightings" is an air defence one: is there any evidence in a sighting of a breach of UK air defences? Our role in relation to reports is therefore to examine them, with the assistance of the appropriate experts, as required, to ascertain whether the sighting represents anything of defence interest. If we judge that it does not, and this has been the case in respect of all "UFO" sightings reported to the MOD to date, we do not seek to investigate further or to provide an explanation of what might have been seen. There are no MOD staff who work on this subject full-time, and the work represents a small part of the overall secretariat function performed by Sec(AS)2a. Unfortunately, however, Sec(AS)2a is often erroneously referred to by the media as the MOD's "UFO" office.

4. Since we do not seek to establish the precise nature of each sighting reported to us by implication it is quite normal for a sighting to remain "unexplained" but not require further official

action. We are therefore unable to provide the details requested in Mr Redmond's question (PQ 1767H). We have chosen instead to clarify our official role in relation to "UFO" sightings. The draft answer follows the wording used in a previous PQ answer on the subject (House of Lords, Official Report, 7 Dec 94 WA 90) (attached).

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From: RAF WITTERING

To: MOD UK AIR

Info:

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Channel No / system

Time

Operator

Message instructions

Security classification UNCLASS

SIC(s) Z6F

FOR ATTN OF SECRETARIAT (AIR STAFF) 2a. REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT.

A. DATE - 4 JULY 96 @ 0340 @ DURATION APPROX 3 MINUTES @

B. ONE LARGE CRESCENT SHAPED OBJECT @ CREAM IN COLOUR @ EXTREMELY BRIGHT WITH A CHANDELIER EFFECT @ MADE A DULL HUM SOUND SIMILAR TO OLD BOMBERS @

C. OBSERVER WAS INDOORS AT HOME IN STAMFORD LINCOLNSHIRE FACING EAST @

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DTG: Z Month Year

From: RAF WITTERING SIC: Z6F

D. OBSERVED WITH NAKED EYE.
E. DUE EAST.
F. UNABLE EST ANGLE BUT ESTIMATED HEIGHT AT 1000 FT AGL.
G. APPROX HALF A MILE FROM OBSERVER.
H. AT FIRST HOVERED. THEN MOVED AWAY SOUTH TO NORTH IN A STEADY MOVEMENT. NO GREAT SPEED.
J. CLEAR NIGHT. WAS ABLE TO SEE STARS. NO CLOUD.
K. NO NEARBY OBJECTS.
L. REPORTED TO SGT Section 40 STATION OPERATIONS RAF WITTERING.
M. Section 40 STAMFORD LINCOLNSHIRE. Section 40
N. NO BACK GROUND INFO.
O. NO OTHER WITNESSES.
P. RECEIVED AT 1150 04 JULY 1996
Q. FURTHER INFORMATION - OUR METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE CONFIRMS CLOUD AS ONE OCTA AT FIVE THOUSAND FEET AND VISIBILITY OF THIRTY KILOMETERS AT 0SCD. THEY ALSO REPORTED A NOCTILUCENT CLOUD ONE HOUR BEFORE.

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FOR CAB

IMMEDIATE 041201Z JUL 96

FROM RAF WITTERING
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F
FOR ATTN OF SECRETARIAT(AIRSTAFF)2A. REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT
A. DATE 4 JUL 96, 0340, DURATION APPROX 3 MINUTES
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C. OBSERVER WAS INDOORS AT HOME IN STAMFORD LINCOLNSHIRE FACING EAST
D. OBSERVED WITH NAKED EYE
E. DUE EAST
F. UNABLE EST ANGLE BUT ESTIMATED HEIGHT AT 1000 FT AGL
G. APPROX HALF A MILE FROM OBSERVER
H. AT FIRST HOVERED, THEN MOVED AWAY SOUTH TO NORTH IN A STEADY MOVEMENT, NO GREAT SPEED

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J. CLEAR NIGHT, WAS ABLE TO SEE STARS, NO CLOUD
K. NO NEARBY OBJECTS
L. REPORTED TO CPL Section 40 STATION OPERATIONS, RAF WITTERING
M. Section 40 [redacted], STAMFORD LINCOLNSHIRE
Section 40
N. NO BACKGROUND INFO
O. NO OTHER WITNESSES
P. RECEIVED AT 1150 4 JUL 96
Q. FURTHER INFORMATION - OUR METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE CONFIRMS CLOUD AS ONE OCTA AT FIVE THOUSAND FEET AND VISIBILITY OF THIRTY KILOMETERS AT 0300. THEY ALSO REPORTED A NOCTILUCENT CLOUD ONE HOUR BEFORE
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ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 26 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: 7th July 96 1130-1135 AM or PM ?

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc): 3 ROUND OBJECTS BLACK IN COLOUR LIKE BALLS.

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): OVER THE TOP OF HOUSES

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR):
EYE.

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): HEADING EAST

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable):
LOW SEEN FROM A SEAT THROUGH A WINDOW

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible):
A COUPLE OF HUNDRED FEET.

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): SLOW MOVEMENT IN A STRAIGHT LINE.

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) CLOUDY LOT OF COVER
NO SKY SEEN i.e. OVERCAST

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

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11. To Whom Reported: Cpl Barnes

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted] FIFE Section 40 [redacted]

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13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered: .....

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14. Other Witnesses: Family 17 Years of Age

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15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: 7th July 1996 1145 (L)

16. Is a Reply Requested: YES.

Notes:

1. Members of the public who submit reports should be informed that their reports have been passed to the Ministry of Defence.

2. Sightings by Service personnel and action taken as a result of civilian sightings must not be disclosed to members of the Press who, if they make enquiries, should be referred to the Ministry of Defence.

3. A routine unclassified signal, or Fax (Section 40 [redacted]) should be sent to Ministry of Defence, London (for the attention of MOD Sec(AS)2A). The format of the signal is as set out in the report above. The signal SIC is Z6F.

4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40

Example of a Completed Sighting Report This Page.

** TOTAL PAGE.009 **

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 06/07/05 July 96
More Than 10 Mins.

B. **Description of Object**
Number, 12 Lights Showing Round
Size, Small in the Distance
Shape, Round Glowing
Colours, White
Brightness, Misty
Sound, No
Smell, No

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, Spithandle Lane
Indoors, Outdoors, Wilton West Sussex
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) Looking to the coast, South

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45 Deg.

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) About 2m

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. 1 Cloud in the Sky.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** None

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. No

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
W Sussex

Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
(Brennan Saw it last week)
Plus 2 other People with me Standing.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.** 06/08/05 July 96.

TOTAL P.01

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

U.F.O Report Cardiff 6-[redacted]

A. 6-7-96 First report at 23.55hr. Second report at 00.28.
Duration from about 23.35 to 00.25

B. One large bright white light object. - several smaller objects observed splitting from main object and later rejoining
No. sound.

C. Looking out of window, then in garden, then in neighbours garden

D. Naked eye. No camera available

E. North East

F. 40°

G. -

H Near stationary (main object) until it departed vertically? at high speed.

J Good V.M.C. (CAVOK at Cardiff)

K -

L Cardiff Airport, A.T.C

M Section 40 [redacted], near Pontypridd. Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted]

N. Delivery Van driver. Was in Air Training Corps. No knowledge or previous interest in U.F.O's., just wanted to know what it was.

O Several neighbours.

P 23.55 on 6th July and again on 7th July at 00.28hr.

Section 40 [redacted]
ATCO 3. EGFF

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING. 1215 L. 7/7/96. 1 MIN.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT.
Number ONE
Size
Shape
Colours WHITE/YELLOW.
Brightness VERY BRIGHT.
Sound
Smell

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER.
Geographical Location 000E, 5124N.
Indoors/Outdoors OUT DOORS
Stationary/Moving HOVERED.

D. HOW OBSERVED
Naked eye/Binoculars/Other optical device/Still or cine camera NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN.
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) S/SW OF AETSWOOD

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT. (Estimated heights are unreliable)

G. DISTANCE. (By reference to a known landmark if possible) 2° or 3°.

H. MOVEMENT. HOVERING, CIRCLE VERY SLOWLY
Steady
Changing
Erratic

J. MET CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION.
Moving clouds LIGHT BREEZE
Haze/Mist LIGHT CLOUD.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED.
Police KK. AIRPORT
Military Organisation
The Press

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Section 40 Section 40 . KENT Section 40 Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

O. OTHER WITNESSES

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT 1320L 7/96.

Communicate details to AIS(Mil), LATCC
See "Other Occurrences" section

1 January 1994

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 07 1958 1MIN

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, SMALL JET
Shape, MODERN PLANE NO ENGINES BLACK COCKPIT
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, NO
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
~~Geographical Location,~~
~~Indoors~~, Outdoors,
~~Stationary~~, Moving, IN CAR

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Cine Film, Video Camera.~~

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) EAST

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 1 MILE

H. **Movement of Object.** EAST

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** N/K

L. **To Whom Reported.**
~~Police, Press, Military Organisation~~, Airport. ENDINBRUGH

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted] WEST LOTHIAN
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.** NO

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
08 0645 hrs

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
6 JULY 1965 10 MINS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 6
Size, NO
Shape, NO
Colours, SILVER
Brightness, VERY.
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, BROCKWELL PARK
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, ~~Moving;~~

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.~~

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) SOUTH.

F. **Angle of Sight.** 60

G. **Distance.** NO
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** NORTH.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds.
~~Haze, Mist.~~

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NO.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
~~Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.~~

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
ONE OTHER PERSON.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting Local times to be quoted	6/7/96 0230 0045 TO 0100HR
B. Description of Object Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc.	1 OBJECT, LARGE, ROUND. 26 LIGHTS, CONSISTING OF 16 IN A OUTER RING AND 10 IN A INNER RING ROTATING IN A CLOCKWISE DIRECTION
C. Exact Position of Observer Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationery or moving.	OUTSIDE OF HOUSE IN STREET. STATIONERY.
D. How Observed Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device; still or movie camera.	NAKED EYE.
E. Direction in which Object was First Seen A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.	W/SW TOWARDS CITY CENTRE.
F. Angular Elevation of Object Estimated heights are unreliable	30/60° EST. (NOT A RELIABLE EST)
G. Distance of object from Observer By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.	DON'T KNOW (CITY CENTRE ABOUT 2 MILES)
H. Movements of Object Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed	OBJECT IN CLOUD BUT SEEMED TO BE STATIONERY.
J. Meteorological Conditions During Observations Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.	CLOUDY. RECENT RAIN/THUNDERSTORM
K. Nearby Objects Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; tall chimneys; steeples; spires; TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.	HOUSES, STREET LIGHTS.
L. To Whom Reported Police, military organisations, the press etc.	NOBODY.
M. Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] BRISTOL Section 40
N. Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	SOBER AT TIME!
O. Other Witnesses	BOYFRIEND AND ANOTHER FRIEND.
P. Date and Time of Receipt of Report	6/7/96 1045

ENCLOSURE

Action

Pass report by telephone to AIS (Military) at LATCC immediately. Forward written report to Ministry of Defence Sec (AS)2, Room 8245, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB. Fax. Section 40 [redacted]

Report received by Section 40 [redacted]
Air Traffic Control, Bristol Airport, Bristol, BS19 3D
Section 40 [redacted]

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER 96/193

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
(1) 6 JUL 96 (2) 2305 (A) (3) approx 12 mins.

B. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, Approx size of HS 748 (Andover type).
Shape, Conical.
Colours, Black.
Brightness, — (no visible lights).
Sound, None
Smell, None

C. Exact Position of Observer. Viewed from reporter's back garden
Geographical Location, 1 mile NE of Dunstable gliding site.
Indoors/Outdoors. outdoors.
Stationary, Moving. (BAL) Object approached @ v. high speed then came to an immediate halt & hovered @ a distance of 2-3 miles & @ about 4000 - 5000'. (Then disappeared vertically @ v. high speed).

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful)
SW → NE.

F. Angle of Sight.
Began o'head (i.e @ 90°) then went to 45°.

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 2-3 miles (vertically o'head Dunstable. Ref. vocal. neighbours T.V aerial. —

H. Movement of Object.
See para. C

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds. Slight.
Haze, Mist. NIL

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. (Luton App).
D + D. CATC

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted] (WORK).

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
The informant is a v. experienced helicopter pilot who is currently employed on oil/gas rig ops.

O. Other Witnesses.
. Informant's wife.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION

MP: MR MARTIN REDMOND (LABOUR) DON VALLEY

PQ REFERENCE: 1492H

PQ TYPE: ORDINARY WRITTEN

DRAFT ANSWER REQUIRED BY: 12:00 THURSDAY 6 JUNE 1996

QUESTION: To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to his Answer of 7th May, Official Report, columns 19-20, if he will list the titles of the papers held by his Department in respect of the unidentified objects seen in Rendlesham Forest, Suffolk, and if he will make a statement.

DRAFT ANSWER: Apart from a report of the events written at the time by the USAF Deputy Base Commander at RAF Woodbridge, which has been in the public domain for a number of years, the documents held by my Department are internal staffing papers and correspondence from members of the public relating to the alleged events.

APPROVED BY:

Head of Sec(AS) Section 40 [redacted] Date 6.6.96

Sec(AS)2 Section 40 [redacted] Date 5/6/96

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BACKGROUND - 1492H

1. This PQ is a follow on to PQ 1220H (Official Report 7 May 96 columns 19-20 attached), which sought the classification of the documents held by the MOD in respect of the alleged events at Rendlesham Forest in December 1980.

2. Mr Redmond has asked a large number of PQs on military low flying over the years and it is our understanding that he tables many of these questions on behalf of Section 40 [redacted], a researcher into low flying and other military aviation issues, rather than as a result of any direct personal interest. It is not clear why Mr Redmond is specifically interested in the alleged events at Rendlesham Forest, but it is a subject which continues to fascinate "UFO" enthusiasts, and is a topic about which Sec(AS) continues to receive regular correspondence.

3. The alleged incidents occurred between 27-29 December 1980 when unusual lights were seen by USAF personnel, including the Deputy Base Commander, outside RAF Woodbridge. A report of the sighting (copy attached) was forwarded to the MOD by the RAF Liaison Officer at RAF Bentwaters. The report was examined by the Department at the time and no other evidence of any matter of defence significance was found. This is of course the Department's only interest in such sightings.

4. Our line regarding this alleged incident is that all available evidence was examined at the time and we are satisfied that nothing of defence concern occurred in the location on the nights in question. No additional information has come to light over the last 15 years which calls the original judgement into question.

5. The only documents on the subject held by the Department are the report itself, limited official comments on the report, and correspondence from members of the public enquiring about the alleged events.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 30 0645 JULY 88

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, LIKE A FLARE THEN SOMETHING SHOT OUT OF IT
Shape, AND DISAPPEARED INTO TREES
Colours,
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, CLACKET LANE SERVICE STATION (M25 BETWEEN J5+6
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, MOVING.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 2 MILES AWAY APPROX

H. **Movement of Object.** STILL

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR WITH MOVING CLOUDS
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. DvD

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
FATHER

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	1220 AM 5.6.96
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	TWO BRIGHT LIGHTS VERY HIGH VERY FAST
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	TRAVELLED FROM SOUTH-EAST TO NORTH-WEST.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	RCRO CUMBRIA
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	5.6.96 2:50pm
16. Remarks	

** TOTAL PAGE.002 **

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 082259 Jun 96 Seconds

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, One
Size,
Shape, Circle of lights (twinkling)
Colours,
Brightness, with inner circle of twinkling lights.
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** Tootsie Hill heading towards Croydon
Geographical Location,
Indoors, (Outdoors)
Stationary (Moving)

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye) Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** WEST
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** On SKYLINE

G. **Distance.** 8 - 9 MILES
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** One Building

L. **To Whom Reported.**
(Police), Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Caterham

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Warlingham, Surrey

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Would like a reply back

O. **Other Witnesses.** = "We info him we thought it was an airship."
NIL

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting Local times to be quoted	9 JUNE 1996 / 2115 UTC / 4-6 MINS.
B. Description of Object Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc.	1 OBJECT / AEROPLANE SIZE / NO SPECIFIC SHAPE OR COLOUR / BRIGHTER THAN NORMAL ACFT LIGHTS WHEN FADED. NO SOUND OR SMELL.
C. Exact Position of Observer Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationery or moving.	ON THE A420 APPX 4 MILES WEST OF THE ROUNDABOUT AT THE JUNCTION OF THE A46. MOVING
D. How Observed Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.	NAKED EYE
E. Direction in which Object was First Seen A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.	N.W. TOWARDS THE POSITION OF THE SEVERN BRIDGE.
F. Angular Elevation of Object Estimated heights are unreliable	30 TO 40°
G. Distance of object from Observer By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.	10 MILES APPX.
H. Movements of Object Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed	APPEARED STATIONARY THEN LEFT VERTICALLY BEFORE ALLOWING TO MOVE QUICKLY.
J. Meteorological Conditions During Observations Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.	CAVOK.
K. Nearby Objects Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; tall chimneys; steeples; spires; TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.	NO
L. To Whom Reported Police, military organisations, the press etc.	ATC BRISTOL
M. Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N. Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	PROFESSIONAL PERSON
O. Other Witnesses	GIRLFRIEND.
P. Date and Time of Receipt of Report	2150 UTC

Action

Pass report by telephone to AIS (Military) at LATCC immediately. Forward written report to Ministry of Defence Sec (AS)2, Room 8245, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB. Section 40 [redacted]

Report received by Section 40 [redacted] (ATCO)
Air Traffic Control, Bristol Airport, Bristol, BS19 3DY.
Section 40 [redacted]

Jan '94

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

96/188

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 8 ~~Jan~~ June 1445 local.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, One
Size,
Shape, White Round Object, size of a plane.
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell, } NIL.

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** Ellesmere Port
Geographical Location,
Indoors, (Outdoors)
(Stationary) Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye) Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) Towards Helsby

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.** One Mile.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Slowly then suddenly 'U' turned

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Shell Tower

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Liverpool

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted] Ellesmere Port

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.** South Wirral. Cheshire.

Section 40 [redacted]

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Husband

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
Sunday 9th June

REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

25-6-96 2130 1 MIN

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

ONE - SIZE OF SMALL PLANE - SAUCER SHAPED - DARK COLOUR - NO SOUND

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

BURY - LANCS - MOVING CONSTANT SPEED

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

NAKED EYE

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

NORTH

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

HIGHER THAN LOW FLYING ACFT.

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

NOT KNOWN

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

STRAIGHT LINE

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

CLEAR SKY

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

NONE

l. Name and Address ofInformant

Section 40 [redacted]

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

n. Other Witnesses

ONE

o. Date and Time of Receipt

26-6-96/1400

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), Latcc on ext. Section 40 and

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)

RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

96/186

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

daytime
Taken by [redacted]

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	16/6/96 12:10 - 12:20 AM
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Triangle shape, 2 red lights, 2 white lights moved fairly slowly + noiselessly,
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Outdoors in a car park at Birmingham airport.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	Above Birmingham airport.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	200 - 300 ft
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	It turned twice then flew towards the city centre.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear Sky
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Birmingham ATC who strongly advised him to report it to MOD.
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	Section 40 [redacted] is a police officer in the West Midlands Police
14. Other witnesses	Colleague.
15. Date and time of receipt	27/6/96 10:45AM.
16. Remarks	Section 40 [redacted] is also a member of a local UFO group. He reported the sighting to Birmingham ATC who said there was no aircraft movement at the time.

Reply Requested.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 120059L Jun 96 One minute

B. **Description of Object.**
Number,
Size,
Shape, Small spherical object of bright white ligh with red tinge
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
[Indoors] Outdoors,
[Stationary] Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
[Naked Eye], Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) SW over Tong Village

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) One Mile.

H. **Movement of Object.** Downwards from left to right then hovered

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Nil

L. **To Whom Reported.**
[Police], Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
West Yorkshire

M. **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 [redacted], Section 40 [redacted], Section 40 [redacted], Leeds

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Nil.

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Nil

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
[illegible] Jun 96

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER 084

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 230300z Jun 96 2-3 MINS.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, Size, Shape, Colours, Brightness, Sound, Smell. One Object that looks like a round piece of paper that was burning on the at the edges, with several triangular markings on it.

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location.
(Indoors,)
(Stationary,)

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye) Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** South West.
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.** 200 METRES
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Hovering, then disappeared up.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, Haze, Mist. Clear, Cloudless night. light wind

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Palace Pier to the east.

L. **To Whom Reported.** Hotels + numerous buildings.
(Police,) Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

Sussex.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] Brighton

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

NiL.

O. **Other Witnesses.**

NiL.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 20th June 1996, 2205?, Total of 15secs.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, – ONE.
Size, – LARGE.
Shape, – "FLARED" - EXHAUST SHAPED!!
Colours, – BRIGHT YELLOW
Brightness, —11—
Sound, – NIL
Smell, – NIL.

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, – A13. N OF A127 - BRENTWOOD.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** – PASSING A128
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NOT KNOWN.

H. **Movement of Object.** STRAIGHT LING.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLOUDY – ABOVE THE CLOUD BASE.
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted], LEIGH-ON-SEA,
ESSEX.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.** – NIL.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

** TOTAL PAGE.004 **

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ENCLOSURE

POLIS Incident log Printed 23-JUN-1996 03:50 by AH13

INCD REP 4530 Grade D Status CO Taken by KDAR1
Crime No

Type SUSPICIOUS INCIDENT

Location PENSAX
ABBERLEY
WORCESTAR

Grid Ref 378394263622
Beat Code AWIT
Parish Code AC09

Details WAS TRAVELLING FROM BROMYARD TOWARDS STOURPORT. AT STAMFORD BRIDGE TURNED LEFT FOR PENSAX. ON THAT RD THERE IS A FIELD WITH PYLONS. IN THIS FIELD MY WIFE AND I HAVE SEEN A TRIANGULAR SHAPED THING IN THE FIELD WITH RED BLUE AND WHITE SPARKLING RATHER THAN FLASHING LIGHTS..

Informant Section 40 [redacted]
Address
Phone
Other

Source Other Telephone

INCIDENT HISTORY
Received 23-JUN-1996 02:03:40 KDAR1 Initial Code 36
Logged 23-JUN-1996 02:18:48 KDAR1 TII
Proceeded
Result Result Codes
Closed Arrests 0000

Time	Source	OP	Narratives
0219	O	KDAR1	IT WAS 3 - 4 TIMES BIGGER THAN A CAR. WE HAD ALSO SEEN A BRIGHT FLASH OF LIGHT COME ACROSS AND UP EARLIER IN THE JOURNEY JUST BEFORE STAMFORD BRIDGE.

End of report

Note
I rang Section 40 [redacted], telling him that a gentleman living in his area has coloured strobe lights on the roof of his house. but Section 40 [redacted] said there were no houses around and he didn't think it could be that.

Section 40 [redacted]

You are not on address list — suggest you arrange for appropriate SIC so that you will be in future [redacted]

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DCC
LIVE MESSAGE

RAF WADDINGTON at 071625Z JUN 96

Duty Officer ACTION copy 1 for AF DUTY OFFICER
AFDO
PIN 136R

Prec Act PRIORITY Info: PRIORITY
DTG 071525Z JUN 96
From RAF WADDINGTON
To HQSTC
MODUK AIR
SICs IBF IBJ

SEC (A3)
— by courier Mail

MODUK AIR FOR AFDO HQSTC FOR UKRAOC AND WG CDR GE. SUBJECT REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED LOW FLYING OBJECT
A. 070013 JUN 96
B. 3 TIMES BRIGHT OBJECTS 1 TIMES LARGE 2 SMALLER
C. IN GARDEN LOOKING SOUTH
D. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS
E. WEST TO EAST
F. UNKNOWN
G. HALF MILE WEST OF RUSKINGTON CHURCH
H. SMOOTH MOVEMENT
I. VISIBILITY GOOD NO CLOUD
J. HIGH VOLTAGE
K. ONLY RAF WADDINGTON
L. [redacted], SLEAFORD. [redacted]
M. NIL VOLUNTEERED
N. NIL
O. 071052
P. NIL
Q. [redacted] WAS STAR GAZING WHEN OBJECTS WERE SEEN. HE SEEMED VERY CALM IN EVERY WAY

Action Distribution

Addressee	Code	Action-Officer	Retrieval
MODUK AIR	IBF	DD OR 5(AIR) MB2219 AFDO	MODUK AIR SG
	IBJ	DD EW&R MB4219 AFDO	

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 07 JUNE 96 0010L 90 SECS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE LARGE . 8 SMALL ONES FOLLOWING
Size, LARGE
Shape, N/A
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound, —
Smell, —

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, ROSEMERGY, ST IVES, CORNWALL
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS.
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.
NAKED

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
N/A

F. **Angle of Sight.**
220°

G. ~~Distance.~~
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
N/A

H. **Movement of Object.**
N/A

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. N/A

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
N/A

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
MET POLICE CAO HQ. RAH

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
PERMANENT ADDRESS - Section 40
LONDON N12
TEMP CONTACT PHONE NO Section 40

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
—

O. **Other Witnesses.**
—

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT 96/179

AIS/PPS

A. 7/6/96 2350 3-4 MINUTES

B. LARGE OUTER CIRCLE, SMALL INNER CIRCLE
10-12 DIMMED LIGHTS ON OUTER CIRCLE
COLOUR-LIKE HEADLIGHTS IN FOG
5-7 ON INNER CIRCLE

C. OUTDOORS, HOME, LOOKING SEAWARD

D. NAKED EYE

E. SOUTH

F. VIRTUALLY O/HEAD

G. BETWEEN TWO CHIMNEY STACKS OF ADJACENT HOUSES

H. NO MOVEMENT

J. STONG GUSTY WIND FOR 60 SECONDS
OBJECT PARTIALLY VISIBLE IN CLOUD
EVENTUALLY DISAPPEARED AS CLOUD INCREASED

K. HOUSES IN BUILT UP AREA

L. GATWICK ATC WHO REFERRED IT TO LATCC

M. Section 40 HOME

N. A RATIONAL PERSON WHO CLEARLY OBSERVED SOMETHING UNUSUAL

O. NONE

P. 080855 LATCC DEP SUPERVISOR (Section 40)
C WATCH

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 07 JUNE 96 1248 L 30SECS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, MEDIUM
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, GLOWING
Sound, N/A
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, BANGKOK
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS
Stationary, Moving, MOVING

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
NORTH ?

F. **Angle of Sight.**
STRAIGHT LINE

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
2-3 MILES

H. **Movement of Object.**
FLOATING, MOVING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
NIL

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
WATCH @ MANCHESTER ATC

Section 40 [redacted]

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Section 40 [redacted]

MANCHESTER

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

NIL

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	25 MAY 96 11:20pm 6-7 seconds.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	oval shape, dull white light coming from it. No noise. Size of small house.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	just outside back door.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	100 feet high
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Moved quickly + silently north.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear dry night
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	—
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] Portsmouth Hants. Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	—
15. Date and time of receipt	4.6.96 By letter.
16. Remarks	Letter held on D/SOC (AS) 64/3 Part D.

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	27.5.96 Midnight. 2 minutes
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Two lights like stars. No noise
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	outdoors walking dog close to home.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Just above horizon
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Moved across the sky
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Low cloud
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Police
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] Linlithgow, West Lothian.
13. Any further detail volunteered	Section 40 [redacted] .
14. Other witnesses	—
15. Date and time of receipt	29.5.96 2:30pm
16. Remarks	Section 40 [redacted] said it was not an aeroplane.

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting**
30TH MAY 1996, 2315 (L) APPROX. 5 MINUTES

B **Description of Object** THE INFORMANT DESCRIBES THE OBJECT AS "MASSIVE", VERY LONG, BUT INDETERMINATE SHAPE, ONE CENTRAL BRIGHT LIGHT, LASER LIKE BEAM LIGHTS WHICH LIT A LARGE AREA OF SKY.

C **Exact Position of Observer** GROUND FLOOR BEDROOM OF HOME ADDRESS WHICH FACE APPROX. NORTH.

D **How Observed** NAKED EYE

E **Direction in which Object was First Seen** VERY LOW OVER THE HOUSE TRAVELLING SOUTH TO NORTH TOWARDS THE CAMPSIE HILLS

F **Angular Elevation of Object** NOT KNOWN BUT JUDGED TO HAVE BEEN WELL BELOW THE APPROACH TO GLASGOW AIRPORT

G **Distance of Object from Observer** FROM OVERHEAD THE HOUSE TO APPROX. 3/5 MILES AWAY.

H **Movements of Object** FROM OVERHEAD THE HOUSE IT MOVED AT GREAT SPEED IN A NORTHERLY DIRECTION BEYOND THE CAMPSIE HILLS. THIS MOVEMENT TOOK ABOUT 2 SECONDS. IT THEN REMAINED STATIONARY FOR 4 MINUTES AND "DISAPPEARED"

J **Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc** VISIBILITY FAIRLY GOOD, SOME SCATTERED CLOUD, GALE FORCE WINDS

K **Nearby Objects** RADIO MAST (LIT) ON THE CAMPSIE HILLS

L **To Whom Reported** ATSA SUPERVISOR (AIRWAYS)
SCOTTISH ATCC

M **Name and Address of Informant** Section 40 [redacted]
KILSYTH Section 40

N **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered** Section 40 [redacted]
DESCRIBES HERSELF AS A HOUSEWIFE AND APPEARED TO BE A VERY SENSIBLE AND ARTICULATE WITNESS

O **Other Witnesses** Section 40 [redacted] (SPOUSE) WAS CALLED FROM ANOTHER PART OF THE HOUSE AND WITNESSED FROM ITEM "H" ONWARDS

P **Date & Time of Receipt of Report**
30TH MAY 1996 - [redacted] 2350 (L)

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
31 MAY 1996
PRESTWICK DRAYTON

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	21.5.96 11:30pm 2-3 minutes
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Triangular, massive grey craft, gliding slowly low above their bungalow. Concorde noise. Two lights on front, one on back.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Indoors
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	Directly above house.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Moved slowly towards Canary Wharf, London.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Dry
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Residential Area - lots of bungalows + houses.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	—
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] BEXLEYHEATH KENT Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	See below
14. Other witnesses	other residents were discussing it the following morning (today)
15. Date and time of receipt	22/5/96 11:30
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

Section 40 [redacted]'s son saw the craft + he spoke to Mrs Section 40 [redacted] + his brother who were in bed asleep. Both of them heard him speak but couldn't get up or open their eyes, even though they wanted to.

FAX FROM : Section 40
21-MAY-1996 04:35 LATCC TTC

21/05/96 05:03 PG: 1
Section 40 P.01

FROM Section 40 DEST ASSISTANT E WATCH ATC

TO MILITARY AIS

21ST MAY 1996

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REPORT OF UFO

TOOK A CALL FROM SUSSEX POLICE SGT. Section 40 BOGNOR POLICE STATION LONDON ROAD TEL Section 40 0230L REPORTING SIGHTING OF UFO BY A Section 40 WHO HAD A WITNESS WITH HIM AT THE TIME A Section 40 POLICE INCIDENT NO 50/210596

SIGHTING AS FOLLOWS:

TIME WAS 0005 TO 0015 21/5/96 OBJECT WAS ABOUT 5 - 6 TIMES SIZE OF A NORMAL STAR IN ROUND BALL SHAPE VERY BRIGHT.

Section 40 WAS DRIVING IN HIS CAR WITH THE SEA ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF HIM IN WORTHING. HE STOPPED AND OBSERVED IT WAS OVER AREA OF SOUTH DOWNS TO NORTH OF HIS LOCATION MOVING GENTLY LEFT TO RIGHT SLOWLY THEN CAME TOWARDS HIM THEN DISAPPEARED.

HE SAID DISTANCE WAS QUITE FAR AWAY. DIDN'T SEE ANY CLOUDS OR ANYTHING AT TIME BUT AS SOON AS IT DISAPPEARED SUDDENLY SAW CLOUDS

THERE IS A SMALL BOATING LAKE NEARBY

(IT WAS A VERY CLEAR NIGHT AND IT IS POSSIBLE HE SAW LANDING LIGHTS OF DEPARTING AIRCRAFT'S.) - COMMENTS BY DEPUTY WATCH SUPERVISOR.

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DCC ACTION copy 1 for AF DUTY OFFICEF
LIVE RAF WADDINGTON AFDC
MESSAGE at 241320Z MAY 96 PIN 136F

Prec Act PRIORITY Info: PRIORITY
DTG 241320Z MAY 96
From RAF WADDINGTON
To HQSTC
MODUK AIR
SICs I3F IBJ

MODUK AIR FOR AFDO. HQSTC FOR UKRAOC AND WG CDR GE. SUBJECT REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED LOW FLYING OBJECT
A. 05 MAY 96, 2130 LOCAL FOR 15-20 MINS
B. WHITE BRIGHT LIGHT
C. OUTDOOR, BACK DOOR STEP
D. NAKED EYE, BINOCULARS, CAMCORDER
E. EAST OVER BARNSLEY TOWN HALL
F. LESS THAN 45 DEGREES ABOUT 30 DEGREE
G. N/K
H. ERATIC
I. CLOUDY, DRY
J. TOWN HALL IN TOWN CENTRE
K. POLICE, RAF WADDINGTON AND PRESS
L. Section 40 [redacted], BARNSLEY
M. N/K
N. INFORMANTS WIFE AND FRIEND
O. THURS 23 MAY. RECIEVED AND ACTIONED BY WADDINGTON OPS 24 MAY
P. NO
Q. REPORTED BY Section 40 [redacted], BARNSLEY

Action Distribution

Addressee	Code	Action-Officer	Retrieval
MODUK AIR	I3F	AFDO	MODUK AIR SG
	IBJ	DD EW&R MB4219	

Information Distribution

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** SUNDAY 19TH MAY 0100

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, LARGE
Shape, RIGHT SHAPE
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound, SILENT
Smell, —

LITTLE RED LIGHTS GOING ROUND THE TOP

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, PINNER
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONERY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.
NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
WARNELL LANE, PINNER

F. **Angle of Sight.**
ROOF TOP HEIGHT

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
ROOF TOP HEIGHT

H. **Movement of Object.**
SLOW

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
HOUSES OF ESTATE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
RAF NORTHOLT

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Section 40 [redacted]

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

Date. 25 MAY 1996

Time. 2.32 L

Duration. 4 MINS

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B. **Description of Object.**

Number. 1

Size. SIMILAR IN SIZE TO A SEAKING

Shape. OBLONG CIGAR SHAPED

Colours. TO DARK.

Brightness. JUST TWO RED FLASHING LIGHTS

Sound. NO

Smell. NO

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**

Geographical Location. BARCALDINE NR OBAN

Indoors, Outdoors. OUT DOORS

Stationary, Moving. STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**

Naked Eye. ✓

Binoculars.

Still or Video Camera,

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**

(A landmark may be useful)

SEEN COMING TO BENDERLOCH TO RONAY

F. **Angle if Sight.**

30 DEGREES ANGLE

SLOWLY SIDEWAYS

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds QUITE CLOUDY AND DARK

Haze.

Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

JUST PINE TREES

L. **To Whom Reported.**

Police.

Press.

Military Organisation. RAF LOSSIEMOUTH ONLY.

Airport. CIVIL AIR & LOCAL AIR

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Name. Section 40

Address. Section 40

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

Name. Section 40

Address.

P. **Date and Time of Receipt of report.**

Date. 28 MAY 1996

Time. 1620

UFO File

ROYAL AIR FORCE LYNEHAM
Chippenham Wiltshire SN15 4PZ

Telephone: Bradenstoke Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted]
MOD DI 55
Room 728a
Old War Office Building
Whitehall
London SW1A 2EU

Your Reference:

Our Reference:
LYN/5002/10/3/Air
Date:
13 May 1996

UNIDENTIFIED AERIAL PHENOMENA

Reference:

A. D/DI55/108/15 dated 24 Apr 96.

1. Thank you for your letter at Reference which asked for information concerning a the alleged sighting of an Unidentified Aerial Phenomena (UAP) being chased by a Hercules, presumably from RAF Lyneham.

2. We only had one Hercules low-flying that night. I have interviewed the Captain, Flt Lt Section 40, and he remembers the evening clearly but not because of any UAP. The evening ended with a "maldrop" at Keevil airfield, near Westbury, whilst he was attempting an Ultra Low-Level Airdrop at a height of 10 ft (yes TEN) wearing Night Vision Goggles. Most of us would remember an emergency on such a high technical merit exercise.

3. Flt Lt Section 40 flew fly low-level in Wales but states that he never flew above 52°30'N (a line roughly through the middle of Birmingham). Therefore, he was not in the vicinity of the M50 (but, then again, it was dark!). Moreover, he states that he neither saw a UAP, or gave chase. Perhaps the photographic evidence will yield some clues.

4. Sorry we couldn't not be of more help. I am also pleased to know that you not on drugs, etc; however, the concept of alien women poses some interesting thoughts! Section 40 [redacted]

Wg Cdr
for OC

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 09 May 2145 Intermitten

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, BIG
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE LIGHT, CHANGING COLOURS
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound, NO SOUND
Smell, NO SMELL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, HAWICK
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS
Stationary, Moving, MOVING SE

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) BARK DAM GATE ?

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45° or so

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 100YDS OR MORE

H. **Movement of Object.** CIRCLES

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLOUDY
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
EDINBURGH AIRPORT

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.** NONE

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
2300 9 MAY

ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1.	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	062010Z - 062135Z 1HR 25 MINS
2.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	BRIGHT STAR - BELL SHAPE WITH 5 LEGS STICKING DOWN. WHITE COLOUR. ONE INITIALLY, THEN 4
3.	Location (indoor/outdoor stationary/moving)	OUTDOORS
4.	How observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or moving)	NAKED EYE
5.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	NORTH
6.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	HIGH ANGLE
7.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	½ MILE
8.	Movements (Changes in 5,6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	STATIONARY
9.	Met conditions during observations (Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc)	CLEAR/SMALL CLOUD
10.	Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or Radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	NIL
11.	To whom reported (Police, military, press, etc)	LOCAL POLICE

12. Name and Address of Informant Name Address	Section 40 [redacted] GRANDFRIEND KENT Section 40 [redacted]
13. Background of informant that may be volunteered	
14. Other Witnesses	MAN CALLED 'ROBERT'
15. Date, Time of Receipt	6 MAY 2210 = MAY
16. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	NIL
17. Remarks	NIL

Date: 7 May 96

Section 40 [redacted]
RO2
Duty Operations Officer
Air Force Operations
MB JOC136R Section 40 [redacted]

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 042140 MAY 6MINS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, BIG LIKE HELICOPTER
Shape,
Colours, GREEN + BLUE WITH RED LIGHT AT BACK OF OBJECT
Brightness,
Sound, NONE
Smell, NONE

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
~~Stationary, Moving.~~

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, ~~Still or Video Camera.~~

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) EAST

F. **Angle of Sight.** 30°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 3 MILES

H. **Movement of Object.** HOVERING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, ~~Press, Military Organisation, Airport.~~
RAF VALLEY

M. **Name and Address of Inform** Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted], GWYNEDD

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
. WIFE + SISTER + 2 SONS

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
071330Z MAY

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	7.5.96 8 or 9pm.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	LIGHTS WHIZZING AROUND.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	In her flat
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked Eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Moving around, some disappearing, then returning.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Tower block.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	TV producer, a UFO Magazine, organisation.
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] ESSEX Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	10:30AM 8.5.96.
16. Remarks	Section 40 [redacted] has phoned a couple of times before. + is concerned that the MOD aren't doing anything about the lights she can see from the window of her flat.

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SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1.	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	062010Z - 062035Z 1HR 25 MINS
2.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	BRIGHT STAR - BELL SHAPE WITH 5 LEGS STICKING DOWN. WHITE COLOUR. ONE INITIALLY, THEN 4
3.	Location (indoor/outdoor stationary/moving)	OUTDOORS
4.	How observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or moving)	NAKED EYE
5.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	NORTH
6.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	HIGH ANGLE
7.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	½ MILE
8.	Movements (Changes in 5,6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	STATIONARY
9.	Met conditions during observations (Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc)	CLEAR/SMALL CLOUD
10.	Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines reservoir,lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys,steeples,spires, TV or Radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	NIL
11.	To whom reported (Police, military, press, etc)	LOCAL POLICE

12.	Name and Address of Informant Name Address	Section 40 [redacted] GRAVESEND KENT Section 40 [redacted]
13.	Background of informant that may be volunteered	
14.	Other Witnesses	MAN CALLED 'ROBERT'
15.	Date, Time of Receipt	6 MAY 2210 Z MAY
16.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	NIL
17.	Remarks	NIL

Section 40 [redacted]
RO2
Duty Operations Officer
Air Force Operations
MB JOC136R Section 40 [redacted]

Date: 7 May 96

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ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 26 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: 060100 - 0130 MAY 1996

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc): 2 x BRIGHT LIGHTS, CHANGING IN COLOUR FROM WHITE, BLUE, RED, YELLOW.

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): INDOORS, DUNDEE LOOKING NORTH THEN FROM OUTDOORS, OBJECTS NEVER MOVED.

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR):

NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): FROM DUNDEE LOOKING NORTH TOWARDS LAW HILL

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable):

35°

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible):

CLOSER THAN STARS

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): NO MOVEMENT

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) SOME CLOUDS. NO STARS VISIBLE

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

NOTHING SIGNIFICANT

11. To Whom Reported: CPL Section 40, STN OPS, RAF LEUCHARS, FIFE.

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40

PHONE No. Section 40 Section 40

13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered:

RETIRED

14. Other Witnesses: DAUGHTER AGED 21 YEARS.

15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: 06 0130(L) MAY 1996

16. Is a Reply Requested: YES

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4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40.

EXAMPLE OF A COMPLETED SIGHTING REPORT FORM.

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FEED DIRECTION

U N C L A S S I F I E D

CWD008 07/0029 128C0045

FOR CAB

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 070001Z MAY 96

FROM UKCAOC HIGH WYCOMBE
TO MODUK AIR
INFO CRC NEATISHEAD

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F
SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 062200Z MAY 96
B. VERY BRIGHT TWINKLING WHITE LIGHT. LARGE PLANET SIZE. NO NOISE
C. OBSERVER STATIONARY AND OUTDOORS
D. NAKED EYE
E. NORTH WEST OF NORWICH
F. 30/40 DEGREES FROM HORIZONTAL BUT ELEVATION DECREASING
G. IN ORBIT
H. SMALL AMOUNT OF HORIZONTAL MOVEMENT
J. CLEAR
K. NONE
L. MILITARY.TPO AT RAF NEATISHEAD
M. Section 40 [redacted], NORWICH, Section 40 [redacted] TEL

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Section 40 [redacted]
N. NIL
O. FLT LT Section 40 [redacted], TPO RAF NEATISHEAD
P. 062300Z MAY 96
Q. VERY CLEAR NIGHT
BT

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F
CAB 1 SEC(AS) ACTION (CXV 1 AFDO)
CXL 1 DD GE/AEW
CAI 1 DI 55

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

NOTHING SIGNIFICANT

11. To Whom Reported: CPL Section 40, STN OPS, RAF LEUCHARS, FIFE.

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40

PHONE No. Section 40 Section 40

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M. Section 40 [redacted], NORWICH, Section 40 [redacted]

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: OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

FAXED TO MOD SEA(RS) 20°/0845Z MAY 96.
(COPY MAY ALREADY HAVE BEEN SENT BY SHIFT ON 6 MAY, BUT NO RECORD IN LOG

Section 40

KT LT
SOO / CO ALLOCATOR

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Date, time & duration of sighting	061030Z MAY 96
Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	NOT A constant brightness
Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	outdoors / stationary
How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	observed using binoculars
Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	NW
Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	low, hidden sometimes by trees going down. (descending)
Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	NOT KNOWN / UNSURE
Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	moving across sky left then to right.
Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear (grey)
Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	NONE REPORTED

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	NOT REPORTED TO ANY OTHER AGENCIES (I.E. MILITARY, POLICE)
12. Name & address of informant	SEE BELOW
13. Background of informant that may be volunteered	NONE
14. Other witnesses	NONE REPORTED
15. Date and time of receipt	06 1030Z MAY 96
16. Any unusual meteorological conditions	Sky very clear
17. Remarks	NIL

Section 40 [redacted]

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

15/96 2115 LOCAL STILL THERE

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

LOOKS LIKE A STAR (BRIGHT - LIGHT)
LOOKS JUMBO JET SIZE GRAYISH COLOUR
" LIKE AEROPLANE

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

OVER GARSTON
OUTDOOR — MOVING SLOWLY AND HOVERING

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

NAKED EYE

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

70°

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g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

1-2 MILES FOR OBSERVER

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

HOVERING ALL LAST NIGHT UNTIL DAWN THEN
SLOWLY MOVED AWAY TO SOUTH AND DISAPPEARED

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

CLOUDY.

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

NONE

l. Name and Address of Informant

Section 40 [redacted]

MACCLESFIELD

Section 40 [redacted]

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

n. Other Witnesses

NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOURS

+ 10 PEOPLE IN ROAD

o. Date and Time of Receipt

4.5.96.

2130

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FROM

MANCHESTER

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RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	4TH MAY 2310 -2330L
B	Description of Object	SAUCER LIKE / LINE ACROSS WITH FLASHING SQUARE RED & GREEN LIGHTS
C	Exact Position of Observer	Section 40 [redacted]
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	SOUTH EAST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	NO
G	Distance of Object from Observer	6MLS
H	Movements of Object	HOVERING
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR SKY
K	Nearby Objects	NOTHING
L	To Whom Reported	PRESTWICK AIRPORT / SCOTTISH ATLANTIC HOUSE.
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	—
O	Other Witnesses	WIFE
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	5TH MAY 1930Z.

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Section 40 [redacted]

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
4th MAY 2250 STILL IN SIGHT @ 2300.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, TAKING UP ~~a~~ 1/8th OF No. SKY.
Shape, ~~CIRCLE~~ DOTTED CIRCLE.
Colours, ~~RED~~ WHITE
Brightness, DIM.
Sound, NO.
Smell, NO

96/1.60

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, HELSBY 5SE LIVERPOOL SPEKE AIRPORT.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.~~

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) NORTH

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F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.** NO
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** HORIZON TO HORIZON.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, PATCHY CLOUD
Haze, Mist. CLEAR AND DRY.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
HOUSES.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
CHESHIRE POLICE

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
WIFE

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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UFO FILE

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FOR CAI

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 070001Z MAY 96

FROM UKCAOC HIGH WYCOMBE
TO MODUK AIR
INFO CRC NEATISHEAD

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SIC Z6F
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*END

U N C L A S S I F I E D

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

30-4-96 2145 40 SECONDS

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

ONE, AIRCRAFT SIZE, ROUND, BRIGHT PINK, VERY BRIGHT

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

SITTING IN CAR, ON COVERHILL ROAD SADDLEWORTH, OUTDOORS MOVING.

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

NAKED EYE

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

I WAS TRAVELLING N.E. OBJECT MOVING SOUTH TO NORTH OVER HILLS TOWARDS OLDHAM

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

80°

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

NOT KNOWN

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h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

MOVING NORTH

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

CLEAR, BUT RAINING

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

LOW TELEPHONE WIRES

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l. Name and Address of Informant [redacted], SADDLEWORTH

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

NONE

n. Other Witnesses

NONE

o. Date and Time of Receipt

1/5/96 1750 LOCAL

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02 MAY 1996
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01 MAY 1996
WEST DRAYTON

Fax to West Drayton Section 40

REPORT OF A UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**

Date. 1 MAY 96

Time. 2215 L

Duration. 5 SECS

B. **Description of Object.**

Number. 1

Size. FOOT BALL

Shape. ROUND WITH TAPERED TAIL, THOUGHT IT COULD HAVE BEEN A COMET

Colours. SILVER/WHITE

Brightness. BRIGHT

Sound. NIL

Smell. NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**

Geographical Location. BRACKEN HILL, ALNESS

Indoors, Outdoors. GARDEN

Stationary, ~~Moving~~.

D. **How Object was Observed.**

Naked Eye.

~~Binoculars~~.

~~Still~~ or ~~Video~~ ~~Camera~~,

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**

(A landmark may be useful) FROM NORTH GOING SOUTH

F. **Angle if Sight.**

~ PARALLEL TO HORIZON

Below cloud layer

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known landmark if possible)

GUESS 1 MILE

H. **Movement of Object.**

STRAIGHT LINE

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds. BROKEN MOVING CLOUDS

Haze. CLEAR/COLD/WINDY

Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**

Police.

Press.

Military Organisation. LOSSIEMOUTH

Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Name. Section 40 [redacted] + HUSBAND

Address. GLASGOW

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

Name. Section 40 [redacted]

Address. [redacted]

P. **Date and Time of Receipt of report.**

Date. 02 MAY 96

** TOTAL PAGE.001 **

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 01 MAY 96 2119 hrs DURATION 1-2 SECS

Description of Object.
Number, SINGLE WHITE LIGHT TRAVELLING VERY VERY FAST
Size, STREAK OF LIGHT
Shape,
Colours, WHITE
Brightness,
Sound, NO SOUND
Smell, NO SMELL

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02 MAY 1996
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Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, EDINBURGH TOP FLOOR FLAT
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS LOOKING OUT WINDOW
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) NORTH TO SOUTH

Angle of Sight. HORIZON TO 45°

Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 1 MILE

Movement of Object. HORIZONTAL TOWARDS PENTLAND HILLS

Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, BROKEN HIGH CLOUD
Haze, Mist.

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.

To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
ROYAL OBSERVATORY EDINBURGH

Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted]
EDINBURGH

Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
EX NAVY FAMILIAR WITH A/C

Other Witnesses. Section 40 [redacted]
ADDRESS AS ABOVE

Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
01/05/95 2220Z 5-10 SECS
Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, NIK
Shape, RED TAIL WHITE OVAL
Colours,
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, SW EDINBURGH A70
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

02 MAY 1995

How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful)

Angle of Sight. 10/400ft

Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) SOUTHERLY

Movement of Object. STEADY

Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. COUNTRY AREA

To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted] LANARK Section 40 [redacted]
Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

Other Witnesses.
NIL

Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 26 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: 01 MAY 2230(L) 1996
3 SECONDS.

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc): WHITE LIGHT ABOUT THE SIZE OF A FOOTBALL.

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): SITTING IN A CAR REVERSING IT.

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR):
NAKED EYE.

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): ERSKINE BRIDGE. NW to SE BARHEAD.

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable): HEAD TURNED TO RIGHT TO OBSERVE IN LINE WITH HIS SHOULDER IE. LOW.

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible): APPROX 1/4 MILE PERHAPS SEVERAL HUNDRED FT HIGH.

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): STRAIGHT LINE.

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) MOON VISIBLE WITH CLOUDS MOVING (LOW COVER)

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):
A HILL TO REAR OF HOUSE (GLENIFFER BRAES)

11. To Whom Reported: GPL Section 40

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40
Section 40
PAISLEY Section 40

13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered: SEEMED VERY GENUINE.

14. Other Witnesses: NO

15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: 01 2300(L) MAY 1996.

16. Is a Reply Requested: YES PLEASE.

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4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40

EXAMPLE OF A COMPLETED SIGHTING BEHIND THIS PAGE.

Fax to West Drayton Section 40

REPORT OF A UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.

Date. 1\5\96

Time. 2220 L.

Duration. 5 Sec.

B. Description of Object.

Number. 1

Size. TEARDROP ON SIDE 4"

Shape.

Colours. BRIGHT WHITE (MAGNESIUM-BURNING)

Brightness.

Sound. NIL

Smell. NIL

C. Exact Position of Observer.

Geographical Location. FROM INVERNESS A9 DRUMOSSIE TURNOFF LOOKING WEST

Indoors, Outdoors. OUTDOORS

Stationary, Moving. MOVING / STATIONARY / MOVING

D. How Object was Observed.

Naked Eye. ✓

Binoculars. ✗

Still or Video Camera, ✗

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.

(A landmark may be useful)

EAST of A9 : OVER FAR. THEN INTO CLOUD. N-S.

F. Angle if Sight.

LEVEL

(By reference to a known landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.**

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds. VGry Clear with occnl still Clouds.

Haze.

Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

OPEN COUNTRY.

L. **To Whom Reported.**

Police. X

Press. Moray Firth Radio

Military Organisation. ~~X~~

Airport. X

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Name. Section 40 [redacted]

Address. Section 40 [redacted] INVERNESSSHIRE

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

STUDENT

O. **Other Witnesses.**

Name. Section 40 [redacted]

Address. ASM.

P. **Date and Time of Receipt of report.**

Date. 2 May

Time. 1015.

REPORT OF A UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**

Date. WED 1 MAY 96

Time. 2216-18 L

Duration. 20 SECS

B. **Description of Object.**

Number. 1

Size. LIKE A COMET

Shape. SPARKY AFTERGLOW first. Observers believed it was an aircraft at

Colours. WHITE

Brightness. BRIGHT

Sound. NIL

Smell. NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**

Geographical Location. 2 IN LOSSIE ATC TOWER / 1 IN LOSSIE ATC CARAVAN

Indoors, ~~Outdoors~~.

Stationary, ~~Moving~~.

D. **How Object was Observed.**

Naked Eye. Observers looked for object on RADAR but saw nothing.

~~Binoculars~~.

~~Still or Video Camera~~,

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**

(A landmark may be useful)

MOVING NORTH TO SOUTH, JUST TO WEST OF AIRFIELD

F. **Angle if Sight.**

QUITE LOW

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known landmark if possible)

N/K

H. **Movement of Object.**

STRAIGHT LINE, LEVEL, POSSIBLY ABOUT 1000'

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds. - SMALL AMOUNT

Haze.

Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**

Police. X

Press. X

Military Organisation. LOSSIE OPS

Airport. X

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Name. LT Section 40

Address. AIR TRAFFIC
RAF LOSSIEMOUTH

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

Name. FLT LT Section 40 CPL Section 40

Address. ATC LOSSIE ATC LOSSIE

P. **Date and Time of Receipt of report.**

Date. 3 MAY 96

Time. 0920 Z

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT (UFO) REPORT

Note: All reports are to be actioned immediately by telephone, in the first instance, followed by a copy of the report to:

Section 40
Secretariat (Air Staff) 2A
Room 8245
MoD Main Building
Whitehall

Tel: 96621 82140
Fax: Section 40

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A. **Date, Time (local) and Duration of Sighting**
1 May 96 2300(A) approx 1 min.

B. **Description of Object** Spherical white light with a Reddish, Golden glow. Very low, Round, with No definable "physical" shape.

C. **Exact Position of Observer**
Front room of Section 40 House.

D. **How Observed**
Eyeball (MK.I.)

E. **Direction from which Object was First Seen**
Witness was facing South when she spotted an object to the West.

F. **Angle of Sight**
Level, then stopped directly in front, startled to ascend the

G. **Distance** hill passing to the left of the house.
Approx 400/500m.

H. **Movement**
Very Slow, Very slow turns, deliberate.

J. **Met Conditions at the Time**
Bad, Cloudy with showers & dark.

K. **Nearby Objects**
River.

L. **Has the Sighting been Reported to Any Other Agency**
T.V.(GRAMPIAN), POLICE(INVERNESS)

M. **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40

N. **Any Volunteered Background Information on the Informant**
She was talking to someone on the phone & dictating what was

O. **Other Witnesses** happening to him. Section 40

P. **Date and Time of Receipt of Report**
1ST REPORT 021030(A) CALLED BACK AT 1540(A)

Q. **Any Other Information**

OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN MOVING SLOWLY DOWN THE VALLEY IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION IN FRONT & LEVEL TO THE WITNESSES HOUSE. UPON DRAWING LEVEL TO THE HOUSE IT STARTED TO TURN SLOWLY AND FINALLY PASSED UP THE HILL TO THE LEFT OF THE HOUSE THEN PROCEEDED DOWN THE HILL, ON THE OTHER SIDE.

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FEED DIRECTION

N A T O U N C L A S S I F I E D

CWD210 02/1603 123C1827

FOR CAB

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 021455Z MAY 96

FROM CRC BUCHAN
TO MODUK AIR
INFO UKCAOC HIGH WYCOMBE

N A T O U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F/IAW
SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT
1. 012220 MAY 96 (LOCAL). DURATION: 10 SECONDS
2. BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT, CYLINDRICAL, SIZE OF SMALL AIRCRAFT. NO SOUND OR SMELL
3. STATIONARY, INSIDE HOUSE-FOR ADDRESS SEE NOTE 12
4. NAKED EYE
5. ABOVE ACHALIC NEAR LOCH SUNART. HEADING SOUTH.
6. NO ANGLE OF SIGHT, BUT SEEMED LOW
7. GREATER THAN 2 MILES
8. NO CHANGE IN COURSE
9. VERY CLEAR EVENING, NO CLOUDS OR MIST
10. NIL APART FROM LOCH SUVART AND MOUNTAINS
11. FORT WILLIAM POLICE AND ALSO TRIED TO CONTACT ROYAL OBSERVATORY

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12. Section 40 [redacted]

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Section 40 [redacted]
13. INFORMANT SOBER AT TIME OF SIGHTING
14. NIL WITH INFORMANT, BUT FORT WILLIAM POLICE TOLD HER THEY HAD BEEN CONTACTED BY SEVERAL OTHER OBSERVERS OF THE OBJECT
15. 022100Z MAY 96. REPORT TAKEN BY FLT LT Section 40 [redacted]
16. NIL
17. NIL
BT

DISTRIBUTION Z6F
F
CAB 1 SEC(AS). ACTION (CXV 1 AFDO)
CXL 1 DD GE/AEW

ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 26 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: .22 MAY....FIRST...SEEN....
...2330 L....STILL...VISABLE..AT...TIME...OF...REPORT.....

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc): .ONE....BRIGHT...BLUE/WHITE...LIGHT....
.....

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): .WESTERN..SIDE..OF..GLENROTHS
TOWARDS...WESTLAW..HILL...,.OUTDOORS.....

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR):
.....
.....BINOCULARS.....

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): .ABOVE.....EASTLAW..+...WESTLAW...HILLS.....
.....

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable): .....
.....VERY..HIGH...IN..SKY.....

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible): .....
.....NOT...KNOWN.....

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): .FROM..ABOVE...HILLS....TO...LEFT..OF...WESTLAW
...DISTANCE...TRAVELLED....IN...APPROX.....1 MIN.....
.....

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) ...CLEAR.....

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

.....NIL.....

11. To Whom Reported: ...OPS...RAF...LEUCHARS.....

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40 .....

Section 40 ...GLENROTHS... Section 40

13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered: .....

14. Other Witnesses: Section 40 .....

Section 40 .../GLENROTHS.....

15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: .02.MAY.../.0001.....

16. Is a Reply Requested: .....YES.....

Notes:

1. Members of the public who submit reports should be informed that their reports have been passed to the Ministry of Defence.

2. Sightings by Service personnel and action taken as a result of civilian sightings must not be disclosed to members of the Press who, if they make enquiries, should be referred to the Ministry of Defence.

3. A routine unclassified signal, or F Section 40 should be sent to Ministry of Defence, London (for the attention of MOD Sec(AS)2A). The format of the signal is as set out in the report above. The signal SIC is Z6F.

4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40

Example of a Completed Signal Behind This Page.

REF. UFO/KSS 96/OPS/

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, time and duration of sighting (local times)
WEDNESDAY
1ST MAY 1996 2220 local.

B. Description of object (number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sounds
Bright white light with orange + red around it. Moving very fast
No sound came from object.

C. Exact position observer (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or or moving). Indoors watching object through patio doors.

D. How observed. (Naked eye. binoculars , other optical device still or movie camera
Naked eye.

E. Direction in which object was first seen. . (a landmark may be more useful than a badly est, bearing. Flew over house to a hill about ½ a mile away then disappeared. Actual sighting lasted 6-7 seconds.

F. Angle of sight. (estimated heights are unreliable)
Fairly low in Sky.

G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible
Up to half a mile away.

H. Movements (Changes in E. F. G. may be of more use than the estimates of course and speed)
Flew in Straight Line over hill.

J. Meteorological conditions during observations. (moving clouds, haze, mist.)
Still, clear, frosty night.

K. Nearby objects (telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake, swamp, marsh, river high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, T.V. masts, airfields, factories pits , floodlighting
There is only a Loch between his house and the hill that the object flew towards.

, To whom reported. (Police, military organisations, press)
only to BOC RAF KINLOSS.

M. Name [redacted] Section 40

N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
If anyone calls him about the sighting, he works til 1900hrs.

O. Other witness
3 other witnesses.

P. Date and time of receipt of report.
2255 local Weds 1ST May 96.

Note - on Thursday 2nd May 96 morning, Grampian news had an article about meteorite activity down the west coast during the night of the 1st May. Section 40

REPORT ON UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	1-5-96 10:15pm.
Description of Object	"White Fire Ball" "White Rocket like with Red tip"
Exact Position of Observer	Several Reports from Glasgow City Centre, Dumbuck Cowlock + Greenock + further afield
How Observed	With the naked eye.
Direction in Which Object was First Seen	West of Glasgow, Overhead Greenock heading S or SE
Angular Elevation of Object	
Distance of Object from Observer	
Movements of Object	Very fast, heading S or SE.
Meteorological Conditions During Observations	40km, Nil WX, FEW 1200 SCT 4200 Hazy skies but stars + moon visible
Nearby Objects	
To Whom Reported	Prestwick ATC, Glasgow ATC, Strathclyde police Glasgow Airport
Name and Address of Informant	PC. Section 40, Greenock Police + many others from AYRSHIRE upto STIRLING.
Any Background Information that may be Volunteered	10.50 - Coastguard via RAF report that the phenomena is shooting stars.
Other Witnesses	
Date and Time of Receipt of Report	

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To: The Ministry of Defence (AFOR)
Royal Air Force
Main Building
Whitehall
LONDON SW 1

Phone: ATS Military
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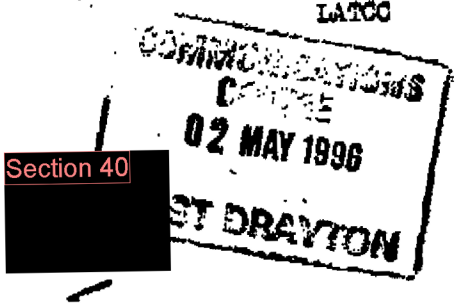

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LONDON LUTON AIRPORT

Air Traffic Cont

Report of Unidentified Flying Ob

A *Date, time and duration of sighting.*
10 MAY 1996 2155(A) 10-15 minutes

B *Description of Object(s)*
Revolving dark board with circles of light in place of the circular wiring, lights similar to those of a gas burner on a cooker

C *Exact position of observer.* As address at item M - from the garden

D *How observed.* Naked eye

E *Direction in which object was first seen.* Approx. Southerly.

F *Angular elevation of object.* @ 45°

G *Distance of object from observer.* 2 → 3000 feet

H *Movements of object.* Moving from left to right of observers position and back right to left continu

J *Meteorological conditions during observations.*
Broken cloud
No precipitation Good visibility

K *Nearby objects.*
Block of flats to right of position
An aircraft overflying from right to left of observers position before object finally disappeared

continued over

L *To whom reported.* Air Traffic Control
London Luton Airport
Luton
Bedfordshire

M *Name and address of informant.* Tel No.

Section 40 [redacted]

Stevenage, Herts Section 40 [redacted].

N *Any background information on the informant that may be volunteered.*

Ex member of Royal Fusiliers
Interest in Astronomy

O *Other witnesses.*

Son - Section 40 [redacted] of same address

P *Date and time of report.*

11th May 1996 0020 (A)

The information contained on this form should be passed immediately by telephone to AIS (Military) at LATCC.

Garex: *97 *ATOTN:* Section 40 [redacted]

The completed form should be sent to Ministry of Defence Sec (AS).

Address in MATS Pt. 1 Appendix H

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REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

MANUAL OF AIR TRAFFIC SERVICE PART 1

CHAPTER 6 - 20 1.9.89

A. Date, Time Duration of Sighting. 01/05/95 2224 LOCAL.

B. Description of Object V. BRIGHT LIGHT

C. Exact Position of Observer DRIVING THROUGH AYR NORTHWARDS Section 40 [redacted]

D. How Observed NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which Object was first seen HEADING N.

F. Angular Elevation of Object /

G. Distance of Object from Observer /

H. Movements of Object IN & OUT OF CLOUDS AT V. FAST SPEED

J. Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving Clouds, Haze, mist etc /

K. Nearby Objects /

L. To Whom Reported. — ATC PRESTWICK

M. Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses ONE

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report 2138 ½ 01/05/96

ENCLOSURE

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

AIS/PF5

A. 0105 12TH MAY '96 2 MINS

B. ROUND
9 BLOCKS OF LIGHT

C. OUTDOORS AT HOME ADDRESS

D. NAKED EYE

E. HOVERING DIRECTLY ABOVE HIM

F. N/A

G. N/A

H. CHANGING

J. N/A

K. N/A

L. POLICE (SUSSEX)

M. Section 40 EASTBOURNE

N. N/A

O. N/A

P. 0150 12TH MAY '96

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
15 MAY 1996
WEST DRAYTON

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 14 MAY 96 - Every night since 07 MAY Appears at 2100L.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, N/K
Shape, Not discernable.
Colours, White/Yellow
Brightness, V. Bright
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, Rainham Essex
Indoors, Outdoors, Outdoors.
Stationary, Moving, Stationary

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Naked eye/Binoculars.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) Bearing 330° m.

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.** N/K.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Moves V. Slowly North

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, Varied over period of Sighting
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Residential Area, no tall structures.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Heathrow Airport

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Rainham Essex.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
N.L.

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Wife/Neighbours.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
14-MAY 2115Z

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15 MAY 1996
WEST DRAYTON

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REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

MANUAL OF AIR TRAFFIC SERVICE PART 1

CHAPTER 6 - 20 1.9.89

A. Date, Time Duration of Sighting. 01 MAY 2218, 6 SECONDS.

B. Description of Object LONG TAIL, REALLY BRIGHT, CONSTANT.

C. Exact Position of Observer NE TO SW TOWARDS GLASGOW.

D. How Observed EYE.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen NE.

F. Angular Elevation of Object —

G. Distance of Object from Observer —

H. Movements of Object "VERY" FAST.

J. Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving Clouds, Haze, mist etc NONE

K. Nearby Objects —

L. To Whom Reported. — ATC PRESTWICK.

M. Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted] ROBINSON.

N. Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses 2.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report 2141.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec (AS) I
10 [illegible] 1990

DISCLOSURE OFFICER

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 12/5/96 0008(A) 15 SECS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, 2' Diameter
Shape, CIRCULAR
Colours, WHITE
Brightness,
Sound, NIL
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Obse** Section 40 [redacted], OXFORD
Geographical Location,
~~Indoors; Outdoors,~~
~~Stationary, Moving,~~

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.~~

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
NOT KNOWN

F. **Angle of Sight.**
~1~ 80°?

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** FIGURE OF EIGHT

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, OVERCAST
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, ~~Press, Military Organisation, Airport,~~
OXFORD POLICE ref URN 16/12

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
~~Address~~ at C
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Police wish to know if ac overhead
OK 3 wks ago.

O. **Other Witnesses.**
1 other report received by police

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
12/5/96 0021 (A)

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
13MAY96 2220Z

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, ~~N/A~~ NOT ABLE
Shape, ~~ROUND~~ CIRCULAR
Colours, ORANGE
Brightness, VERY.
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, AS AT M
Indoors, ~~Outdoors~~,
Stationary, ~~Moving~~,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, ~~Still or Video Camera~~.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) TOWARDS E-N-E.

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.** NO
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** HOVERING.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, HAZEY. NOT CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
OTHER HOUSES

L. **To Whom Reported.**
~~Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.~~

M. **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 [redacted]

THAMES DITTON Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
HUSBAND

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
13MAY 2230

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**

10 MAY 96 - between 21-2130 until 110100.

B. **Description of Object.**

Number, 1
Size, bigger than a star.
Shape, N/K
Colours, White
Brightness, Very bright
Sound, } No.
Smell, }

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**

Geographical Location, Merthyr Tydfil
Indoors, (Outdoors,)
(Stationary,) Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**

(Naked Eye) (Binoculars,) Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.**

25°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

N/K

H. **Movement of Object.**

Moving up and down slowly and gracefully.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear - no stars visible

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

Houses.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

Cardiff Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted] Cardiff.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

2 other people.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

** TOTAL PAGE.004 **

END

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

MATS PART 1
8SD/1/11

A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting** - Local times to be quoted.
13 MAY 1996 2115 - 2230 for ABOUT AN HOUR

B **Description of Object** - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc. Like a sm
Berhencal & with textured surface Vent Bnnat mi

Extremely bright very bright

C Exact Position of Observer - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
NE Colchester Outdoors Stationary

D How Observed - Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
Naked eye - Stationary

E Direction in which Object was First Seen - A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
between Colchester + Stansted Airport

F Angular Elevation of Object - Estimated heights are unreliable.
Relatively low

G Distance of Object from Observer - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
Unestimable

H Movements of Object - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
Relatively clear in sky still intense without stars showing

J Meteorological Conditions During Observations - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.
Clear - CAVOK

K Nearby Objects - Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
N/A None of above

L To Whom Reported - Police, military organisation, the press, etc.
AIR TRAFFIC

M Name and Address of Informant
Section 40
COLCHESTER ESSEX Section 40

N Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered

O Other Witnesses
2 Daughters + Wife

P Date and Time of Receipt of Report
13 MAY 1996 2115

The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40

The completed form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

FAX FROM : Section 40
FROM STANSTED TOWER 8 UNIT
13/05/96 21:39 PG: 1
05.13.1996 21:48 P.1

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

a. Name and address of informant:

Section 40

Cardiff
Section 40

b. Telephone:

Section 40

c. Date, time and duration of sighting:

11 May 96 12.45 hrs L for less than one minute

d. Description of object:

Bright white light, solid no shape. No strobe lights.

e. Exact position of observer:

Outside front door of house looking towards central Cardiff

f. How observed : (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or video camera).

Naked eye

g. Direction in which the object was first seen: (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).

Came from behind trees and went towards Newport Road - west

h. Angle of sight:

Above tree line

I. Distance: (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible)

Half to one mile

j. Movements:

Left to right smoothly and faster than any aircraft

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k. Meteorological conditions during observations: (Moving clouds, haze,mist etc).

Quite clear

l. Nearby objects: (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; tall chimneys; steeples; spires; TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sights with floodlights or other night lighting).

Nothing

m. To whom reported: (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

RAF St Athan, Central Police Cardiff, Gwent Police and Cardiff Airport

n. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered:

Third sighting from this street in three years. Section 40 seemed very anxious to ask lots of questions, this seems to be a bit of a hobby and a regular occurrence - he also went to the press with it, asking for any other witnesses to phone him.

o. Other witnesses:

Section 40 and Section 40 both local to Cardiff and friends

p. Is a reply requested?

No

q. Date and time of receipt of report: 13 May Section 40

Section 40 [redacted]

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
15 MAY 1996
WEST DRAYTON

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

(136)

MATS PART 1
8SD/1/11

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting** - Local times to be quoted.
13 MAY 1996 2115 - 2230 for ABOUT AN Hour

B **Description of Object** - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc. like a small moon
Sephencal & with textured surface Very Bright

C **Exact Position of Observer** - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
Ne Colchester Outdoors Stationary

D **How Observed** - Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
Naked eye - Stationary

E **Direction in which Object was First Seen** - A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
between Colchester + Stansted Airport

F **Angular Elevation of Object** - Estimated heights are unreliable.
Relatively low

G **Distance of Object from Observer** - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
Unestimable

H **Movements of Object** - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
Relatively Clear in Sky Still intense without Stars Showing

J **Meteorological Conditions During Observations** - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.
Clear - CAVOK

K **Nearby Objects** - Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
N/A None of above

L **To Whom Reported** - Police, military organisation, the press, etc.
AIRTRAFFIC

M **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 COLCHESTER ESSEX Section 40

N **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**

O **Other Witnesses**
2 DAUGHTERS + WIFE

P **Date and Time of Receipt of Report**
13 MAY 1996 2213

The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40

The completed form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

SM/649/Sy

RAF Police Flt
RAF St Mawgan

See Distribution

15 May 1996

RAF POLICE SITUATION REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 0800 HRS TUE 14 MAY 96 TO 0759 HRS WED 15 96

1. For your information, during the reporting period, a number of incidents occurred which were reported to and actioned by the RAF Police, which involved RAF St Mawgan, its property, personnel and environment.

2. Brief details of the incidents are outlined below:

RAF POLICE

DOB No
734/1/96

TIME
0015hrs

DETAILS OF OCCURRENCE
UFO SIGHTING REPORT

ATT this time the duty PBX operator,SAC Coventry telephoned this location,stating that he had a civilian on an exchange line wishing to report a suspicious object that he believed to be a UFO hovering over his property at Tintagel.The person identified himself as Section 40 of Tintagel.He described the object as being of "enormous size",very bright,triangular in shape with &9 lights down each of it's sides.

ACTION TAKEN;
SAC Section 40 was instructed to tell Section 40 that as the object was so far away from RAF St Mawgan we were unable to assist him and that if the object was a cause for concern,the only advice that we could offer him was to inform the local police.

ALSO TO BE NOTED;
At approx 0110hrs the civilian police at Camborne informed us that they had spoken to Section 40 regarding the sighting and that he had further reported the sighting to both the National press and the Civil Aviation Authority.Due to possible involvement with the press,Flt Lt Section 40 SDO was informed.

3. Should you require further information concerning the above incidents, I should be happy to brief you at your convenience.

Section 40 [redacted]

Flt Lt
OC RAF Police

Distribution:

Stn Cdr
OC PMS (through OC Admin Wg) KJB
OC SSS

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
20 MAY 1996
WEST DRAYTON

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	2200 8th May 96.
B	Description of Object	Blue circle of light
C	Exact Position of Observer	Outside, walking dog
D	How Observed	Naked eye
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	Travelling north to south towards Prestwick airport.
F	Angular Elevation of Object	–
G	Distance of Object from Observer	
H	Movements of Object	Travelling at excessive speed. A blue circle of light - silent.
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	–
K	Nearby Objects	–
L	To Whom Reported	Ayr Police office
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	Report filed by police officer whom the object passed.
O	Other Witnesses	
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	20th May 96 1430 local

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
20 MAY 1996

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	27 APRIL 1996. 9:55pm 20 SECONDS.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	ONE BRIGHT ORANGE LIGHT WHICH DID NOT MOVE. IT LIT UP THE CLOUDS.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	ALTON BARNES, SOUTH OF SWINDON.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	BINOCULARS.
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	SOUTH EAST OF ALTON BARNES.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	40% CLOUD COVER. COLD.
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	STREET LIGHTS CAR HEAD-LIGHTS.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	MOD ONLY.
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] SLOUGH, BERKSHIRE. Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	Section 40 [redacted] SIGNALLED WITH HIS TORCH + THE "UFO" SIGNALLED BACK. (FLASHED ON + OFF.)
14. Other witnesses	A FRIEND.
15. Date and time of receipt	7.5.96 10:30 AM
16. Remarks	HE WAS RELUCTANT TO GIVE HIS NAME + ADDRESS + ASSUMED THE CALL HAD BEEN INTERCEPTED.

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	30.4.96 9-10pm One hour.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	One bright light which looked like a child's drawing of the sun :O:
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Outdoors driving from Putnoe to Milton Ernest.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	Naked Eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Hardly any movement.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Very clear
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] Bedfordshire Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	1.5.96 10:15AM
16. Remarks	Reply Requested.

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	25 APRIL 1996 11:30 – 11:45 PM
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	CIRCLE SHAPED, YOU COULD SEE THROUGH IT, VERY BIG, NOT BRIGHT.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	IN CAR
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	ABOVE A14 INBETWEEN CAMBRIDGE + IPSWICH.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	QUITE LOW IN THE SKY.
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	MOVED CLOCKWISE THEN ANTI-CLOCKWISE.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR, DRY, A FEW STARS OUT.
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] IPSWICH, SUFFOLK. Section 40 [redacted].
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	2.5.96 10:00AM.
16. Remarks	

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	21.4.96 1400hrs 15minutes
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	JUST A DOT IN THE SKY.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	IN BACK GARDEN
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	BINOCULARS
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	VERY, VERY HIGH
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	NONE
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	VERY CLEAR + SUNNY
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	NONE.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	MOD ONLY
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] ROCHESTER KENT.
13. Any further detail volunteered	THINKS IT COULD HAVE BEEN A SATELITTE.
14. Other witnesses	NONE
15. Date and time of receipt	24.4.96 1400hrs.
16. Remarks	

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RIS/PPS

A. 2210 23/4/96. 1/2 hr.

B. ONE
diamond in shape
6 bright reflecting angles.
pure white

C. 8 miles N Eastbourne Airline
stationary.

D. Binoculars, night glasses

E. North

F. 70° from ground

G. 20,000ft plus/ds

H. static

J. Clear.

K. NO

L. ATC.

M. [redacted] W SUSSEX

N. [redacted]

O. TWO SONS ALSO.

P. 23/4/96. 2215.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. Name and address of informant:

Section 40

Gwent

b. Telephone:

Section 40

c. Date, time and duration of sighting:

20 Apr 96 00.07 hrs L for 30 secs

d. Description of object:

Size of football, oval with orange light trailing smoke and vapour. Light bright and increasing as if closing on observer. Silent.

e. Exact position of observer:

Travelling along Park Rd from Bedwellty Church to Bedwellty Road in direction of Cefn Fforeft . In moving car at first, Section 40 from outside the stationery car.

f. How observed : (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or video camera).

Naked eye

g. Direction in which the object was first seen: (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).

S.W.

h. Angle of sight:

+45o

I. Distance: (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible)

Between 1 and 5 miles

j. Movements:

W to E slowly

k. Meteorological conditions during observations: (Moving clouds, haze,mist etc).

Hazy

l. Nearby objects: (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; tall chimneys; steeples; spires; TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sights with floodlights or other night lighting).

None known

m. To whom reported: (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

RAF St Athan.

n. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered:

Section 40 [redacted] sounded sincere. They understood mathematical and geographical terms. They were curious about the sighting.

o. Other witnesses:

None

p. Is a reply requested?

No

q. Date and time of receipt of report: 20 Apr 96 at 1300L by Ord Offr RAF St Athan.

Section 40 [redacted]

22 Apr 96 1500 hrs L

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 27 2359* APR 96 22MINS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, N.K.
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, BRIGHT
Sound, NONE
Smell, NONE

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[illegible] OPERATIONS
[illegible]
29 APR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS IN BEDROOM
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, ~~Still or Video Camera~~.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) SOUTH

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 5-6 MILES

H. **Movement of Object.**
SLOW

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
CRAIGAU [redacted]

L. **To Whom Reported.**
~~Police~~, Press, ~~Military Organisation, Airport~~.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted] CARDIFF Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
BOYFRIEND

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
28 1530 APR 96

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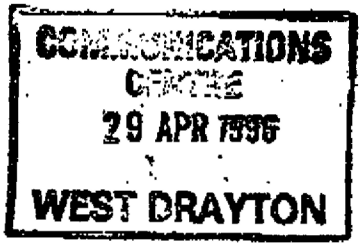

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 21 APR 2145 - 2148

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, STAR
Shape, STAR
Colours, YELLOW, ORANGE
Brightness, BRIGHT
Sound, NONE
Smell, NONE

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STANDING AT THE WINDOW

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, [redacted]

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) ENEAST

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) INK

H. **Movement of Object.** 150KM HOUR FOR 1 MIN TOWARDS BRISTOL CHANNEL

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.** UP + DOWN VERY FAST
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** HILL

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, [redacted]

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted], SOMERSET
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NO

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE 29 APR 1996 WEST DRAYTON

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 26/4/96 2280z - 2140z

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, N/K.
Shape, CROSS WITHIN A SQUARE
Colours, WHITE/RED
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NIL.
Smell, NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, WOOLTON LIVERPOOL
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE/BINOCULARS

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) WEST

F. **Angle of Sight.** JUST ABOVE HORIZON

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K.

H. **Movement of Object.** NIL

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR SKY.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** RESIDENTIAL AREA.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
LIVERPOOL AIRPORT.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
FAMILY

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 27 APRIL 96 0213(Z) for 30 MINS.

B. **Description of Object**
Number, ONE
Size, SMALL
Shape, STAR LIKE.
Colours, RED + GREEN NAVIGATION LIGHTS.
Brightness, VERY
Sound,
Smell, NIL.

ENCLOSURE 1/4

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
29 APR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, ACTON
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. (7x50)

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) 10° WEST of NORTH.

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) —

H. **Movement of Object.** L-R. VERY SLOWLY.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. SKY CLEAR.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** —

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
CONTACTED CAS SUP INITIALLY, WHO ASSURED HIM IT WASN'T A CIVIL AIRCRAFT.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
EX-RAF, NOW WO IN HERTS + BUCKS ATC WING.

O. **Other Witnesses.** NIL

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
18 APR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

A Date, Time and Duration of Sighting
17/4/96 @ 2200-0015 1½ in sky.

B Description of Object
THOUGHT N.STAR BUT TOO CLOSE AND TOO BRIGHT

C Exact Position of Observer
Section 40 [redacted] BACKDOOR, FALKIRK

D How Observed
NAKED EYE

E Direction in which Object was First Seen
NORTH

F Angular Elevation of Object
ABOVE HEIGHT OF FLATS NEARBY

G Distance of Object from Observer
CLOSER THAN A STAR

H Movements of Object
STATIONARY THEN DISAPPEARED AFTER 1½.

J Meteorological Conditions During Observations.
Moving clouds, haze, mist etc SKY CLEAR

K Nearby Objects

L To Whom Reported
STIRLING POLICE + FALKIRK POLICE

M Name and Address of Informant
Section 40 [redacted] (MOBILE 'PHONE NO) Section 40 [redacted]

N Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered
PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN

O Other Witnesses
DAUGHTER + HUSBAND

P Date & Time of Receipt of Report
18 1200.

19 APR '96 11:06 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON PAGE.002
04.18.1996 12:19 FROM NATS SCORCC AIRWAYS SUPERVISOR

Fax to West Drayton [redacted]

REPORT OF A UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.

Date. 19-4-96

Time. [redacted] 1057 LOCAL

Duration. 1-2 MINS

B. Description of Object.

Number. 1

Size. LARGE [redacted] SLIGHTLY BIGGER THAN FIGHTER

Shape. DISC

Colours. SILVER

Brightness. Quite bright

Sound. NIL

Smell.

C. Exact Position of Observer.

Geographical Location. E-W UP Clyde

[redacted]. Indoors Setting Video

Stationary, Moving. [redacted]

D. How Object was Observed.

Naked Eye. ✓

~~Binoculars~~.

~~Still or Video~~ Camera,

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.

(A landmark may be useful)

over clyde moving west.

F. Angle if Sight.

HIGH ANGLE - HIGH LEVEL

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known landmark if possible)
caller thought at first it was a high altitude jet

H. **Movement of Object.**
object moved fast westerly then stopped over Holy Loch before moving off again

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds. BROKEN CLOUD

Haze.

Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
Holy Loch base

L. **To Whom Reported.**

Police.

Press.

Military Organisation. ✓

Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Name. Section 40 [redacted]

Addres [redacted]
Greenock

Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

NIL

O. **Other Witnesses.** NIL

Name.

Address.

P. **Date and Time of Receipt of report.**

Date. ~~19~~ 19 APR 96

Time. 1130 L

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 2020 20 APRIL 96
30 SECS SIGHTING.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, 100' DIAMETER
Shape, FERRIS WHEEL
Colours, RED LIGHTS
Brightness,
Sound, NIL.
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, WINCHESTER, WARWICK
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving, INSIDE CAR.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) SE.

F. **Angle of Sight.** JUST ABOVE HORIZON / TREETOP HEIGHT.

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) ½ - 1 mile.

H. **Movement of Object.** NIL.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR SKY

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** SOME RESIDENTIAL

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
STRATFORD UPON AVON POLICE / BIRMINGHAM

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]
ACCEPT WARWICKSHIRE

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
WIFE

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

96/121

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 21 1345± April 96 — 20 secs

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, One
Size,
Shape, OBLONG
Colours, SILVER
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell, NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** Stratford, London Borough of Newman
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** North
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** —

G. **Distance.** Below Flightpath
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Speed of a/c.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Houses

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted], Bow, London

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.** Section 40 [redacted]

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O. **Other Witnesses.** Girlfriend + friend

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

19/2008 30 Seconds

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

At one mile appeared about 6 ins Cigar shaped with raised top - yellow

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

High Crompton, Shaw, Oldham, outdoors. Initially stationary for 20 seconds then turned away and moved off at high spee

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

Naked eye

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

Looking North.

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

approach height of aircraft inbound to Manchester (approx 1500')

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

1 mile

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

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i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

Sky clear

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

Similar to open moorland

l. **Name and Address of Informant**

Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted], OLDHAM

m. **Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

13 year old

n. **Other Witnesses**

1 13 year old
1 14 year old

o. **Date and Time of Receipt**

19/2202

from P.C. Section 40 [redacted]
ROYTON POLICE Stn.
OLDHAM

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), Latce on ext. Section 40 [redacted] **and**

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)

RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

0410 LOCAL 22·04·96 WATCHED FOR 1 HR.

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

COLOURED LIGHTS - "NOT A HELICOPTER"

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

PENNINES BEYOND CHADDLERTON. MOVING THEN STATIONARY THEN TOWARDS MIDDLETON

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

NAKED EYE + TELESCOPE

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

REFER TO 'C'

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

NOT ASSESSED

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

A FEW MILES

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

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i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

CLEAR, GOOD VISIBILITY

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

JUST ROOFS.

l. Name and Address of Informant

Section 40 [redacted]

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered. (WORK)

FILED A REPORT IN THE PAST (AFEW MONTHS AGO). CALLER BELIEVED WE SHOULD HAVE SEEN ACTIVITY ON RADAR.

n. Other Witnesses

NO

o. Date and Time of Receipt

04:25Z 22.04.96
(05:25 LOCAL)

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), Latcc on ext. Section 40 and

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)

RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

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REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A Date, Time and Duration of Sighting 1½ in Sky.
17/4/96 @ 2200-0015

B Description of Object
THOUGHT N.STAR BUT TOO CLOSE AND TOO BRIGHT

C Exact Position of Observer BACK DOOR
Section 40 [redacted], FALKIRK

D How Observed
NAKED EYE

E Direction in which Object was First Seen
NORTH

F Angular Elevation of Object
ABOVE HEIGHT OF FLATS NEARBY

G Distance of Object from Observer
CLOSER THAN A STAR

H Movements of Object
STATIONARY THEN DISAPPEARED AFER 1½.

J Meteorological Conditions During Observations.
Moving clouds, haze, mist etc SKY CLEAR

K Nearby Objects

L To Whom Reported
STIRLING POLICE + FALKIRK POLICE

M Name and Address of Informant (MOBILE 'PHONE NO)
Section 40 [redacted]

N Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered
PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN

O Other Witnesses
DAUGHTER + HUSBAND

P Date & Time of Receipt of Report
1200.

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	18·4·96 2030 – 2330.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	WHITE LIGHTS HOVERING FOR 3 HOURS - MOVING SLIGHTLY
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	N.W. MANCHESTER.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	10 OTHERS
15. Date and time of receipt	19.4.96 09:30.
16. Remarks	

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
17th APRIL 2230 30 MIN.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, HALF SIZE OF MOON.
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT → DULL.
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, ~~TAMWORTH~~ HOCKLEY IN TAMWORTH
~~Indoors~~, Outdoors,
Stationary, ~~Moving~~,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera~~.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) NORTH.

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.** 2nm
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** SLOWING. THEN GONE

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
HOUSING ESTATE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, ~~Military Organisation~~, Airport, BIRMINGHAM.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40

HOCKLEY TAMWORTH

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**
SECOND SIGHTING.

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NO.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
2230Z

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
SEC(AS)1
18 APR 1996

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	15 & 17 APRIL 1996
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	BRIGHT WHITE LIGHTS THAT MOVE QUICKLY, D-SHAPED + TEN KETLIN
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	INDOORS
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	ERRATIC
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	TOWER BLOCK

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	18.4.96 10.00AM
16. Remarks	Section 40 telephoned on 11.4.96 to report the same sighting on 16.2.96. She insists it's not aircraft, weather balloons, stars, etc.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 091930* 10 mins

B. Description of Object.
Number, One
Size,
Shape, Large Polythene Bag type, White + Blue
Colours, Microlight type shape
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell, } Nil

C. Exact Position of Observer. Noctorum. The Wirrall
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. East to West
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. Angle of Sight. 1000 ft

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) One mile

H. Movement of Object. Slowly

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. Trees + Houses

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Liverpool Airport

M. Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
Has knowledge on a/c

O. Other Witnesses.
nextdoor neighbour

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE 10 APR 1996 WEST

TAYSIDE POLICE

Statement No.

CIVILIAN WITNESS STATEMENT

Surname: Section 40 [redacted]
Forenames:
Known as or Alias:
Date & Place of Birth: Section 40 [redacted]
Address(H) Section 40 [redacted], PERTH Section 40

Maiden Name:
Title:
Age: 38
Occupation: PLUMBER

Tel. No: 01738 636367 Div:

Address(B)

Tel. No: Div:

Address(c/o)

Tel. No: Div:

HOLIDAY DATES: From: To: From: To:

Taken by: Section 40 [redacted]
Number:
At: (Time) 2225 hrs
At: (Location) Section 40 [redacted], PERTH
I was accompanied by: Section 40 [redacted]
Rank: Constable Number: Section 40 Div/Dept: Western/Perth
when the statement was noted.
The statement was not signed in my notebook by the witness.

Rank: CONSTABLE
Div/Dept: WESTERN/PERTH
On: (Day, Date) Wednesday 3 April 1996

STATES:-

About 2040 hours, Tuesday 2nd April 1996, I was driving northwards on the A1, about 30 miles south of Edinburgh (near large cement works), when I saw two Orange/Red coloured circular lights in the sky one on top of the other. They appeared to be flying at the height of an airliner, they shot across the sky in a westerly direction but I would say their speed was at least eight times faster than a normal jet.

I pulled into a layby to watch these objects, after I had parked up I noticed one of the objects had disappeared. The other appeared to be hovering, I couldn't understand how it had come to stop so quickly due to the speed it travelled across the sky. The object then began to move slowly southwards and the whole thing was flashing in and out. I watched it until it disappeared out of sight.

The sky was clear and the weather was fine.

Signed .....

Dated .....

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	17/4/96 1030PM - 1230AM 2 HOURS
B	Description of Object	BRIGHT SPOTLIGHT
C	Exact Position of Observer	HOME
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	ABOVE HOLLGLEN (IN AREA OF FALKIRK)
F	Angular Elevation of Object	NOT DETERMINED
G	Distance of Object from Observer	NOT DETERMINED
H	Movements of Object	MADE OFF TOWARDS AIRDRIE, HEADING SOUTH
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	SHOWERS, CLOUDY, RAIN
K	Nearby Objects	—
L	To Whom Reported	FALKIRK POLICE STATION
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] FALKIRK
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NONE
O	Other Witnesses	POLICE CCTV OPERATOR, SAW POSSIBLE BRIGHT LIGHT ON CAMERA, THEY HAVE FOOTAGE OF LIGHT.
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	18/4/96 0715Z [redacted]

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT

1. the following report was taken by Flt Lt Section 40 on 17 Apr 96:

a. Date & Time of Sighting. 15 Apr 96 between 2325 - 2345(L)

b. Description of Object. A white light the size of the pole star with a ring around it.

c. Exact Position of Oserver. On the road just outside the village of Kellaf, Nr Elgin Scotland.

d. How Observed. The witness was outside looking at the comet when he first noticed the object with the naked eye, then through binoculars.

e. Direction in which the Object was First Seen. Northerly.

f. Angle of sight. 85 degrees from the horizon.

g. Distance. Very distant, if stationary it would have the appearance of a star.

h. Movement. It moved from the North in a SW direction, before turning NE and later heading S before disappearing. All movements were approx at speed similar to that of a shooting star.

j. Met Conditions. A clear night with some cloud.

k. To Whom Reported. RAF Buchans duty watch.

l. Name & Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted]

m. Any Background Information Volunteered. Nil

n. Other Witnesses. There were no other witnesses at that location, however, the incident was apparently reported on the local radio.

p. Date & Time of Reciept of Report. 170830ZAPR96.

q. Remarks. The witness spoke to his neighbour Gp Capt Section 40 (Rtd), before reporting the incident.

Section 40 [redacted]

Flt Lt
For OC

Cats support

Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 11-4-96 2230 ~~~~

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size, MEDIUM.
Shape, TRIANGULAR
Colours, 3 ORANGE LIGHTS
Brightness, FAIRLY BRIGHT
Sound, NO.
Smell, NO

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C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location,
Indoors, ~~Outdoors~~,
~~Stationary~~, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, ~~Still or Video Camera~~.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful)
FALMOUTH DOCKS

F. Angle of Sight.

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 1/2 MILE.

H. Movement of Object. STRAIGHT LINE GAINING GRADUAL HEIGHT.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
~~Haze, Mist~~.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. FALMOUTH DOCKS AND PENDENNIS CASTLE

L. To Whom Reported.
~~Police, Press~~, Military Organisation, ~~Airport~~.
UFO HOTLINE

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted], CORNWALL

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses. MOTHER, FATHER, BROTHER

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report. 12-4-96 1010 L

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 13th APRIL 2130 – STILL PRESENT AT TIME OF REPORT.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, – ONE
Size, – "V. LARGE"
Shape, – STARLIKE
Colours, – BLUE
Brightness, – VERY.
Sound, – NIL
Smell, – NIL

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, – SURBITON.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) WEST TOWARDS EPSOM.

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NOT KNOWN

H. **Movement of Object.** STATIONARY.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. SKY CLEAR.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** —

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
KINGSTON POLICE.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
"RINGS POLICE REGULARLY, BUT DOESN'T NORMALLY WANT THEM TO CONTACT US, HOWEVER TONIGHT SHE DID"

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NOT OTHER.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

ENCLOSURE NUMBER

ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1.	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	13 Apr 1900-1930Z
2.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Star (Very bright)
3.	Location (indoor/outdoor stationary/moving)	outdoors
4.	How observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or moving)	naked eye
5.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	West
6.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	+35°
7.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Far distance
8.	Movements (Changes in 5,6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Originally moving then stationery (15 mins)
9.	Met conditions during observations (Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc)	Very clear - Twilight
10.	Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines reservoir,lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys,steeples,spires, TV or Radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nil
11.	To whom reported (Police, military, press, etc)	Met office Bracknell, Heathrow then 999 call

12.	Name and Address of Informant Name Address	Section 40 [redacted] Addlestone, Surrey Section 40 [redacted]
13.	Background of informant that may be volunteered	Nil
14.	Other Witnesses	-
15.	Date, Time of Receipt	131930Z Apr 96
16.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	Nil
17.	Remarks	Nil

Date: 15 Apr 96

Section 40 [redacted]
RO2
Duty Operations Officer
Air Force Operations
MB JOC136R Section 40 [redacted]

Distribution:

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AEW/GE3, Room 4217 Main Building
DI55c, Room 336 Old War Office

NB. Note that the format of this form accords with Civpol formats

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	3 APRIL 1996 1520 - 1530 2 MINUTES
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	ONE VERY BRIGHT LIGHT, CIRCULAR. VERY HIGH IN THE SKY. EST. 50,000FT.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	ABOVE EAST MIDLANDS AIRPORT
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	STATIONARY, THEN ZIG-ZAGGED
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	A 767 NORTHBOUND ON EAST MIDLANDS AIRPORT FLIGHT PATH. OBJECT APPEARED TO BE ABOVE THE 767.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	WEST DRAYTON -
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	3 APRIL 1996 1545
16. Remarks	

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	2/4/96 AND VARIOUS OTHER NIGHTS 1000 – 1030
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	BLUE + RED. VERY BRIGHT. COULD BE A STAR.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	ON BALCONY OF FLAT
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	BINOCULARS
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	ABOVE CENTRE POINT
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	STARTS HIGH THEN SLOWLY DESCENDS
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR NIGHT
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	CENTRE POINT

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] LONDON Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	LOOKS A PLANES ETC A LOT AS A HOBBY
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	4/4/96 0930
16. Remarks	ADAMENT IT WAS NOT A PLANE.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 04 APR 96 1930z - 2180z

B. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, V. LARGE STAR
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE GREEN
Brightness, V. BRIGHT
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, N.W LONDON
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) NORTH EAST

F. Angle of Sight. JUST ABOVE HORIZON

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) Approx 2 nm

H. Movement of Object. Stationary

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear Sky

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. Residential Area

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Met Police, Heathrow

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted]
CRICKLEWOOD LONDON Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.
2180z 04 APR 96

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09 APR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
~~05/04/96~~ ~~1600~~ N/K

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size, N/K
Shape, LONG SHAPE
Colours, BRIGHT WHITE SEARCH LIGHT
Brightness, VERY
Sound, VERY LOUD
Smell,

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, BUILT UP AREA
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) N/K

F. Angle of Sight. N/K

G. Distance. N/K
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. Movement of Object. HOVERED OVER HOUSE

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, N/K
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. HOMES

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
SMJ

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40
BINFIELD BERKS

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

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09 APR 1996
EST DRAYTON

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 05/04/96 2100z

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 5
Size, N/K
Shape, Round
Colours, White
Brightness, Very Faint
Sound, Nil
Smell, Nil

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, East Lothian
Indoors, Outdoors, Outdoors
Stationary, Moving, Stationary

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Binoculars (x7)

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) 340°m

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, Clear Sky
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Nil - V. Rural Area

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
RAF Leuchars Edinburgh Airport

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 North Berwick East Lothian

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Amateur Astronomer

O. **Other Witnesses.**
• Nil

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
05/04/96 2200z

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09 APR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
05/04/96 1000PM 30MINS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, NOT ONE
Size, LARGE ROUND PLATE
Shape,
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, WOOLTON LIVERPOOL
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) S.E.

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NIL

H. **Movement of Object.** STATIONARY ONE OBJECT PULSATING OUTWARDS AND BACK

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** BUILT UP

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
LIVERPOOL Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

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O. **Other Witnesses.**
NEIGHBOUR

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
7/4/96 2002

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 2100-2325 2nd April 96.

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size, LARGE
Shape, SQUARE
Colours, BLUE
Brightness, VERY
Sound, } NIL.
Smell, }

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08 APR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, – REDRUTH, WEST CULDROSE.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) WEST OF CULDROSE.

F. Angle of Sight 45°

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) UNSURE.

H. Movement of Object. STATIONARY, MOVED EAST QUICKLY, THEN RETURNED WEST AGAIN.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. SKY CLEAR, 20KM VISIBILITY.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. ATC TOWER.

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. Name and Address of Informant.
ADMIN SECTION,
CULDROSE AIR TRAFFIC.

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

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O. Other Witnesses. SEVEN OTHER PEOPLE RANG CULDROSE ATC.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.
2328 2nd APRIL 96.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	2 APR 96 23.25 HRS 2½ SECONDS.
B.	Desciption of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	BRIGHT WHITE BALL WITH TAIL - LATER ORANGE TINGE AND FLUCTUATING LIGHT INTENSITY.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	OUTSIDE HOME.
D.	How Observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	NAKED EYE.
E.	Direction in which Object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	NNE
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	30°
G	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	?
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	TRAVELLED LEFT TO RIGHT, THROUGH 25° ALMOST DEFINITE DYING.
I.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR & COLD.
J.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high Voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

K.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	POLICE ADVISED Section 40 TO CALL US.
L.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] ATTLD Section 40 [redacted]
M.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	RETIRED BANK OFFICIAL.
N.	Other Witnesses	—
O.	Date, Time of Receipt	09.00 3 APR 96
P.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	—
Q.	Remarks	NOT FAST ENOUGH FOR SHOOTING STAR - PERHAPS SPACE DEBRIS?

N of A

Rang S. Ref. O. re Teleg dated. Nothing significant reported last night — probably small item of space debris — fairly common occurrence: Section 40 [redacted] refd.

Section 40 [redacted]

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 2nd April - 2325 - 10-15secs.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, LARGE.
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NIL.
Smell,

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, PRESTWICK.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) N - S.

F. **Angle of Sight.** —

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** QUICK

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, SKY CLEAR.
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** —

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
PRESTWICK, ATC.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** - VIA PRESTWICK ATC.
Section 40 [redacted],
PRESTWICK.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
—

O. **Other Witnesses.**
—

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
2350 2/4/96

3 APR 96 11:20 FROM CULDROSE OPS M-AIR 02/04/96 22:48 PG:

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

96/101

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 2/4/96 2350L CONTINUOUS

B. **Description of Object.**
- **Number,** ONE
- **Size,** UNUSUALLY WHITE LIGHT, ABOUT A FIFTH THE SIZE OF THE A/C
- **Shape,** SQUARE
- **Colours,** WHITE
- **Brightness,** AS BRIGHT AS AN A/C LANDING LAMP, SLOWLY FADED OVER 1½
- **Sound,** NIL
- **Smell,** NIL

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
- **Geographical Location,** 50·05N 005°15W.
- **Indoors, Outdoors,** INDOORS
- **Stationary, Moving,** STATIONARY, ATC TOWER VCR

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED THEN EXAMINED WITH BINOCS

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) FROM CULDROSE TOWARDS LANDS END PENINSULA.

F. **Angle of Sight.** ABOUT 15° ABOVE THE HORIZONTAL. JUST BELOW THE GREAT BEAR CONSTELLATION

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) IMPOSSIBLE TO JUDGE, OVER 10 MILES AT LEAST, NOTHING SEEN ON RADAR TO 80nm

H. **Movement of Object.** MOVING, STATIONARY

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.** BLU, BLU CONDITIONS
- **Moving Clouds,** 1OKTA SC @ 4000 FT
- **Haze, Mist.** NIL

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NONE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. DFD CELL

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
S/Ldr Section 40 . RNAS CULDROSE, HELSTON, CORNWALL. Section 40
AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
WARRANT OFFICER Section 40, PETTY OFFICER Section 40

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 2/4/96 - 2335 - 10-15 Secs.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, LARGE
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY
Sound, } NIL
Smell, }

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, SOUTH OF AYR BY 2-3 MILES.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) N-S.

F. **Angle of Sight.** —

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** VERY QUICK.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. SKY CLEAR.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** —

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
PRESTWICK ATC

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** VIA PRESTWICK.
Section 40 [redacted], AYR.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

—

O. **Other Witnesses.** —

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
2350 2/4/96.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, time and duration of sighting. (Local times to be quoted).
1/4/96 KINGTON ST MICHAEL ~~2250~~ 2030-2100

B. Description of object. (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc).
BRILLIANT LIGHT, ~~BRA~~ elongated, red end.

C. Exact position observer. (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving).
STATIONARY, NO MOVEMENT

D. How observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).
Naked eye and Binoculars.

E. Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).
NOT MOVING

F. Angle of sight. (Estimated heights are unreliable).
1000'

G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).

H. Movements. (Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).

J. Meteorological conditions during observations. (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc).
Cloudy - NVG conditions.

K. Nearby Objects. (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake, swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting).

L. To whom reported. (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

M. Name and address of informa Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
WAS there a week ago!

O. Other witnesses.
NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOUR

P. Date and time of receipt of report. 1ST APRIL 2002.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

96/098

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
1 APR 96 2200 – 2250 A

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, ROUGH SHAPED OBJECT
Shape,
Colours, WHITE
Brightness,
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, NORTH BRIGHTON
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) NORTH WEST

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** STATIONARY

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, NO CLOUDS
Haze, Mist. NO MIST

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** FLATS NEARBY

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
BRIGHTON Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
EX SERVICE

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NIL

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT

96/097

A. Date Time (local) and Duration of Sighting

Approximately 0001 local 4/7/96 to 0030 local 4/7/96

B. Description of Object

Initially saw a bright light in the sky - which looked like a "Silver Christmas Tree".

C. Exact position of Observer.

Putting her cat out at her home address.

D. How observed.

Naked eye.

F. Angle of sight

Observer was asked whether the object was high in the sky or near the horizon, to which the reply given was "medium". Object was seen in the general direction of Harrow.

G. Distance.

Unsure - believed to be 5 to 10 miles.

H. Movement

Object appeared to be stationary.

J. Met conditions at the time.

Question not asked of the observer (copy of this form was not available until AFTER the conversation with the observer - given the time of night did not call back with further questions).

K. Nearby Objects.

See answer to para J.

L. Has the sighting been reported to any other agency?

Not by the observer.

M. Name and address of the informant.

Section 40

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Pinner

tel. Section 40

N. Any volunteered background information on the informant.

Informant is a 70 year old lady, who described herself as "not a crank". Her husband was an American, which made her think of ringing NATO to report the UFO.

O. Other witnesses.

The informant stated that she asked one of her neighbours to look, and that the neighbour also saw the object. Name of neighbour not obtained, for reason given in para J.

P. Date and time of receipt of report.

4/7/96 0040 local.

Q. Any other information.

Nil

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

96/076

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 081700* April '96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number,
Size,
Shape,
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,
A light with no distinguished shape, dropped through a cloud and emerged as two ∪ shaped red + white large pulsating lights.

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, Formby Caravan Point
Indoors, Outdoors
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

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E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** N/K.
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.** 1 1/2 miles away
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Static then dropped through cloud

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Sunshine + Clouds

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Sandunes + waste ground

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
+ local Coastguard.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted].

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.** Liverpool Section 40
Section 40 [redacted] was talking to a lady, who said a crater had been formed where he saw the object - the same day.

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
081305*. May 96

FAX NO [redacted]

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

96/075

1. Date, time and duration of sighting.
   07 MAY 1945 APPROX 5 MINS.
2. Description of object.
   GOLF BALL SHAPE, GLOWING RED, LOOKED METALLIC.
3. Exact position observed.
   ODIHAM HIGH ST.
4. How observed.
   NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object was first seen.
   ABOUT 1/2 MILE.
6. Angle of sight.
7. Distance.
8. Movements.
   MOVING ALONGSIDE THE HIGH ST HOVERED ONCE.
9. Meteorological conditions during observations.
   CLEAR BLUE SKY.
10. Nearby objects.
11. To whom reported.
    SGT [redacted] DOC STN OPS RAF ODIHAM
12. Name, address and telephone number of informant.

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BASINGSTOKE HANTS.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

CLOSURE

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
Several times. 16th May 19[redacted] 1030-1100 (L)

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1 [redacted]one by 0005 (L)
Size,
Shape, like a v. bright star but bigger.
Colours, White.
Brightness,
Sound, N/A
Smell, N/A.

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
(Indoors), Outdoors,
(Stationary), Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye), Binoculars, Still or Video Camera

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
Over Halkyn.

F. **Angle of Sight.**
N/K.

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible

H. **Movement of Object.**
Slight movement.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
Over bungalow.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
No.

M. **Name and Address of informant.**
Section 40
Section 40
CLEWYD.
HOLLY WELL
Section 40

N. **Any Background of the informant that may [redacted] volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Neighbour.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
171032 MAY '96.

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Memorandum

MOD Form 4 (Revised 9/89)

To: Section 40

Date 8 MAR 96

Your Reference

From: FLT LT Section 40
DUTY OPS CONTROLLER

Number X Section 40 (RAF LYNEHAM)

Our Reference

Subject: UFO SIGHTING - 7 MAR 96.

1. I REFER TO A TELEPHONE CALL MADE TO US BY A Section 40 :- Section 40 / I waited this, to keep the pot boiling! Section 40 asked to be kept informed of follow up, in particular reports from the Herc. crew. Keep me informed. Section 40 26/3.

FAILSWORTH
MANCHESTER
(THE MANCHESTER - Section 40)

2. HE REPORTED A HERCULES AT CHASING A LARGE TRIANGULAR OBJECT AT LOW LEVEL OVER THE MSD AT AROUND 2030L ON 7 MARCH. HE SAID THE TRIANGULAR OBJECT WAS LARGER THAN THE HERCULES, AND ALSO THAT THE HERCULES WAS APPROX 70 FT OF THE GROUND.

3. WE HAD HERCULES AIRCRAFT OPERATING IN THE AREA LAST NIGHT, BUT OPERATING TO 250 FT ABOVE GROUND LEVEL.

4. Section 40 HAS GOT "PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE" FROM HIS CAMERA OF THE UFO SIGHTING, BUT REPORTED NO LIGHTS OR ANY OTHER DISTINGUISHING FEATURES.

5. PLEASE COULD YOU FORWARD TO US ANY UFO REPORTING FORMS YOU HAVE.

Name (in Block Letters Please): Section 40 Signature: Section 40 Rank: FLT LT

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96/092

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	END OF FEBRUARY/ EARLY MARCH. 2015
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	MASSIVE BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT. WINDOW UNDERNEATH THEN 5 LIGHTS UNDER THE WINDOW.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	IN HER FLAT
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	STATIONERY THEN MOVED OFF AFTER A FEW SECONDS.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR NIGHT
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	BUILT UP AREA.

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	—
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] LONDON Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	20/5/96 1400hrs
16. Remarks	REPLY REQUESTED.

96/091

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	7.3.96 5 MINUTES 0730 - 0735
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	ONE SILVER, SHINY DISC. NO LIGHTS, SOUND OR SMELL. IT WAS QUITE SMALL
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	GOING SOUTHBOUND ON A10, NEAR BROXBOURNE, HERTS. STOPPED CAR IN LAY-BY TO WATCH
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	VERY HIGH
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	THE OBJECT WAS STATIONARY FOR 5 MINS, THEN WHEN HE LOOKED UP AGAIN, IT HAD GONE.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	BRIGHT, PARTLY CLOUDY.
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	MCD
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] HERTS. Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	7.3.96 09:50
16. Remarks	

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 06 MAR 96 2100 - 2241

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, SINGLE
Size, GLOBE APPROX 2FT
Shape,
Colours, PINK GREEN YELLOW
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound, NO SOUND
Smell, NO UNUSUAL SMELL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, LOOKING SOUTHWEST FROM HOUSE
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOOR AND OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) TOWARDS LAPWORTH CHURCH

F. **Angle of Sight.** 75°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NO DETAILS

H. **Movement of Object.** ZIG-ZAGGING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR STARLITE NIGHT
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** LAPWORTH CHURCH

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT

I. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted] WARWICKSHIRE

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be considered.**

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REPORT OF AN

96/089

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 2350 — 2322 ±

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size,
Shape, STAR SHAPED
Colours, ALL COLOURS MAINLY GREEN RED BLUES
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, RYDE, ISLE OF WIGHT - HOUSE
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS + OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE, THEN BINOCULARS

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** SOUTHWEST
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** 60° LOWERING TO 30° WITH TIME

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NIL

H. **Movement of Object.** BASICALLY STATIONARY BUT HAS MOVED OVER TIME PERIOD

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, BROKEN CLOUD
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** HOUSE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. POLICE

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]

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N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be V[illegible]**

O. **Other Witnesses.** NO

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.** 06 MAR 96 2325 ±

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REPORT OF AN [illegible]

96/088

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
6 MAR 2230 – 2250.

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size,
Shape, ROUND
Colours, RED, BLUE, GREEN WHITE (FLASHING)
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NO
Smell, NO.

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, STOURPORT ON SEVERN.
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, ~~Moving~~,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, ~~Still or Video Camera~~.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) WEST.

F. Angle of Sight 80°

G. Distance. NOT SURE
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. Movement of Object. NO.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.
HOUSES.

L. To Whom Reported.
~~Police, Press, Military Organisation~~, Airport. BIRMINGHAM

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted] STOURPORT

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
Section 40 [redacted]

O. Other Witnesses.
5 OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

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07 MAR [illegible]
WEST [illegible]

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

96/087

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	4TH MARCH CLEAR SKY WEST KILBRIDE/ARRAN MILFORT
B	Description of Object	VERY BRIGHT LIGHT.
C	Exact Position of Observer	WEST KILBRIDE. 1/2M FROM HUNTERSTON POWER STATION. ~~2 THIRD PART~~ W KILBRIDE
D	How Observed	AT ABOUT 7PM. IN FIELD.
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	STATIC OBJECT.
F	Angular Elevation of Object	? 20/25°. Possible sighting of 96/087
G	Distance of Object from Observer?	
H	Movements of Object	~~[illegible]~~ AT 2000 CHANGED MOVED NORTH. ~~AT 2100 DISAPPEARED.~~
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR SKY. VISABILITY VERY GOOD
K	Nearby Objects	GOALDENBERRY HILL
L	To Whom Reported	NOBODY
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] W. KILBRIDE [redacted] Section 40
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	
O	Other Witnesses	WIFE + NEIGHBOUR'S
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	4TH MARCH 2230.

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WEST DRAYTON

96/086

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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04 MAR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	3/3/96 ~~1600~~ 2100 - 2115 10 - 15 MINS
B	Description of Object	VERY BRIGHT LIGHT
C	Exact Position of Observer	WEST KILBRIDE NR HI GOLDENBERRY HILL
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	DUE SOUTH OF GOLDENBERRY HILL
F	Angular Elevation of Object	APPROX 20°
G	Distance of Object from Observer	APPROX ½ MILE
H	Movements of Object	SLOW MOVEMENT DOWN
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR
K	Nearby Objects	GOLDENBERRY HILL
L	To Whom Reported	EGPX.
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] WEST KILBRIDE Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	
O	Other Witnesses	
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	3/3/96 2115

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ROUTINE 072050Z MAR 96

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK ATR

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SIC Z6F
FAO MOD SEC(AS)2A
SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 072020Z MAR 96
B. GLOWING RED LIGHT. WIDTH AND DEPTH. NO SOUND OR SMELL
C. OUTDOORS IN COUPAR ANGUS - STATIONARY
D. NAKED EYE
E. WEST/SOUTH WEST
F. NOT KNOWN HEIGHT ESTIMATED (0000FT)
G. NOT KNOWN
J. CLEAR
M. Section 40 [redacted] COUPAR ANGUS TEL
Section 40 [redacted]
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FOR CAB

ROUTINE 040800Z MAR 96

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F
ATTN MODSEC(AS)2A). SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 032030Z MAR 96
B. LARGE CYLINDRICAL OBJECT, FLUORESCENT GREEN OUTSIDE.
RING OF WHITE WITH PINK INSIDE. BLACK SPOTS APPREARED AND DISAPPEARE
ACROSS THE OBJECT
C. OUTSIDE LOOKING FROM BETTICUR TOWARDS BURNT ISLAND
D. BINOCULARS
E. SEE CHARLIE
F. 45 DEG
G. NOT KNOWN
H. NONE
I. CLEAR
J. NONE
K. RAF LEUCHARS. AIR OPERATIONS

PAGE 2 RBDBVU 0001 UNCLAS
L. Section 40 [redacted] KINGHORN. Section 40
Section 40
M. NIL
N. WIFE
O. 032105Z MAR 96
P. YES

DISTRIBUTION Z6F

AB 1 SEC(AS) ACTION (CXV 1 AFDO)
KL 1 DD GE/AEW
AP 1 DI 55

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	7 MAR 96 — 21.20 HRS 10 MINS
B.	Desciption of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	NOT SEEN CLEARLY BUT VERY LARGE, (TENNIS COURT OR BIGGER) WITH 20 OR MORE RED LIGHTS IN A PERFECT CIRCLE AS VIEWED. NO SOUND AT ALL
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	DRIVING TOWARDS BRECON FROM NORTH EAST. 1 MILE FROM BRECON TOWN CENTRE.
D.	How Observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	NAKED EYE.
E.	Direction in which Object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	FROM RIGHT (NORTH) SLOWLY MOVING TOWARDS CAR. DRIVER STOPPED UNTIL OBJECT WAS VERY LOW (A FEW YARDS AWAY THE CAR) AND THEN JUST DROVE OFF
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) NOT ABLE TO ASSESS	IN FRIGHT.
G	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	OBJECT TOOK 10 MINS TO APPROACH
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	VERY SLOW APPROACH FROM RIGHT UNTIL OVER STATIONARY CAR.
I.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	GOOD CLEAR WEATHER.
J.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high Voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	NONE REALLY.

K.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	RAF (CRO) WALES
L.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 BALA, POWYS, Section 40
M.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	? TEL: Section 40
N.	Other Witnesses	Section 40 TWO CHILDREN.
O.	Date, Time of Receipt	10.00 13 MAR 96
P.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	No.
Q.	Remarks	Section 40 HAS BEEN CONCERNED ABOUT THIS SIGHTING SINCE IT HAPPENED AS WAS PUT IN TOUCH WITH US, VIA A FRIEND, Section 40

RAF COMMUNITY
RELATIONS OFFICER (WALES)
NEW DOLANOG HOUSE
SEVERN ROAD
WELSHPOOL
POWYS
SY21 7DA

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**

122110 # Mar 96. 5 Minutes

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B. **Description of Object.**

Number, 1
Size, 30 - 50 ft diameter
Shape, round
Colours, black metallic
Brightness, 6u different lights, red, green, blue, yellow
Sound, Whining noise and metal tinkling noise.
Smell, —

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**

Geographical Location,
(Indoors), Outdoors,
(Stationary), Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**

(Naked Eye), Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

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E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)

Walsall.

F. **Angle of Sight.**

V. low. 50 ft.

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.**

moved very quick then disappeared.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Cold and Clear.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

Police and Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**

Section 40 [redacted]

Pelsaw
Walsall.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

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P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

131000 # Mar '96.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 9 MAR 96 1900 – 2020+

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, SMALL
Shape, ROUND
Colours, RED / GRN / YLO ETC ETC
Brightness, BRIGHT / FLICKERING.
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, SEE M'
Indoors, Outdoors, IN + OUT DOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE + BINOCULARS

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** SW TOWARDS CLACTON
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** ≈ 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) ?

H. **Movement of Object.** NONE!

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.** CLEAR (BUT FOGGY FURTHER NE)
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NO

L. **To Whom Reported.** D+D ONLY.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
NR CLACTON-ON-SEA.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.** Section 40 [redacted]
WOULD LIKE TO BE INFORMED OF ANY FINDINGS.
(PLANET SUGGESTED)

O. **Other Witnesses.** NO

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.** 9 MAR 96. 2020

** TOTAL PAGE.002 **

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
13/03/96 0045 6-7SECS

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE
Size, SIZE OF FOOT BALL PITCH
Shape, OBLONG
Colours, ~~WHITE~~ ORANGE GREEN STRIPES.
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

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C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, BIRMINGHAM
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. SE
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. Angle of Sight 45° 800 FT

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) OVERHEAD

H. Movement of Object STILL THEN WEST VERY FAST

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, 1000FT
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. BUILT UP AREA

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted]
KINGSTANDING Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses.
NIL

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.
13/03/96 2304.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 061245* MAR 15 mins

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B. Description of Object.
Number, One
Size,
Shape, Circle of white lights,
Colours, with flashing red lights
Brightness,
Sound, plus beam.
Smell,

C. Exact Position of Observer. Between Amersham + H. Wycombe.
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
(Naked Eye) Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) towards Amersham

F. Angle of Sight. High Up

G. Distance. N/K
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. Movement of Object. Stationary, then moved past.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. NIL

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Amersham

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Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted] H. Wycombe Bucks

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

NIL

O. Other Witnesses.

NIL

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 061900* Mar 96

B. Description of Object. Seen for 10 mins
Number, One
Size,
Shape, V shaped object
Colours,
Brightness, With three lights
Sound,
Smell,

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C. Exact Position of Observer. 5-6 MILES OUTSIDE ~~ABERDEEN~~
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) Towards Aberdeen

F. Angle of Sight. N/K

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K

H. Movement of Object. Very Fast

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Not a clear night

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. N/K

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Aberdeen Airport

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted], Aberdeen, Tel: Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
NIL

O. Other Witnesses.
+Husband + Son.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	07/03/96 2110 2-3 MINS
B	Description of Object	DISK YELLOW WINDOWS VERY LARGE
C	Exact Position of Observer	BOGHALL BATHGATE
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	HEADING EAST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	HIGH IN SKY (60°?)
G	Distance of Object from Observer	POSSIBLY MORE THAN 1 MILE
H	Movements of Object	VERY FAST IN A STRAIGHT LINE
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR
K	Nearby Objects	VIEW FROM TOP OF A HILL (BUILT UP AREA)
L	To Whom Reported	AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] BATHGATE Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	[redacted]
O	Other Witnesses	2 SONS 15, 13 YRS
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	07/03 2250

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FOR CAB

ROUTINE 072050Z MAR 96

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F
FAO MOD SEC(AS)2A
SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 072020Z MAR 96
B. GLOWING RED LIGHT, WIDTH AND DEPTH, NO SOUND OR SMELL
C. OUTDOORS IN COUPLE ANGLE - STATIONARY
D. NAKED EYE
E. WEST/SOUTH WEST
F. NOT KNOWN HEIGHT ESTIMATED [2000AF]
G. NOT KNOWN
J. CLEAR
M. Section 40 TEL
Section 40
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CXL 1 ID GE/AEW
CAF 1 DI SS

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

7/4/96

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
27TH MARCH 2305. 10 Seconds.

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, THREE
Size, LARGE
Shape, TRIANGULAR, EVENLY SPACED.
Colours, ORANGE
Brightness, NOT VERY BRIGHT
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, (Outdoors,)
(Stationary,) Moving,

AT THE TIME WAS LOOKING FOR THE COMET, WHEN NOTICED THE OBJECTS. THEY TURNED 45° AND DISAPPEARED IN TO THE WESTERN NIGHT SKY.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye,) (Binoculars,) Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
OVER BANBURY

F. **Angle of Sight.**
BETWEEN COMET AND HORIZON

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
N/K

H. **Movement of Object.**
RAPIDLY BANKED IN TO AN ARC

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
HOUSING ESTATE.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
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M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
BANBURY Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NO

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
1ST APRIL: 1230.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
29 MAR 96 / 2045 / 45 MINS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, SINGLE WHITE PULSATING LIGHT
Size,
Shape, OVAL
Colours, RED + ORANGE FLASHES
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT THEN LIKE A STAR
Sound, NO SOUND
Smell, NO SMELL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTSIDE ADDRESS
Stationary, Moving, LOOKING NE APPROX

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. STRONG GLASSES

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** 10°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.**

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLOUDY BLACK NIGHT
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** HOUSING ESTATE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
TEESIDE AIRPORT / LOCAL ADVERTISEMENT

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
THORNABY.
CLEVELAND.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
FRIEND

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
29 MAR96/2110 / 7c/96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number,
Size,
Shape,
Colours, WHITE WITH HAZEY GLOW BEHIND
Brightness,
Sound, ~~LOUD~~ WHISTLE
Smell, —

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS LOOKING WEST
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** 30 - 45

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) ½ MILE

H. **Movement of Object.** FAST MOVING WEST THEN CLIMING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, LITTLE CLOUD
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** —

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
MANCHESTER AIRPORT

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
REDDISH
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.** HUSBAND

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
29 MAR 96 1930 15 MINS

E. **Description of Object.**
Number, VERY BRIGHT LIGHTS HIGH IN THE SKY
Size,
Shape,
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, OVER CUMBRIA AND
Indoors, Outdoors, MORECAMBE BAY
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) WEST THEN SOUTH

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45° - 55°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 30000FT ABOVE A CRUISING JET A/C

H. **Movement of Object.** ERRATIC UP AND DOWN AND SIDE TO SIDE

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.** DISAPPEARED THEN REAPPEARED IN DIFFERENT LOCATIONS THEN FOLLOWING JET A/C
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR ALMOST DUSK

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
MANCHESTER AIRPORT.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
ULVERSTON
CUMBRIA
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
EX ROYAL MARINE

O. **Other Witnesses.**
4 OTHER FAMILIES IN VILLAGE

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 310130* MAR 10 MINS. 70/96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, One
Size,
Shape,
Colours,
Brightness, Very Bright light, which would fade then get brighter.
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** WEST SUSSEX
Geographical Location,
(Indoors), Outdoors,
(Stationary), Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye), Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** South
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K Object seemed to be on the ground.

G. **Distance.** N/K
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Cant remember

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Trees

L. **To Whom Reported.**
(Police), Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted], W. Sussex

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.** Section 40 [redacted]

O. **Other Witnesses.**
NIL.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
& 311030* MAR 96.

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A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	28TH 2200/2210
B	Description of Object	LARGE (WHITE LIGHT) RED IN CENTRE and AROUND THE EDGE
C	Exact Position of Observer	FALKIRK
D	How Observed	VISUAL
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	EAST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	45°
G	Distance of Object from Observer	10000 FT
H	Movements of Object	steady
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	clear
K	Nearby Objects	NIL
L	To Whom Reported	
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NO
O	Other Witnesses	NO
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	29 2255

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
29 MAR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	28TH 2200/2210
B	Description of Object	LARGE (WHITE LIGHT) RED IN CENTRE AND AROUND THE EDGE
C	Exact Position of Observer	FALKIRK
D	How Observed	VISUAL
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	EAST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	45°
G	Distance of Object from Observer	15000 FT
H	Movements of Object	Steady
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR
K	Nearby Objects	NIL
L	To Whom Reported	
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NO
O	Other Witnesses	NO
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	29 0355

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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a. **DATE TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING** (Local times to be quoted)

28.3.96 1930 3/4 HR.

b. **DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT** (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

BRIGHT LIGHT

c. **EXACT POSITION OBSERVED** (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

d. **HOW OBSERVED** (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).

NAKED EYE

e. **DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN** (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

TOWARDS THE WEST WHEN TRAVELLING ON M55 TO BLACKPOOL

f. **ANGLE OF SIGHT** (Estimated heights are unreliable

NOT KNOWN

g. **DISTANCE** (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible

NOT STATED

h. **MOVEMENTS** (Changes in E, F, G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT WITH RAYS COMING OUT OF THE EDGES

i. **METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS** (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.)

LIGHT CLOUD IN SKY

j. **NEARBY OBJECTS** (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or other night lighting).

k. **TO WHOM REPORTED** (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

POLICE

l. **NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT**

Section 40 [redacted]

m. **ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED**

n. **OTHER WITNESSES**

o. **DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT**

28.3.96 2207

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on extensions Section 40 [redacted]

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)
RAF Main Building
Whitehall
LONDON
SW1

TOP

FEED DIRECTION

ENCLOSURE NO 64/96

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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1.	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	262000Z Mar 96 for 20 mins
2.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Big round lights spinning round like a beacon
3.	Location (indoor/outdoor stationary/moving)	Outdoors - moving quite fast
4.	How observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or moving)	Naked Eye
5.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Round in circles
6.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	1000 ft
7.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Half a mile
8.	Movements (Changes in 5,6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	-
9.	Met conditions during observations (Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc)	Fair
10.	Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines reservoir,lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys,steeples,spires, TV or Radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nil
11.	To whom reported (Police, military, press, etc)	Telephone operator gave them the number to call

12.	Name and Address of Informant Name Address	Section 40 [redacted]
13.	Background of informant that may be volunteered	School children
14.	Other Witnesses	3 kids (Ages 11/13/ 14) adult (Age 38)
15.	Date, Time of Receipt	262020Z Mar 96
16.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	Nil
17.	Remarks	Poor information

Date: 26 Mar 96

Section 40 [redacted]
RO2
Duty Operations Officer
Air Force Operations
MB JOC136R Section 40

Distribution:

Sec(AS)2a, Room 8245 Main Building
AEW/GE3, Room 4217 Main Building
DI55c, Room 336 Old War Office

NB. Note that the format of this form accords with Civpol formats

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 25TH MARCH 2015 for 15mins.

B. **Description of Object**
Number, - ONE.
Size, - LARGE, BUT QUITE HIGH.
Shape, - CIRCULAR.
Colours, - UNABLE TO SAY.
Brightness, - VERY
Sound, } UNABLE TO SAY.
Smell, }

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, BURTON ROAD, KENDAL, CUMBRIA.
(Indoors) Outdoors,
(Stationary) Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye) Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) NNW.

F. **Angle of Sight.** "QUITE HIGH".

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) UNABLE TO SAY.

H. **Movement of Object.** HOVERED FOR 10 OR 15 MINS, THEN "DISAPPEARED"

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, FINE. NO LOW CLOUD.
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** —

L. **To Whom Reported.**
(Police) Press, Military Organisation, Airport. P.C. Section 40 .
(INCIDENT NO:- 603)

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 KENDAL. Section 40

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
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O. **Other Witnesses.**
3 FAMILY MEMBERS.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
26TH MARCH - 2100.

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The complete details as received by telephone during the night of 21 MARCH 96 at 0245 are included below:

At SOUTH DRIVE I stopped the car to watch a "LIGHT FORMATION" which I had been following for several minutes.
The OBJECT or LIGHT FORMATION appeared moving slowly from the ANNIESLAND direction and was constant in height estimated at between 200 - 400 FEET ABOVE GROUND LEVEL.
Whilst stationary, in SOUTH DRIVE, I had an extremely clear view of the FORMATION then it came to a standstill very close to VICTORIA PARK.
It was in the form of a CHRISTMAS TREE at a height of APPROX. 200-300 FT AGL and remained there for between one and two minutes

I then observed another smaller object appear from ground level relative to where I was standing.
This object rose from behind some buildings that lay in my view and was of a definite triangular shape small in size. It had low power white lights also triangular within the defined shape of the object.
It then moved vertically from the ground and travelled horizontally a very short distance estimated as 100 yards and proceeded to merge into one of the corners of the LIGHT FORMATION and was then no longer visible when the three light extinguished.
The LIGHT FORMATION remained stationary throughout this event then disappeared like a light bulb being switched off within 15-30 seconds.
No distinctive shape of the secondary object could be observed within the primary formation after the object merged.

On site examination by myself and a fellow investigator has revealed the possible location where the small object arose and might be one of two locations, either the YARROW SHIPYARD or immediately opposite over the RIVER CLYDE BARR & STROUD ELECTRONICS.

No sound was emitted at any stage throughout the sighting and was definitely not an aircraft,helicopter or balloon.

Report by [redacted], Glasgow. He telephoned on 25/3/96 + informed me this report would be on its way.

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26/3/96.

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	14.3.96 07:10 ONE MINUTE
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	SIMILAR TO A SPINNING TOP. GREYISH IN COLOUR.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	IN CAR
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	THE OBJECT WAS STATIONARY, BUT SPINNING.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR + BRIGHT
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	NONE

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	POLICE, WHO GAVE HER MOD's PHONE NUMBER.
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] SOUTHAMPTON
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	14.3.96 08:00
16. Remarks	

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ROUTINE 270105Z MAR 96

FROM HQSTC
TO MODUK AIR

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FOR CAB
SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 262200 HRS
B. WHITE LARGE CIRCULAR OBJECT
C. WARLEY. WEST MIDLANDS
D. NAKED EYE
E. NOT KNOWN
F. LEVEL FLIGHT ABOUT 2000 FT
G. NOT KNOWN
H. FLYING VERY FAST IN A STRAIGHT LINE
J. DARK. CLOUDY
K. NOT GIVEN
L. BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT. CIVIL POLICE AND MR BOB MANSON CIVILIAN EMERGENCY SERVICES

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M. Section 40 [redacted]. WEST MIDLANDS
N. NONE
O. NIL
P. 262320Z MAR 96
Q. NIL
R. INFORMATION REPORTED THROUGH Section 40 [redacted] CIV EMERGENCY SERVICES
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REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)

10 | 2020 HRS APPROX 45 MINS.

b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)

MUSHROOM SHAPED OBJECT WITH. SPINDALLY LEGS.

c. Exact Position Observed. (Geograghical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

GREENFIELD AREA OF SADDLEWORTH. OUTDOORS MOVING SLOWLY.

d How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)

BINOCULARS + NAKED EYE.

e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

WEST OF SADDLE WORTH MOVING NORTH

f Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)

APPROX 50°

g Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

NOT KNOWN.

h Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)

AS IN C ABOVE

i Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.)

VERY DARK NIGHT — NO CLOUDS.

j Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

NIL

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l. Name and Address of Informant

Section 40 [redacted]

m. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered:

NONE.

n. Other Witnesses

Section 40 [redacted]

o. Date and Time of Receipt

10/2100.

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), Latcc on ext. Section 40 [redacted] and

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)

RAF Main Building

Whitehall
LONDON SW1

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
29 MAR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

a. **DATE TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING** (Local times to be quoted)

28.3.96 1930 3/4 HR.

b. **DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT** (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc).

BRIGHT LIGHT

c. **EXACT POSITION OBSERVED** (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving).

d. **HOW OBSERVED** (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).

NAKED EYE

e. **DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN** (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).

TOWARDS THE WEST WHEN TRAVELLING ON M55 TO BLACKPOOL

f. **ANGLE OF SIGHT** (Estimated heights are unreliable).

NOT KNOWN

g. **DISTANCE** (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).

NOT STATED

h. **MOVEMENTS** (Changes in E, P, G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT WITH RAYS COMING OUT OF THE EDGES

j. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.)

Light Cloud in sky

j. NEARBY OBJECTS (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or other night lighting).

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COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
29 MAR 1996

k. TO WHOM REPORTED (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

Police

l. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40 [redacted]

m. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

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n. OTHER WITNESSES

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o. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT

28.3.96 2207

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RAF Main Building
Whitehall
LONDON
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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	28 MARCH 96. 0045W
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	LARGE TRIANGULAR OBJECT WITH LOTS OF LIGHTS
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	INDOORS
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	250 FEET ABOVE HIS FLAT.
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	MOVED AT 100 MPH.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	MERSEYSIDE POLICE SGT KILGARRIE
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] ST. HELENS, MERSEYSIDE.
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	OTHER WITNESS IN HIS FLAT.
15. Date and time of receipt	28 MARCH 96.
16. Remarks	

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 29 MAR 96 0420 - 0425

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 2 - Very Close Together
Size, N/K
Shape, Round
Colours, White
Brightness, V. Bright
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

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29 MAR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, Whittington, Lichfield
Indoors, Outdoors, Outdoors
Stationary, Moving, Stationary

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Naked Eye

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) East

F. **Angle of Sight.** Initially 90°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) Not able to Estimate.

H. **Movement of Object.** Travelled in straight line at constant speed to South East
(Suggested to PC Matthews that he had probably observed a satellite)

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, Clear Sky
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NIL

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
PC Section 40
MOD Police
Whittington Barracks, Lichfield, Staffs.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
29 MAR 96 0435

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 280045* Mar 96 10 secs

B. **Description of Object**
Number, One
Size, Oblong. very large (Football Pitch size)
Shape,
Colours, Green + Orange Stripe.
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell, NiL.

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.** See M
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

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WEST DRAYTON

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** Directly Overhead
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.** 600 ft
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Slightly Cloudy

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Trees

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Birmingham Airport

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] Kingstanding Birmingham

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.** Section 40 [redacted]

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
281457 Mar 96

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 27 2130 - 2200 (APPROX) MARCH 96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number,
Size,
Shape,
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

2 BRIGHT CIRCULAR ORANGE LIGHTS BEHIND ONE ANOTHER TRAVELLING VERY FAST
VIEWED FOR A FEW SECONDS ONLY.
NO SMELL OR SOUND.

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Alt Lowmark

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

CRAWLEY FIRE STATION

COMMERCIAL CENTRE
29 MAR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

D. **How Object was Observed.** NAKED EYE
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** TOWARDS GATWICK
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.**

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.

CLEAR COLD NIGHT

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.** SUSSEX POLICE
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. NORTHERN AREA CONTROLLERS

M. **Name and Address of informant.** Section 40 [redacted]

HORSHAM
WEST SUSSEX

Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

FIREMAN WENT OUT INTO YARD TO LOOK FOR HALE COMET

O. **Other Witnesses.**

HER FIREMAN WERE IN YARD BUT DID NOT SEE THE LIGHTS

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

28 1638 MAR 96

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 272005* MAR Few Seconds

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, One in "figure of 8 shape"
Size,
Shape, With 2 lights
Colours,
Brightness, Very bright
Sound,
Smell, NIL.

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** Porthcawl
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

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29 MAR 1996
WEST DRAYTON

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** SW
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.** N/K
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Fast

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Street buildings

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Cardiff APT.

M. **Name and Address of Informant** Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted], Porthcawl Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Father saw same object a year ago

O. **Other Witnesses.**
plus Mother.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
281700Z MAR 96

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	27 MARCH 1996 2058 - 2059 hrs.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	A "PIN PRICK IN THE SKY." THINKS IT COULD BE A COMET.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	SOUTH WEST OF CRAWLEY
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	VERY HIGH IN THE SKY
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	VERY FAST
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] CRAWLEY WEST SUSSEX Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	28 MARCH 96 . 1640HRS.
16. Remarks	Section 40 [redacted] CHECKED WITH THE POLICE HELICOPTER UNIT AT SHOREHAM + IT WASN'T THEM .

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	22 3·96 2030
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	TRIANGULAR SHAPE FOUR LIGHTS
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	OVER WIMBLEDON PARK
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [redacted] LONDON. Section 40 [redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	29.3.96
16. Remarks	

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ANNEX A TO
ORDER NO 16 TO
COC ORDERS
DATED 26 JAN 95

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: 28 MAR 96
2240-2247 # 2305-2310 #

2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc): ONE BRIGHT YELLOW OBJECT, ROUND IN SHAPE
WAS NOT A COMMET

3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical Location, Indoors or Outdoors, Stationary or Moving): FROM INDOORS LOOKING THROUGH AN OPEN WINDOW

4. How Observed (Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Movie Camera/VCR):
NAKED EYE

5. Direction in which Object was First Seen (Possibly with Reference to a Landmark): SIGHTED LOOKING TOWARDS STIRLING

6. Angle of Sight (Estimated Heights are Unreliable):
45°

7. Distance (With Reference to a Landmark if Possible):
CLOSER THAN STARS, BUT STILL VERY DISTANT

8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 & 8 may be better than Estimates of Heading and Speed): OBJECT SEEMED TO ZOOM IN MUCH CLOSER
AND THEN DEPART VERY QUICKLY

9. Weather: (Moving Clouds, Visibility) CLEAR SKY

10. Nearby Objects (Telephone or Power Lines, Lakes, Rivers, High Structures, Airfields, Generating Plants, Factories, Pits or Other Sites with Floodlights or Night-lights):

NOTHING REPORTED

11. To Whom Reported: STN OPS, RAF LEUCHARS, FIFE, KY16 0JX

12. Name and Address for Informant: Section 40

Section 40 EDINBURGH Section 40

13. Any Background on Informant that may be Volunteered:

NIL

14. Other Witnesses: HER 16 YEAR OLD SON

15. Date and Time of Receipt of Report: 291030Z MAR 96

16. Is a Reply Requested: NOT REQUESTED

Notes:

1. Members of the public who submit reports should be informed that their reports have been passed to the Ministry of Defence.

2. Sightings by Service personnel and action taken as a result of civilian sightings must not be disclosed to members of the Press who, if they make enquiries, should be referred to the Ministry of Defence.

3. A routine unclassified signal, or Fax (Ext Section 40 should be sent to Ministry of Defence, London (for the attention of MOD Sec(AS)2A). The format of the signal is as set out in the report above. The signal SIC is 86F.

4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2a as soon as possible at MOD Main Building Ext 82140 or Fax Section 40

EXAMPLE OF A COMPLETED SIGHTING APPEARS THIS PAGE.

Caveat	NONE
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ATTN: Section 40

* APPARENTLY ONE PERSON FROM THE CULDROSE AREA HAS VIDEOED THE UFO. HE IS CALLED Section 40 ON (Section 40).

With the Compliments of the

Aeronautical Information Section (Military)

Warrant Officers: Section 40 SACs: Section 40

Classification	UNCLASSIFIED
Caveat	NONE
Covering	UNCLASSIFIED

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RAF MANSTON - REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, time and duration of sighting. (Use local times)

18 FEB 96 1830HRS HERNE BAY, N. KENT COAST. 21/96

B. Description of object:

Number 1 LARGE + 3 SATELLITE.
Size @ 747
Shape DRAGONFLY WITH LIT BODY
Colour PALE WITH WHITE LIGHTS
Brightness V. BRIGHT.
Sound NIL

C. The position of the observer. (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.)

INDOOR - EAST FACING BEDROOM WINDOW. NEIGHBOUR SAW IT FROM GARDEN THROUGH BINOCULARS

D. How was the UFO observed?

Naked eye ✓
Binoculars ✓
Still camera
Movie/Video camera

E. In what direction was this object first seen? (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

TOWARDS SOUTHEND

F. Angle of sight. (Estimated heights are unreliable)

45°-50°

G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark if possible)

CLOSER THAN MOON, IN CLOUD LAYER

H. Movements. (Changes in E, F and G may be more useful than estimates of course and speed)

STATIONARY WITH THE 3 SMALLER OBJECTS 'FLITTING' AROUND IT. AT FIRST JUST THE MAIN OBJECT THEN THE 3 APPEARED TO COME FROM THE MAIN OBJECT. THEY MOVED AROUND 'IN ORBIT' AND THEN FADED

J. What was the weather like? (Moving clouds, cloud level, haze, mist, drizzle, rain etc.)

GOOD VMC. COLD SECTOR. 2/8 SC. SUN HAD SET.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
SEC (AS) 2
22 FEB 1996
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K. Nearby objects. (Telephone lines, high voltage lines; lake, reservoir, river, swamp or marsh; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or other night-lighting)

NOT KNOWN

L. To whom reported. (Police, military organizations, the media etc.)

POLICE. TOLD HIM TO REPORT TO US.

M. Informants name

Address; Section 40 [redacted]

HERNE BAY

Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.

NIL

O. Any other witnesses?

WIFE, AND NEIGHBOURS AT Section 40 [redacted].
(NEIGHBOUR USED BINOCULARS)

P. Date and time of the report.

This report was taken by;

NAME Section 40 [redacted]
RANK FLT LT
APPT ATCO AT RAF MANSTON
EXT Section 40

These reports are sent to:

Sec (AS) 2A
Room 8245
MOD Main Building
WHITEHALL
London SW1A 2HB

Section 40 [redacted]

File; MAN/404/17/ATC

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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1.	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	141945Z Feb 96
2.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Round, star-shaped - white
3.	Location (indoor/outdoor stationary/moving)	Inside
4.	How observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or moving)	Naked eye
5.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Looking North
6.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	V. High
7.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Very long way - several miles
8.	Movements (Changes in 5,6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Stationary
9.	Met conditions during observations (Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc)	No cloud/clear sky
10.	Nearby objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines reservoir,lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys,steeples,spires, TV or Radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	None
11.	To whom reported (Police, military, press, etc)	Direct via BT operator

12.	Name and Address of Informant Name Address	Section 40 [redacted] Lewisham London Section 40 [redacted]
13.	Background of informant that may be volunteered	None
14.	Other Witnesses	Section 40 [redacted] family
15.	Date, Time of Receipt	142015Z Feb 96
16.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	Nil
17.	Remarks	Nil

Date: 14 Feb 96

Section 40 [redacted]
RO2
Duty Operations Officer
Air Force Operations
MB JOC136R Section 40 [redacted]

Distribution:

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NB. Note that the format of this form accords with Civpol formats

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 14 Feb 96 2025-2040

SO 19/2/96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, x
Shape, x
Colours, White with greenish tint
Brightness, Floodlight
Sound, No - Too far away
Smell, No - " " "

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE 15 FEB 1996 WEST DRAYTON

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** [redacted] Bromwich W. Mids A452 crosses M6 West of J5

Direction in which Object was observed. Stationary
[redacted] Binoculars, Still ~~or Video Camera.~~

Direction in which Object was first seen. West (through J5/M6)
(A Landmark may be useful)

Angle of Sight. 30° above horizon

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 15 miles max.

H. **Movement of Object.** Nil

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, cloud base 1/3500 7/4500.
Haze, Mist. clear below.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** ?

L. **To Whom Reported.**
~~Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.~~ D+D

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Castle Bromwich W. Mids
Would like to know what it was

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.** Familiar with bb flight pat
- Police Helicopter etc

O. **Other Witnesses.** Wife.
No police helo airborne
No radar contact on D+D or BB

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.** 2050 & 14 Feb 96

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 14 1830 2 FEB STAN S. 119 FR/96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, WHITE FLASHING LIGHTS 10 SECS DURATION
Size,
Shape, BEND LIGHTS GOING ROUND
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, BACK DOOR STEP
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) HDG TOWARDS LEEDS

F. **Angle of Sight.** 80°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 10000 FT.

H. **Movement of Object.** MOVING FORWARDS SLOWLY

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR SKY.
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NO.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. LEEDS BRADFORD MANCHESTER

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted] WAKEFIELD Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.** 3 OTHERS.

P. **Data & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

47/96

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 141820 ≠ Feb 96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, one red, blue + white light
Size,
Shape, all spaced close together
Colours,
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** Walthamstow
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

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D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) North

F. **Angle of Sight.** Straight above, 180°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 20,000 ft

H. **Movement of Object.** SLOW

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Nil

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Bit of a plane spotter

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Wife

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.** 141845 ≠ Feb 96

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LIVE RAF WADDINGTON
MESSAGE at 170545Z FEB 96

ACTION copy 1 for AF DUTY OFFICER
AFDO
PIN 136R

Sec(AS) - Up may consider this to be of defence interest.

Prec Act PRIORITY Info: PRIORITY
DTG 170545Z FEB 96
From RAF WADDINGTON
To HQSTC
MODUK AIR
SICs I3F IBJ

MODUK AIR FOR AFDO. HQSTC FOR UKRAOC AND WG CDR GE. SUBJECT REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT
A 1820-1930 LOCAL 16 FEB 96
B SINGLE VERY BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT
C INDOORS AND OUTDOORS, Section 40
D NAKED EYE AND THROUGH NIGHT VISION GOGGLES
E STATIONARY TOWARDS THE SOUTH OF NEWARK
F 25 TO 30 DEGREES APPROX
G NO MORE THAN SEVEN MILES AWAY
H NO CHANGE
I CLEAR INITIALLY THEN CLOUDY. STRONG WIND
J NONE
K WADDINGTON OPS
L Section 40
M Section 40 AND USED
TO BE AN OBSERVER OF SOME DESCRIPTION IN N IRELAND
N WIFE
O 16 FEB 96, 1940 LOCAL
P NIL
Q INITIALLY AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL AT WADDINGTON REPORTED THEY COULD NOT SEE ANYTHING ON PRIMARY OR SECONDARY RADAR. LATER AT ABOUT 1930 AIR TRAFFIC REPORTED THAT THEY COULD SEE WHAT THEY CONSIDER TO BE ANONYMOUS PROPAGATION VISIBLE ON THE RADAR IN THE AREA THAT Section 40 REPORTED HIS SIGHTING. THESE WERE OF AN INTERMITTENT NATURE AND SPEED AND WOULD NOT INDICATE PRIMARY RADAR CONTACTS. THESE AND PROPS WERE EVIDENT ELSEWHERE ON THE RADAR. Section 40 WAS NOT INFORMED OF THIS OCCURENCE

Checked with GE3
Radar returns often from atmospheric conditions clouds, sleet etc called anonylous propogation. Content nothing of defence concern here

Section 40 9/2

Action Distribution

Addressee	Code	Action-Officer	Retrieval
MODUK AIR	I3F	AFDO	MODUK AIR SG
	IBJ	DD EW&R MB4219 AFDO	

Information Distribution

Information Distributees Excluded from Delivery

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
SEC (AS) 2
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

45/96

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 18 Feb 1850ish Feb One minute

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, Pointed at one end
Size,
Shape, red, green + white lights
Colours,
Brightness, hovering, definately not heli.
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** N/K
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.** OLD airport field 100 yards approx
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** No movement, just disappeared

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear Sky

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** River on other side

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
None

M. **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 [redacted], Liverpool.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Section 40 [redacted]
(Mid 50's of age)

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Husband plus sons 18 + 17

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
19 Feb '96.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

44/96

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** SUN 18 FEB 96' 2117Z

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, /
Shape, LONG, FLAT.
Colours, WHITE, THEN MULTI COLOURED WITH ORANGE GLOW.
Brightness, VERY BRIGHT.
Sound, /
Smell, /

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, NNW OF INVERGORDON, BLACK ISLE.
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS LOOKING THROUGH WINDOW
Stationary, Moving. STATIONARY THEN MOVED.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) /

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F. **Angle of Sight.** /

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) /

H. **Movement of Object.** OBJECT WAS STATIONARY THEN MOVED HORIZONTALLY.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds. CLEAR NIGHT WITH INTERMITTANT HEAVY SHOWERS
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** OBSERVED FROM HOUSE.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
SGT Section 40, STATION OPS, RAF LOSSIEMOUTH.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
SOUND QUITE PLEASANT AND SINCERE. HE WAS OBSERVING OBJECT AS WE SPOKE.

O. **Other Witnesses.**
/

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P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
SUN 18 FEB 96 2117Z.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

+3/96

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 19 Feb '96 Seen from 1850 to 1940±

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, One
Size,
Shape, Shaped like "Old fashioned jelly mould"
Colours,
Brightness, Yellow + White lights.
Sound,
Smell,

C. **Exact Position of Observer.** Penicuik, outside Edinburgh
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** North West
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K.

G. **Distance.** towards Pentland Hills
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** Hovering

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, Cloudy with clear patches
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Nil

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Edinburgh

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Nil

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O. **Other Witnesses.**
Husband + Son (17) + Son's friend

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
201000± Feb '96.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. Wed 21st Feb 2359. - 2350

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B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, SIZE 737
Shape, LIGHTS IN TRIANGULAR SHAPE
Colours, 2 Red Lights at front
Brightness, 1 white at back.
Sound,
Smell,

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, CRANFIELD
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTSIDE
Stationary, Moving, MOVING NW

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** LOW ANGLE 2000'.

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) OVERHEAD

H. **Movement of Object.** MOVED SLOWLY, HOVERING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

41/96

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 222250 FEB 96 Seen for 5 secs.

B. Description of Object
Number, One
Size,
Shape, Orange Rectangle
Colours, darker in middle
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

C. Exact Position of Observer. Raftrick, W. Yorks.
Geographical Location,
Indoors, [Outdoors],
[Stationary], Moving,

D. How Object was Observed.
[Naked Eye] Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. North
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. Angle of Sight. N/K

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K

H. Movement of Object. Slow, Gliding

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. factory + houses

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Leeds/Bradford Apt

M. Name and Address of Informant. Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

NIL

O. Other Witnesses.
Plus a friend

27 FEB 1996

LANCASHIRE CONSTABULARY COLNE POLICE

SIGHTING DATE: 22 FEB 96

Section 40 [redacted]

Section 40 [redacted]

4/96

TO BE ALLOCATED TO/ FOR THE INFORMATION OF

Incident Log

From/~~To~~:

NAME Section 40 [redacted]

ADDRESS Section 40 [redacted], Barnoldswick.

Tel. No. Section 40 [redacted]

CALLER INFORMED OF RESULT YES ○ NO ○ N.A ○

LOG No. 999: 24 N Y/N

Section: LA

Day/Month: 23/02

Time (24 hr clock): 0825

Incident Location: 73

Received By	Time/Date	Cross Referenced (Time/Date)
2380		

IVE SEEN A U.F.O last night. It was a bright light flashing. I contacted Skipton Police and they informed me to contact Colne police who will contact the Civil aviation authority.

PTO if necessary

RESPONSE

1. Emergency/Instant Response
2. Emergency/No Resource
   Arrival Time
3. Non Emergency /No Delay
4. Non Emergency/Delay Planned
5. Non Emergency/Delay No Resource
6. Telephone Advice
7. Actioned at Station/No Deployment
8. Transferred for Action

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BRANCH OF OFFICERS (Tick where applicable)

Section Mobile	○	Section Foot	○
Comm/ Rural	○	Special Constabulary	○
Section C.I.D.	○	Supervision	○
Traffic	○	Dogs	○
HQSU	○	Other including Station Duty	○

TRANSFERRED FOR ACTION

Classified as Emergency Incident Y/N	Transferred To	Received By	Time/Date	Response Class
N	M.O.D. WHITEWALL, LONDON	Section 40 [redacted]	23/02 0844	8 to be used

RESULT

1. Arrest
2. False
3. NFA
4. Report
5. Further Enquiries
6. Advice given—No Deployment

Incident Classification: 664

Racial Incident Y/N: N

Officer Dealing: 2380

TIME	ACTION TAKEN AND RESULT
0830	Contacted Civil Aviation Authority told M.O.D. dealing.
0835	Contacted M.O.D.
	Section 40 [redacted] .
0844	Faxed to Section 40 [redacted]
	Section 40 [redacted]

PTO if necessary

INTRUDER ALARMS ONLY

CAUSE

1. Genuine
2. System Fault
3. K/H Error
4. Other

TYPE

1. Central Station
2. Audible Only

Number of Persons Arrested

LOCAL REQUIREMENTS

1. 2.
3. 4.

Enquiry and Log Completed — Supervisory Officer

Data Captured

TOTAL P.02

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** c2100 - 2115 24 FEB

B. **Description of Object.** 31/96
Number, ONE
Size, [redacted] LIKE NORTH STAR
Shape, STAR
Colours, BRIGHT WHITE WITH RED + BLUE LIGHTS
Brightness, NK
Sound, NK
Smell, NK

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, INSIDE FLAT
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye/Binoculars, ~~Still or Video Camera~~.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) E → WEST

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) TO FAR

H. **Movement of Object.** DARTING ABOUT

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR NIGHT
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NONE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
EDINBURGH Section 40

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
HUSBAND

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
1650 25 FEB

(37/96 earlier)

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

38/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	[redacted] 22nd @1914 3min Aprox
B	Description of Object	White light (bright)
C	Exact Position of Observer	Inverness
D	How Observed	EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	WEST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	70°
G	Distance of Object from Observer	night sky
H	Movements of Object	NIL
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR
K	Nearby Objects	NIL
L	To Whom Reported	Scoacc
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	14 years ATC RAF
O	--Other Witnesses	Neighbour
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	22nd FEB 1996

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

36/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	25 FEB 96 1900 - PRESENT TIME 2017 1½ HRS
B	Description of Object	VERY VERY BRIGHT LIGHT NOT A STAR STAR SHAPED BUT ELONGATED.
C	Exact Position of Observer	PERSLEY BETWEEN BRIDGE of DON & WOODSIDE 3 MILES FROM PD AIRPORT
D	How Observed	NAKED EYES.
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	NORTH MOVING EAST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	LOW IN SKY HOWEVER A/C PASSING BENEATH
G	Distance of Object from Observer	NOT ASSESSED
H	Movements of Object	STATIC 1ST ½ HOUR PAST HOUR MOVING VERY SLOWLY
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	SKY CLEAR, UNOBSCURED
K	Nearby Objects	A/C TAKING OFF FROM ABERDEEN
L	To Whom Reported	Section 40 WATCH SUPERVISOR AIRWAYS SCOACC
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40
	WORK TEL NO	Section 40
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	LADY CONSIDERS HERSELF SOBER NORMAL + CALM.
O	Other Witnesses	—
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	25 FEB 96 2017 H.

END

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 25 Feb 96 1930 - 2000

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, N/K
Shape, Circular
Colours, White/Gold
Brightness, V. Bright
Sound, Nil
Smell, Nil

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, Astwood Bank
Indoors, Outdoors, Outdoors
Stationary, Moving, Stationary

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Binoculars 10x Mag

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** West
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K

H. **Movement of Object.** Stationary

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear Sky

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** Nil

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Birmingham Airport

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Next Door Neighbour

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
25 Feb 96 2005

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 25 Feb 96 1740 - 1755

B. **Description of Object**
Number, 1
Size, 1/2 mtr.
Shape, Ball with tail
Colours, Orange.
Brightness, Very Bright.
Sound,
Smell,

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, Outside house.
Indoors, Outdoors, Standing still
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Naked Eye

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** West.
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** 45°

G. **Distance.** 40 miles approx
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

H. **Movement of Object.** West. - 300 mph Approx

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Clear Sky

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** —

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
Edinburgh Airport

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted], EDINBURGH.

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Wife + children
Next door neighbour.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
1800 25 Feb 96

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 2030 25FEB 3½ MINS

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, BIG
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, BRIGHT
Sound, NK
Smell, NK

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, OUTDOORS
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars~~, ~~Cine~~ Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) N.K.

F. **Angle of Sight.**
35 - 40°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) TOO FAR TO SAY

H. **Movement of Object.**
STATIC

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR NIGHT
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
NONE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
~~Police~~, ~~Press~~, ~~Military Organisation~~, Airport.
EDINBRUGH

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
EDINBRUGH Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
FREND

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
26 FEB 1430Z

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 26 Feb 96 0001 — more 6

B. **Description of Object.** — 37/96
Number, ONE
Size, N/K
Shape, CIRCULAR
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, V. BRIGHT
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, ~~A49~~ Hereford to Leominster
Indoors, Outdoors, 2 miles South of Leominster
Stationary, Moving, in a moving vehicle.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. Naked Eye.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) North

F. **Angle of Sight.** Horizontal

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 1 mile.

H. **Movement of Object.** Rapidly North to South at a height of approx 15 feet.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. N/K

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** N/K

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
RAF POLICE FLIGHT, RAF CASFORD
WHO TELEPHONED REPORT TO DTD.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40
[redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Wife.

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
26 FEB'96 0215 - Fm RAFP RAF CASFORD

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

3/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	26.2.96 1530 30SECS
B	Description of Object	SMALL ROUND SHAPE - METALLIC BLUE/GREEN
C	Exact Position of Observer	CALEY MARINA INVERNESS
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	VAGUE - BUT THINKS WEST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	NOT KNOWN
G	Distance of Object from Observer	NOT KNOWN
H	Movements of Object	WEST TO EAST - STRAIGHT ALONG
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR SKY - FLUFFY CLOUDS
K	Nearby Objects	NIL
L	To Whom Reported	POLICE INVERNESS PC Section 40 [redacted]
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] INVERNESS
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NIL
O	Other Witnesses	Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] INVERNESS PC
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	26.2.96 2140.

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

31/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	26 FEB 96 1945 TO 2100 – ONWARDS.
B	Description of Object	VERY VERY BRIGHT LIGHT. 2 TRIANGLES ONE ON TOP OTHER FROM BOTTOM OF OBJECT.
C	Exact Position of Observer	HILTON NEW OF INVERNESS
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE + BINOCULARS.
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	TO THE NORTH WEST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	50° FROM HORIZONTAL.
G	Distance of Object from Observer	50 MILES BUT CLOUD APPEARED TO GO BEHIND OBJECT
H	Movements of Object	STATIONERY THEN AWAY 10 OR 15 MINS MOVED UP THEN DOWN
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	VERY CLEAR NIGHT ODD CLOUDS.
K	Nearby Objects	NONE
L	To Whom Reported	INVERNESS DALCROSS ATC SUPERVISOR SCOATCC.
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NO DRINK FOR AT LEAST WEEKS NORMAL SOBER CALM CITIZEN
O	Other Witnesses	FIANCÉE Section 40 [redacted] CONTACT THRO' REPORTEE
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	2100 26/2/96

FROM: HM'S COASTGUARD DUTY SUPERVISOR

F

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

3-/96

A Date, Time and Duration of Sighting
26/2/96 1580 10 seconds.

B Description of Object
Cylindrical shape rounded at both ends (sausage shaped). Bright silver (dazzling).

C Exact Position of Observer
Caley Marina, Invernen on the ground.

D How Observed
Naked eye.

E Direction in which Object was First Seen
NNE to ESE.

F Angular Elevation of Object
20° from horizon.

G Distance of Object from Observer
Unable to say.

H Movements of Object
Straight line + then broke up.

J Meteorological Conditions During Observations.
Moving clouds, haze, mist etc
Clear blue skies.

K Nearby Objects
Broke into 3 pieces two went upward 3rd downwards

L To Whom Reported
Police at Invernen PC Section 40 [redacted]

M Name and Address of Informant
Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]

N Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered
Not known

O Other Witnesses
Possible Section 40 [redacted]

P Date & Time of Receipt of Report
26/2/96 1741. Inverness.

Inverness police will interview this lady on phone in a report later.

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REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

29/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	26.2.96 0610 2-3 minutes
B	Description of Object	Glowing bright red light, flashing or pulsating. Round. Stationary
C	Exact Position of Observer	A835 Ardmair Bay near Achiltibuie.
D	How Observed	Naked eye.
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	Towards west.
F	Angular Elevation of Object	Hovering about 1000 ft, approx 7 miles to left of observer
G	Distance of Object from Observer	7 miles
H	Movements of Object	Stationary
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	Clear starry morning still dark.
K	Nearby Objects	Island in front of observer.
L	To Whom Reported	SCOACC
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	
O	Other Witnesses	Section 40 [redacted]
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	

END

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 0732 ± STILL THERE 26FEB

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, BIG
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VBRIGHT
Sound, NK
Smell, NK

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C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, INDOORS FRONT ROOM
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still or Video Camera~~.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) N.K.

F. **Angle of Sight.** 15°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NK.

H. **Movement of Object.** BOBING UP AND DOWN

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NONE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
~~Police, Press, Military Organisation,~~ Airport.
BIRMINGHAM

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
BROTHER

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
0745 ± 26 FEB

27 FEB '96 10:53 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON PAGE.002

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 1845 – 1910hrs 26FEB

B. **Description of Object.** 27/96
Number, ~~one~~ TWO
Size, LARGE AND SMALL
Shape, BOX SHAPE | STAR
Colours, LARGE ONE RED BLUE GREEN SMALL FLASHING BLUE
Brightness, V BRIGHT
Sound, N K
Smell, NK

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, INSIDE THROUGH PATIO WINDOWS
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, ~~Camera~~ Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) SOUTH EAST

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N.K

H. **Movement of Object.**
HOVERING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** ABOVE TAUNTON

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, ~~Base, Military Organisation, Airfield~~

M. **Name and Address of informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted] TAUNTON Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
SISTER, AUNTIE, UNCLE, MUM + DAD

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

[redacted]

END

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 1532 26 FEB

26/96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, N.K
Shape, BLOB
Colours, BLUE + GREEN BLOB
Brightness, V BRIGHT
Sound, N.K
Smell, N.K

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
Indoors, Outdoors, IN CAR MOVING
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, ~~Binoculars, Still/Movie Camera~~.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) SOUTH - NORTH

F. **Angle of Sight.**

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N.K. MAYBE 4000FT

H. **Movement of Object.** DARTING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR BLUE SKY
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NONE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
RADIO STATION RADIO STATION LIVERPOOL AIRPORT

M. **Name and Address of informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]
BIRKDEL SOUTHPORT
MERSYSIDE
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the informant that may be Volunteered.**

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O. **Other Witnesses.**
ALONE

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
1835 26 FEB

27 FEB '96 10:55 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON PAGE.007

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

AIS/PF5

2/96

A. 26-2-96 2000Z - 2140

B. LARGE CIRCULAR OBJECT, FLASHING LIGHT AROUND THE EDGE AND TOWARDS CENTRE

C. Section 40 [redacted]

D. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

E. HOVERING - MOVED SLIGHTLY WESTWARD.

F. —

G. —

H. —

J. CLEAR AND FINE

K. —

L. ESSEX POLICE : CLACTON-ON-SEA

M. PC Section 40 [redacted] POLICE STATION CLACTON-ON-SEA ESSEX Section 40 [redacted]

N. —

O. VARIOUS RESIDENTS IN THE AREA

P. 26-02-96 2110Z

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FOR CAP

ROUTINE 0108587 FEB 96

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK AIF

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F
ATTN MOD SEC(AS)2A. SUBJECT. AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 021900Z FEB 96/20MINS
B. ONE MUSHROOM SHAPED BRILLIANT WHITE OBJECT WITH RED AND BLUE FLASHING LIGHTS
C. HOME ADDRESS INDOORS AND OUTDOORS
D. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS
E. BETWEEN PITLESSIE AND FALKLAND HILLS
F. OBJECT ABOVE NEIGHBOURS HOUSE WHEN VIEWED FROM HOME ADDRESS
G. NOT KNOWN
H. MOVED FROM ORIGINAL POSITION HEADING WEST BEFORE IT DISAPPEARED BEHIND THE FALKLAND HILLS
I. CLEAR
J. NIL
K. OPERATIONS. RAF LEUCHARS

PAGE 2 RRUBVU 0601 UNCLAS
L. Section 40 [redacted]
M. NIL
N. HUSBAND AND Section 40 [redacted]
O. 022040Z FEB 96
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

23/96

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
03/02/96 1420 A GLIMPSE

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 3
Size, N/K
Shape, DOME SHAPED
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, NOT VERY
Sound, NIL
Smell, NIL

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, BICKERSTAFFE LANCS
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) EAST

F. **Angle of Sight.** N/K

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K

H. **Movement of Object.** NIL

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** NIL TREES

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
NIL

O. **Other Witnesses.** NIL

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
03/02/96 1755

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REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	04 1928 - 4 Feb
B	Description of Object	CIRCULAR 2 "CAR HEADLIGHTS" COLOURED LIGHTS AT 5108 DEP NOT REL !!
C	Exact Position of Observer	PARAFFIN LAMP LUGTON
D	How Observed	FROM CAR. FOR ABOUT 4 MINS
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	TO WEST.
F	Angular Elevation of Object	LOW
G	Distance of Object from Observer	?
H	Movements of Object	CIRCLED SLOWLY. FOR ABOUT 4 MINS
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLOUDY / DARK
K	Nearby Objects	HOUSES ON HILL
L	To Whom Reported	ATC.
M	Name and Address of Inform	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	
O	Other Witnesses	SISTER & DAUGHTER IN CAR.
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	04 2045

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 4 FEB 96 2300 - 0100 5 FEB 96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size,
Shape, 3 STAR, SIZE + STARE
Colours,
Brightness, BRIGHTER THAN STAR
Sound, —
Smell, —

21/96

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, ELTHAM NR CHRISTCH
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) EAST TOWARDS LYALL MINSTER ABOVE MOUNT HILL

F. **Angle of Sight.** 30°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) LONG WAY

H. **Movement of Object.** ORBITING

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, STATIONARY CLOUDS
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** REFINERY, POWER STN

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Section 40 [redacted]

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
0955 5 FEB 96

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 5 FEB 96 0001 – 0100Z 20/96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, 1
Size, VERY BRIGHT WHITE STATIONARY STAR SHAPE
Shape, WITH 4 LONG LEGS AND 4 SHORT LEGS ✱ WITH
Colours, RED AND BLUE LIGHTS AT THE EXTREMITIES.
Brightness,
Sound, LIGHTS CHANGED INTESITY AND COLOUR WHILST
Smell, WATCHING

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, INITIALLY WALKING THE DOG HOME TO THE
Indoors, Outdoors, WOODS – THEN IN THE GARDEN – WENT TO BED –
Stationary, Moving, GOT UP 10–15 MINS LATER AND FOUND OBJECT HAD MOVED

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** HOUSE BACKS ON TO WEST WHEN SEEN
(A Landmark may be useful) WOODS

F. **Angle of Sight.** 30 DEGREES
FIRST SEEN REMAINED BETWEEN TWO TREES THE LATER SIGHTING IT HAD MOVED

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 6 TO 7 NM TOWARDS CROYDON.

H. **Movement of Object.** STATIONARY FOR 10 MINS

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, COLD AND VERY CLEAR
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** INITIALLY THOUGHT IN WAS VENUS OR THE PLOUGH.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. INITIALLY THE POLICE THEN HEAT DAY TO BIGGIN HILL ATC
KUFTON INTERESTED

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]
Section 40 [redacted] KENT Section 40 [redacted]

I. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.** WIFE ALSO SAW IT THOUGHT IT WAS FOUND IN SHAPE ABOUT ONE OCCASION. WAS THEN SEEN TO EMITTED A BEAM OF LIGHT FROM IT

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

19/96

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
05/02/96 2205 ~20MINS

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE — FOUR
Size, N/K
Shape, BALL SHAPED
Colours, WHITE
Brightness, VERY
Sound, NIL
Smell,

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, ~~HORDEN~~ HOUGHTON SUNDERLAND
Indoors, Outdoors, OUTDOORS
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) NORTH/EAST

F. Angle of Sight. 30°

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 1 MILE

H. Movement of Object. MOVED EAST THEN APPEARED TO LAND

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, CLOUDS
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. BUILT UP AREA

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40
[redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses.
Section 40 [redacted]

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

18/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	6 FEB 9602061930 (CONTINUES)
B	Description of Object WITNESS (1) REPORTS	ONE BRIGHT SPHERE (SIMILAR TO A STAR) - PULSATING AT TIMES. RED CENTRE LIGHT SURROUNDED BY 5 YELLOW LIGHTS
C	Exact Position of Observer	AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL TOWER INVERNESS AIRPORT
D	How Observed	NAKED EYE & BINOCULARS
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	260° RADIAL
F	Angular Elevation of Object	SLIGHTLY ABOVE HORIZON
G	Distance of Object from Observer	> 20 KM
H	Movements of Object	ALMOST STATIONERY
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	SCATTERED CLOUD AT 4000' AND 10000' - CLEAR
K	Nearby Objects	MAST ON CRAIG DUNAIN, ABOVE INVERNESS TOWN
L	To Whom Reported	SCOTTISH ACC POLICE
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 C/O ATC INVERNESS AIRPORT
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	RAF AATC 12 YRS ATSA 6 YRS (INVERNESS)
O	Other Witnesses	(1) Section 40, NORTH KESSOCK. (2) , ATCO, INVERNESS AIRPORT (3) , ATCO, NORTH KESSOCK
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	9602062100

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07 FEB 1996
WEST DRAYTON

7 FEB '96 9:23 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON PAGE.002

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
8TH FEB 1910 - 1930

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE.
Size,
Shape, Curved.
Colours, Blue, White, Pink (ALL HAZY)
Brightness, V. BRIGHT.
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location,
Indoors, [redacted]
Stationary, [redacted]

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, [redacted]

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WEST DRAYTON

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful)
WESTERLY.

F. Angle of Sight
30°

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
2 MILES approx.

H. Movement of Object.
STILL.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.
HOUSE ON HILL, OVERLOOKING BIRMINGHAM.

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
EVENING MAIL, BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT.

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted], ERDINGTON, BIRMINGHAM. Tel; Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
AT THE TIME OF REPORT THEY SAID THERE WAS AN AIRCRAFT INBOUND TO BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT WHICH FLEW STRAIGHT PAST THE OBJECT.

O. Other Witnesses.
Husband, daughter, Son.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.
081937FEB96.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
8TH FEB 1910 - 1930

12/96

B. Description of Object.
Number, ONE.
Size,
Shape, Curved.
Colours, Blue, White, Pink (ALL HAZY)
Brightness, V. BRIGHT.
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location,
Indoors, [redacted]
Stationary, [redacted]

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WEST DRAYTON

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, [redacted]

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful)
WESTERLY.

F. Angle of Sight
30°

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
2 MILES approx.

H. Movement of Object.
STILL.

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.
HOUSE ON HILL, OVERLOOKING BIRMINGHAM.

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
EVENING MAIL, BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT.

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted], ERDINGTON, BIRMINGHAM. Tel; Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
AT THE TIME OF REPORT THEY SAID THERE WAS AN AIRCRAFT INBOUND TO BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT WHICH FLEW STRAIGHT PAST THE OBJECT.

O. Other Witnesses.
Husband, daughter, Son.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.
081937 Feb96.

CUMBRIA CONSTABULARY

Telephone: Section 40
Facsimile:

Chief Constable:
A G Elliott QPM

Kendal Police Station
Busher Walk
Kendal
Cumbria. LA9 4RJ

My Reference: Facsimile Transmission
Your Reference:

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To: West Drayton Military

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE 09 FEB 1996 WEST DRAYTON

For Attention of: A.I.S

From: Kendal Control Room

No. of Pages 1 (including this one)

Message/Comments:

At 1905hrs Thursday 08.02.96, Section 40 of Section 40 reports seeing strange object in the sky above. Serpentine Woods, Nr Kendal Golf Course, Kendal described as follows: Bright light with circular white disc behind it and what looks like fog in front. Object has been there of approx half an hour and is still in situ. (Informant has been looking through his binoculars at object).

Kendal police station log number 394 of 8.2.96 refers.

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE 09 FEB 1996 WEST DRAYTON

Date: 8th Feb 96 Sender: Section 40

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

MATS PART 1
8SD/1/11

14/96

A **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting** - Local times to be quoted.
08/02/96 1950

B **Description of Object** - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.
NIL DESCRIPTION (LIGHT ONLY)

C **Exact Position of Observer** - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
OUTDOORS, STATIONARY, AT HIS HOME ADDRESS

D **How Observed** - Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
NAKED EYE

E **Direction in which Object was First Seen** - A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
IN THE SOUTH EAST SEEN FROM LITTLE DUNMOW OVER FELSTED

F **Angular Elevation of Object** - Estimated heights are unreliable.
NOT GIVEN

G **Distance of Object from Observer** - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
2NM'S APPROX

H **Movements of Object** - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
VERY, VERY FAST, MOVING EAST (IE AWAY)

J **Meteorological Conditions During Observations** - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.
VERY CLEAR NIGHT. GOOD VIS.

K **Nearby Objects** - Telephone or high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
TELEGRAPH WIRES (OBSERVED MOVED TO AVOID ANY CONFUSION WITH WIRES)

L **To Whom Reported** - Police, military organisation, the press, etc.
ATC.

M **Name and Address of Informant**
Section 40 [redacted] ESSEX

N **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**
NONE

O **Other Witnesses**
NONE

P **Date and Time of Receipt of Report**
2000 HRS 08/02/96

The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on 7-144-6153/6717.

The completed form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

The gentleman reported the sighting over Felsted heading towards Braintree moving very, very fast and the white light appearing to "dodge and jink" about.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 082030. FEB 96

B. **Description of Object.** 13/96
Number, 1
Size, ~6 m HOUSE
Shape, LIKE A SWIFT (BIRD)
Colours, ORANGE
Brightness, LOOKED RED HOT FROM THE CENTRE THOUGHT IT WAS A METEORITE
Sound,
Smell, NONE

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, STAVERTON
Indoors, Outdoors, OUT
Stationary, Moving, HOLDING

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.** FROM SOUTH TO NORTH.
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. **Angle of Sight.** OVER HIS HEAD.

G. **Distance.** DOWN FROM SKY FROM
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) ONE HORIZON TO ANOTHER

H. **Movement of Object.** STRAIGHT LINE VERY FAST

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds, CLEAR SKY
Haze, Mist.

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** BY THE HOUSE

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. NO

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.** NO

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE
09 FEB 1996
WEST DRAYTON

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.** 081936 FEB 96

B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, OF AN ORANGE
Shape, ROUND
Colours, ORANGE
Brightness, FAIRLY BRIGHT 3 LIGHTS
Sound, NO
Smell, NO

12/96

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location, WALSALL
Indoors, Outdoors.
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY AT FIRST THEN MOVED NORTH

D. **How Object was Observed.**
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful) FACING SOUTH LOOKING AT THE STARS

F. **Angle of Sight.** HIGH

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) NOT KNOWN.

H. **Movement of Object.** 3 LIGHTS. TRIANGLE AROUND.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. CLEAR NIGHT

K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.** ROOF TOPS

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.** Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be volunteered.**

O. **Other Witnesses.**

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
091100 Feb 96.

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11/96

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FOR CAB

ROUTINE 090107Z FEB 96

FROM RAF FYLINGDALES
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F
SUBJECT:AERIAL PHENOMENON
1. FOLLOWING SIGHTING OF A POSSIBLE UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT IS REPORTED
A. 9 FEB 96, 0032 TO 0035
B. VERY BRIGHT BLUE LIGHT
C. OUTSIDE HIS HOUSE
D. NAKED EYE
E. CLOSE BY HIS LOCATION TOWARDS BLAKEY
F. UNK
G. CLOSE TO HIM
H. VERY FAST MOVEMENT PAST HIS LOCATION
J. CAVOK-FROSTY
K. UNK
L. TO Section 40 AT WHITBY POLICE STATION

PAGE 2 RBDAIA 0001 UNCLAS
M. Section 40 [redacted]
N. UNK
P. UNK
Q. 090037 FEB 96
R. NIL
S. NIL
2. POC FLT LT Section 40 [redacted] OR FLT LT Section 40 [redacted] INFO OFFICER-EXT Section 40
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U N C L A S S I F I E D

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. **Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**
11TH 1710 Feb 96

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B. **Description of Object.**
Number, ONE
Size, LARGE
Shape, ROUND
Colours, 2 very bright powerful lights in centre of object,
Brightness, Surrounded by many smaller lights.
Sound, —
Smell, —

C. **Exact Position of Observer.**
Geographical Location,
(Indoors) Outdoors,
(Stationary) Moving.

D. **How Object was Observed.**
(Naked Eye) (Binoculars,) Still or Video Camera.

E. **Direction in which Object was first seen.**
(A Landmark may be useful)
Was travelling North from Dagenham towards Thames.

F. **Angle of Sight.**
90°

G. **Distance.**
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)
Hard to say.

H. **Movement of Object.**
The object was juddering as it travelled, 2 a/c flew Straight pass the object.

J. **Met Conditions during Observation.**
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist. Low cloud but object was below cloud

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K. **Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**
High Storey flats.

L. **To Whom Reported.**
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.
NIL.

M. **Name and Address of Informant.**
Section 40 [redacted]

N. **Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**
Works for Section 40 [redacted]. Building Contractors. Section 40 [redacted] was at Sons house when saw object who lives at

O. **Other Witnesses.**
Husband and Son.
Section 40 [redacted]

P. **Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**
12TH 0940 Feb 96.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

9/96

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.
11/6/96 2145 1-2 MINS

B. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size, HELICOPTER SIZE
Shape, ROUND
Colours, WHITE ~~AND~~ GREEN
Brightness, VERY
Sound, LIKE A SWISHING OF ROTOR BLADES
Smell, NIL

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, EBBARSTON
Indoors, Outdoors, IN
Stationary, Moving, STATIONARY

D. How Object was Observed.
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
(A Landmark may be useful) NE

F. Angle of Sight. VERY LOW

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) ½ MILE

H. Movement of Object. NE

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds,
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. BUILT UP AREA

L. To Whom Reported.
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
N/L

O. Other Witnesses.
WIFE

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report. WILL RING BACK IN A FEW DAYS

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U N C L A S S I F I E D
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SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 121943-1?55Z FEB 96
B. LOOKED LIKE A STAR GOT VERY BRIGHT
C. SEEN IN COMRIE APPEARS TO BE IN LOCHEARNHEAD AND ST FILLANS AREA. THERE WAS A POWER CUT AT THE TIME
D. NAKED EYE
E. TO THE WEST OF COMRIE
F. -
G. -
H. -
I. CALM, SMALL AMOUNT OF CLOUD, VERY GOOD VISIBILITY
J. -
K. CPL Section 40
L. Section 40

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 12 1900 + Feb 96

B. Description of Object.
Number, 1
Size,
Shape,
Colours, WHITE PULSATING LIGHT
Brightness,
Sound,
Smell,

7/9.6.

C. Exact Position of Observer.
Geographical Location, PORTHCAWL WALES
Indoors, Outdoors,
Stationary, Moving,

D. How Object was Observed. N/K
Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. N/K
(A Landmark may be useful)

F. Angle of Sight. LOW

G. Distance.
(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) N/K

H. Movement of Object. STEADY

J. Met Conditions during Observation.
Moving Clouds, N/K
Haze, Mist.

K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc. N/K

L. To Whom Reported. CARDIFF ATC & POLICE
Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

M. Name and Address of Informant
Section 40 [redacted]

N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
N/K

O. Other Witnesses. ONE OTHER REPORT at 1925 +, but did not leave name/address.

P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.
ATC/m) 12 1945 + Feb 96.

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

6/96

A	**Date, Time and Duration of Sighting**	13-2-96 1820 1.3SEC
B	**Description of Object**	BALL SHAPED, NO TAIL BRIGHT YELLOW
C	**Exact Position of Observer**	SHAHLANAS GLASGOW
D	**How Observed**	FROM HOUSE
E	**Direction in which Object was First Seen**	HEADING WEST
F	**Angular Elevation of Object**	35°-40°
G	**Distance of Object from Observer**	MEDIUM – HIGH LEVEL DIFFICULT TO ASSESS
H	**Movements of Object**	STRAIGHT LINE
J	**Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc**	CLEAR
K	**Nearby Objects**	HOUSES.
L	**To Whom Reported**	ATSA Supervisor ScoACC
M	**Name and Address of Informant**	Section 40 [redacted]
N	**Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**	ASTRONOMY STUDENT GLASGOW UNIVERSITY
O	**Other Witnesses**	Section 40 [redacted]
P	**Date & Time of Receipt of Report**	1830 13-2-96

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

5/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	1625 13-2-96
B	Description of Object	VERY BRIGHT BALL OF LIGHT
C	Exact Position of Observer	INSIDE HOUSE AT GOUROCK ON SEAFRONT
D	How Observed	THROUGH WINDOW FOR APPROX 10 SECS.
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	WEST OF GOUROCK
F	Angular Elevation of Object	"LOW LEVEL" "NOT HIGH UP IN SKY LIKE NORMAL METEORITE"
G	Distance of Object from Observer	APPROX. 1 NM. "DIFFICULT TO ASSESS"
H	Movements of Object	FROM SOUTH COAST OF CLYDE STRAIGHT AND LEVEL TOWARDS KILMUN ON NORTH COAST
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR
K	Nearby Objects	NONE
L	To Whom Reported	SUPERVISOR JSDACC
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	SQN LN AIR TRAINING CORPS. EX AIR TRAINING CORPS. ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVERS
O	Other Witnesses	NONE
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	1630 13·2·96

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

4/96

A Date, Time and Duration of Sighting
13·2·96 1815 1 SEC

B Description of Object
VERY BRIGHT GREEN IN COLOUR

C Exact Position of Observer
A713 2-3 MILES S of AYR

D How Observed
FROM CAR

E Direction in which Object was First Seen
PRESTWICK AREA HEADING WEST

F Angular Elevation of Object
NOT SURE

G Distance of Object from Observer
NOT SURE

H Movements of Object
STRAIGHT LINE

J Meteorological Conditions During Observations.
Moving clouds, haze, mist etc CLEAR

K Nearby Objects
NONE

L To Whom Reported
ATSA SUPERVISOR SC OACC

M Name and Address of Informant
Section 40 [redacted]

N Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered
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O Other Witnesses
NONE

P Date & Time of Receipt of Report
14.2-96 1600

REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

3/96

A	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	131826 13 Feb 96
B	Description of Object	CIRCULAR WITH TAIL - ALOT BIGGER THAN A SHOOTING STAR
C	Exact Position of Observer	DRIVING FROM IRVINE HEADING WEST
D	How Observed	FROM CAR WHILE DRIVING
E	Direction in which Object was First Seen	BETWEEN IRVINE AND KILMARNOCK HEADING WEST
F	Angular Elevation of Object	APPROX 45°
G	Distance of Object from Observer	UNKNOWN
H	Movements of Object	HEADING DOWNWARDS APPROX 45°
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations. Moving clouds, haze, mist etc	CLEAR SKY
K	Nearby Objects	A/C IN SKY
L	To Whom Reported	STRATHCLYDE POLICE
M	Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted]
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered	NIL
O	Other Witnesses	NIL
P	Date & Time of Receipt of Report	14/1645

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

4/96

A. Date, time and duration of sighting Local times to be quoted

22 2200 Z FEB 96 Object still there while reporting at 2220 Z.

B. Description of object Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc

Syngle bright flickering blue/red light.

C. Exact position observer Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving?

Outdoor - back garden - stationary.

D. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera?

Naked eye + binoculars.

E. Direction in which object was first seen A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing

South from Longmorn - between there + the Rothes Glen.

F. Angle of sight Estimated heights are unreliable

30° above the horizontal.

G. Distance By reference to a known landmark wherever possible

Unknown.

H. Movements Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed

Slight rising / falling motion.

Weather at the time and any phenomena of a similar nature

Clear night.

I. Near by objects Telephone lines, high buildings, trees, mountains

...ch flood lights or other night lighting)

N/A

K. To whom reported - Police, military organisations, the press etc

RAF LOSSIEMOUTH only.

L. Name and address of informant

Section 40 [redacted]

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M. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered

NIL.

N. Other witnesses

His children.

O. Date and time of receipt of report

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FROM Section 40

21-02-1996 22:27

LONDON LUTON AIRPORT

Air Traffic Control

Report of Unidentified Flying Object

1/96

COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE 22 FEB 1996 WEST DRAYTON

A Date, time and duration of sighting.

21 2219 Feb '96.

B Description of Object(s)

2 Lights Close together

C Exact position of observer.

Milton Keynes heading west.

D How observed.

Naked eye

E Direction in which object was first seen.

1 mile SW milton Keynes city

F Angular elevation of object.

1500-2000'

G Distance of object from observer.

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H Movements of object.

Straight

J Meteorological conditions during observations.

Clear

K Nearby objects.

Street lamp causing halo.

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22 FEB '96 10:01 FROM COMMCEN WEST DRAYTON

L To whom reported.

LONDON LUTON AIRPORT ATC

M Name and address of informant.

Section 40

N Any background information on the informant that may be volunteered.

OBSERVER WAS PILOT

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22 FEB 1996
WEST DRAYTON