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United States Air Force
New Castle County Air Base
Wilmington, Delaware

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SUBJECT: Unidentified Flying Object Report

TO:

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Air Defense Command Ent Air Force Base

Colorado Springs, Colorado

Inclosed herewith is a Report of an Unidentified Flying Object in accordance with Air Force Regulation 200-2, dated 12 August 1954 and ADC Regulation 200-7, dated 29 January 1955.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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Captain, USAF Adjutant

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Occupation: Designing Eng at All American Eng, Wilmington, Delaware Telephone:

- (7) WEATHER AND WIND-ALOFT, CONDITIONS AT TIME OF PLACE OF SIGHTING:
  - (a) Clear, bright stars, no clouds.
  - (b) Report from the nearest AWS or US Weather Bureau Office of Wind direction and velocity in degrees and knots at surface:

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10,000	Ft		0200	15	Knts
16,000	Ft		0400	25	Knts
20,000	Ft		0500	20	Knts
30,000	Ft		3600	40	Knts

Nothing over 30,000 Ft

- (c) None
- (d) Fifteen (15) miles.
- (e) None
- (f) None
- (8) ANY OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITIONS, METEOROLOGICAL, ASTRONOMICAL, OR OTHERWISE, WHICH MIGHT ACCOUNT FOR THE SIGHTING: None
- (9) INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION:
  - (a) At 1819 hours the 770th Aircraft Control and Warming Squadron stationed at Palermo, Delaware identified track No VD-34 as a friendly and broke off an interception attempt. This was the only aircraft in the area at the time.
- (10) LOCATION OF ANY AIR TRAFFIC IN THE AREA: None, other than (9) above.
- (11) It is believed that the object seen was either the aircraft or the interceptors as noted in paragraph (9) above.
- (12) None

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