

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 13/1510Z (day) 13 Apr 54	2. LOCATION Annapolis, Maryland
3. SOURCE civilian	10. CONCLUSION ARC WELDER FLASHES
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS ground-visual air-visual three (3)	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10-15 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Objects appeared to be in formation, tree top level. Formed blinding flash and exploded. Also, observed by a/c pilot over area.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ground-visual air-visual	
7. COURSE	Radio transmission tower being erected in same area with welding in progress at top of tower.
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☐ No	

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FM COMDR 547TH AC AND W SQ MANASSAS VA

TO ZDH/COMDR 4715TH DEF WG NCCA WILM DEL

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JEPNB/COMDR EADF NEWBURGH NY

JEDWP/COMDR ATIC WRIGHTPATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COL

JEPHQ/DIR OF INTELL HQ USAF WASHDC

ACCMO 349 PD ATTN: DIRECTORS OF INTELLIGENCE. UFOB REPORT IN ACCORDANCE
TO AFR 220-2. THE FOLLOWING REPORT IS SUBMITTED.

1. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECTS.

A. MUSHROOM SHAPE

B. BASKETBALL

C. MUSTY DULL YELLOWISH COLOR

D. THREE

E. ONE ABOVE THE OTHER, DIAGONAL ANGLE

F. NONE

G. NO

H. NONE

I. ROUND AND THEN FLAT AS THROUGH TILTING, AND OVAL SHAPE ON TOP.

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3. 12-11-54
4. R file

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2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECTS

A. TWO RIGHT FLASHES

B. 200 FT NNW

C. 200 FT NNW

D. ROUND AND THEN FLAT AS THOUGH TILTING AND OVAL SHAPE ON TOP

E. WENT OUT OF SIGHT

F. THREE MINUTES

3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

A. GROUND VISUAL

B. WINDSHIELD OF CAR&WINDOW GLASS

C. N/A

4. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

A. 13/APRIL 1954 151 Z

B. DAY

5. LOCATIONS OF OBSERVERS

A. PJS159(POST) WSW OF POST 5 MILES

6. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF ALL OBSERVERS

A. CIVILIAN- MRS [REDACTED] ANNAPOLIS, MD.

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
CIVILIAN- [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ANNAPOLIS, MD PHONE [REDACTED] HOUSE WIFE, GOOD
CIVILIAN- MRS [REDACTED] AGE 28 [REDACTED] ANNAPOLIS MD. NO
[REDACTED]

B. MILITARY- COMMANDER [REDACTED] NAVAL AIR FACILITIES STATION U.S.
NAVAL ACADEMY, OPERATIONS OFFICER ANNAPOLIS, MD. GOOD

7. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF SHGHTING

A. CLEAR SKY, SLIGHT BREEZE, DRY WEATHER TEMP 50 DEGREES

B. SURFACE 240 DEGS 14 KTS

6,000 290 DEGS 17 KTS

10,000 WOP DEGS 38 KTS

16,000 300 DEGS 44 KTS

20,000 320 DEGS 45 KTS

30,000 290 73 KTS

50,000 290 69 KTS

C. NONE

D. 15 MILES

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E. NONE

F. NONE

G. NONE

H. NONE

I. NONE

11. LT [REDACTED] FLYING OVER CHESAPEAKE BAY, NORTH OF ANNAPOLIS, MD. AND OBSERVED THE OBJECTS. HE IS STATION AT ANNAPOLIS MD. ACADEMY.

12. NONE

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ACTION

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O 131900Z

FM COMDR OLMSTED FLTSVCEN OLMSTED AFB MIDDLETOWN PENN

TO JEPHQ/DIROFINTEL HQ USAF WASHDC

JEDWP/AIRTECHINTELGEN WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEDEN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLORADO SPRINGS COLO

JEPFF/COMDR MATS ANDREWS AFB WASHDC

JEPRS/COMDR HQ FLTSV 3800 NEWARK ST NW WASHDC

UFOB

/1/ DISCRIPTION

A CIRCULAR

B STEERING WHEEL OF AN AUTOMOBILE

C NEGATIVE

D THREE

E OBJECTS APPEARED TO BE FLING IN FORMATION ABOUT TREE TOP LEVEL

F NEGATIVE

G NEGATIVE

H NEGATIVE

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I NEGATIVE

/2/ DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

A NEGATIVE

B NEGATIVE

C NEGATIVE

D THE OBJECTS APPEARED TO FORM A BLINDING FLASH OF LIGHT THEN EXPLODE

E 10 TO 15 MINUTES

/3/ MANNER OF OBSERVATION

A GROUND-VISUAL

B NEGATIVE

C N/A

/4/ TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

A 13/1510Z

B DAY

/5/ LOCATION OF OBSERVER

A IN AUTOMOBILE ON US ROUTE 2 BETWEEN ANNAPOLIS AND PASADENA MARYLAND

/6/ IDENTIFYING INFO OF ALL OBSERVERS

A MRS [REDACTED] ANNAPOLIS MD AGE NEGATIVE

OCCUPATION NEGATIVE PHONE [REDACTED]

B MRS [REDACTED] ANNAPOLIS MD AGE NEGATIVE

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OCCUPATION NEGATIVE PHONE [REDACTED]

C MRS [REDACTED] AGE NEGATIVE OCCUPATION NEGATIVE
PHONE [REDACTED]

/7/ WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT

A NEGATIVE

B 13/1500Z SURFACE WINDS 240 DEG 9 KNOTS 6000 290 DEG 17 KNOTS 10000
290 DEG 38 KNOTS 16000 300 DEG 44 KNOTS 20000 300 DEG 43 KNOTS
30000 290 DEG 78 KNOTS 50000 290 DEG 69 KNOTS 65000 MAX ALT
290 DEG 53 KNOTS

C CLEAR

D 10 MILES

E NEW CIRRUS

F N/A

(3) ANY OTHER UNUSAL ACTIVITY

A INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM ANNAPOLIS BASE OPERATIONS REVEALS THAT A
RADIO TRANSMISSION TOWER IS BEING ERRECTED IN THE AREA OF SIGHTING
APPROX 2 MILES NW OF ANNAPOLIS NAF IT WAS ALSO NOTED THAT WELDING
WAS IN PROGRESS ON TOP OF THE TOWER AT THREE DIFFERENT HEIGHTS
THE EFFECT TO THE EYES AT SURFACE LEVEL IS IN COMPARASION TO THE
PHENOMENON DISCRIBED BY THE THREE OBSERVERS THIS OBSERVATION WAS

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MADE COMMANDER [REDACTED] BASE OPERATIONS ANNAPOLIS NAF MD

(9/ PHYSICAL EVIDENCE OF SIGHTING

A NONE

(10) INTERCEPTION ACTION

A NONE

/11/ AIR TRAFFIC IN THE AREA OF SIGHTING

A NONE

/12/ PREPARED BY

OPERATIONS OFFICER OLMSTED FLT VSVC CEN OLMSTED AFB PA

/12/ NO FURTHER INFO AVAILABLE THIS CENTER

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