

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 23 Apr 54/24/0108Z(N)	2. LOCATION Mrytle Beach, South Carolina
3. SOURCE civilain	10. CONCLUSION INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUATION
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 45 seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Green, surrounded by white haze - tail double length of object. 45 seconds long for meteor, however possible meteor sighting, possible jet a/c afterburner. no positional data included. Cannot evaluate on limited data presented.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ground visual	
7. COURSE ?	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☐ No	

23 24/01/82 Myrtle Beach, S.C.
PARAPHRASE NOT REQUIRED. SEE CRYPTO-CENTER
BEFORE DECLASSIFYING Multi

NBR 7009 30 APR 54
C-1 PRIORITY ROUTINE
FM SHAW AFB SC 291500Z
TO ENT AFB COLO ATTN COMDR AIR DEF COM
COMDR ATIC WP AFB OHIO FOR ATIAA-2C
COMDR TAC LANGLEY AFB VA
HQ USAF WASHDC ATTN DIR OF INTEL
INFO COMDR 9 AF POPE AFB NC
COMDR 507 TAC CON GP POPE AFB NC

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5. ATIAA
3. Atia-2
4. R file

CITE ACW29-4-264

UFOB. FOLG REPT IS HEREBY SUBMITTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH AFR 200-2, PAR
6B. ENTRIES ARE MADE IAW CORRESPONDING SUB PARA NUMBERS. 1: DESCRIPTION
OF OBJECT. A: ELONGATED. B: BASKETBALL. C: GREENISH, SURROUND BY
WHITE HAZE. D: 1. E: N/A. F: TIERED, DOME ON TOP. G: WHITISH
GREEN TRAIL APPROX TWICE THE LENGTH OF OBJECT. H: NONE. I: NEG.
2: DESCRIPTION OF COURSE. A: BRILLIANCY. B: EST 12 TO 15000 FT ALT
AXIMUTH UNK. C: APPROX 345 DEG. D: STRAIGHT. E: DISAPPEARED BEHIND
TREES. F: APPROX 45 SECONDS. 3: MANNER OF OBSVN. A: GRND VISUAC.
B: NEG. C: N/A. 4: TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING. A: 240108Z, APR 54.
B: NIGHT. 5: LOCATIONS OF OBSERS. A: GEOREF MD 0640, SOUTH OF

MYRTLE BEACH, SOUTH CAROLINA. 6: IDENTIFYING INFO. A: [REDACTED]
AGE UNK, SUMTER SC. [REDACTED] AGE UNK.
SUMTER SC. B: [REDACTED] SSGT
727 AC AND W SQDN SHAW AFB, SC. [REDACTED]
CRP NR 1, 727 AC AND W SQDN, MYRTLE BEACH SC. 7: WEATHER
CONDITIONS. A: NO CLOUD COVERAGE, NO WINDS, VISIBILITY UNLIMITED.
B: 6000, 100/810000, 090/8. 16000, 280/8. 20000, 290/8. 30000, 300/20.
50000, 280/50 (EST). 80000, UNT C USLN CEILING 250, SCATTERED.
D: VISIBILITY, 15 MILES. E: AMOUNT OF CLOUD COVERAGE. 6/10 TO
8/10 OF THIN BROKEN CIRRUS. F: NONE. 8: SOUTH CAROLINA METEOROLOGICAL
SERV PREDICTED A SHOWER OF METEORITES AT APPROX THE SAME TIME AS THE
ABOVE SIGHTING. 9: NEG. 10: NEG. 11: NEG. 12: IT IS THE OPINION OF
THE PREPARING OFF THAT A VISUAL SIGHTING WAS OBSERVED BUT THAT THE
SIZE OF THE OBJECT AS REPTD WAS PROB DUE TO AN OPTICAL PHENOMENA
MAKING THE LIGHT ENLARGED AND DIFFUSED AND POSSIBILITY THE SIGHTING
WAS AN IMAGE OF A DISTANT LIGHT SOURCE
30/1431Z APR JEDWP

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DOWNGRADED AT 3 YEAR INTERVALS;
DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS.
DOD DIR 5200.10