

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 13 OCT 54 13/0730Z	2. LOCATION SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS
3. SOURCE CIVILIAN	10. CONCLUSION AIRCRAFT
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS ONE	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 12 - 14 SECONDS	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Round. Hissing noise like escaping steam. First ball of fire, then divided into two brilliant white lights, Speed - 1500 mph. COMMENT: Sound appears to be that of aircraft.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION GROUND VISUAL	
7. COURSE SOUTHWEST	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☐ No	

13 OCT 54

Witness

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ACTION

SAN ANTONIO, TEX IN

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Altra
3 Atty
4 R file

NO 56

TPD 77

DC 71

YC 62

ME 59

JWFB 2 27

RR JEDEN JEDWP JEPHQ JWFNK 444

DE JWFB 2

R 1421 Z ZR

FM CONDR 2351ST ABW KELLY AFB TX

TO JEDEN/CONDR ADC ENT AFB COLO

JWFNK/CONDR 33RD AIR DIV TINKER AFB OKLA

JEDWP/CONDR ATIC WPAFB OHIO

JEPHQ/DIR OF INTELLIGENCE HQS USAF WASHDC

SABE-1-3-E UFOB. IN COMPLIANCE W/ AFR 2. -2 DTD 12 AUG 54 THE FOL REPT

IS SBND (1) (A) RND (B) BASEBALL (C) VERY BRILLIANT (W) LT (D) ONE

(E) N/A (F) NONE (G) NONE (H) EMITTED HISsing NOISE SIMILAR TO ESCAPING

STEAM (I) OBSR FIRST ASSUMED OBJ TO BE A SHOOTING STAR. OBJ GAVE

APPEARANCE OF BALL OF FIRE THEN RESOLVED INTO TWO BRILLIANT WHITE LIGHTS

(2) (A) OBSR HAD WALKED OUT TO THE SUN DECK OF HIS RESIDENCE FOR SOME

FRESH AIR WHEN HE OBSRD THE OBJ (B) APPX THIRTY DEGREES ELEVATION.

(C) APPX SIXTY-FIVE DEGREES ELEVATION (D) OBJ FIRST APPEARED IN THE W

SKY AT AN EST ALT OF 3, 000 FEET TRAVELING 3 0, - 03;3) :43 -5 - 3S

EST IN EXCESS OF 1500 MPH. OBJ CD CPSE SHARPLY FR LEVEL FLT TO A CLIMB

W APPX 0 TO 65 DEGREES AND ASCENDED TO AN ALT EST AT 1, 000 FT.

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WHERE IT TURNED OFF TO THE SW AND CONTD TO CLINE AT AN ANGLE OF
APRX 30 TO 35 DEGREES UNTIL IT PASSED FROM OBSR RG OF VISION. (1)
SHE (D) (E) EST 12 TO 14 SECONDS. (3) (A) GRD-VIS (B) NO OPT AIDS USED
(C) N/A (A) 15073 Z OCT 54 (B) NIGHT (5) RESIDENCE 1111 [REDACTED] SAN
ANTONIO TEX (6) MR [REDACTED] AGE 57 [REDACTED] SAN ANTONIO
TEX OCC LAWYER. (7) (A) CLEAR (B) FOL WPM REPT SUBMITTED BY WEA STA
KATZ TEX FOR SAN ANTONIO AND VIC FOR 21 HRS CST 13 OCT 54 CLEAR
VISIBILITY 15 MILES. WIND DIRECTION AND VEL AT SURF WAS 10 DEGREE
AT 1 KNOTS AT 6,000 FEET 22 DEGREES AT 9 KNOTS AT 1,000 FEET 22
DEGREES AT 6 KNOTS AT 16,000 FEET 34 DEGREES AT 12 KNOTS AT 2,000
FEET 32 DEGREES AT 12 KNOTS AT 3,000 FEET 26 DEGREES AT 8 KNOTS
AT 5,000 FT 24 DEGREES AT 26 KNOTS AND AT 76,000 FEET 21 DEGREES
AT 17 KNOTS. (8) NONE (9) CON TWR KELLY AFB CONTACTED AT T

TIME OF SIGHTING

W/ NEGATIVE RESULTS. (10) LO AIR TRAFFIC IN THE AREA NOTHING REPTD.
(11) CHIEF BASE SECURITY DIV. POSSIBLE CAUSE OF THE SIGHTING UNKNOWN
(12) NONE

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