

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 10 November 1956		2. LOCATION WSW Terre Haute, Indiana		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical Aurora ☒ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 10/0645Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian & Military Pilots			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION seven minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE shooting upward	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Long streak, red shooting upward.				11. COMMENTS Aurora Borealis was reported very bright with two red shafts.	

70000 UNKNOWN (C) NONE (D) 10 (E) HIGH THIN SCTD (F) NONE. (8) AURORA
BOREALIS (9) NONE (10) AF1788 JLN-PIA (11) CPAT CARROLL A PARKER,
ASST OPS OFFICER 1289TH AACS FLIGHT SERVICE SQDN, RECEIVED A CALL
FROM PIA AT 100730Z. CAPT MOURICE BECK PILOT OF AF1788 JLN- PIA REPORTED
HE WAS 10 MI SW QUINCY ILL AT 0045C 5000 FT. HE OBSERVED THE AURORA
BOREALIS WAS VERY BRIGH HAVING TWO RED SHAFTS. WX EXTREMELY CLEAR AND
VIS VERY GOOD. HOME ORG 169TH FIGHTER INTERCEPTOR SQDN. PEORIC ILL
OCCUPATION PILOT. CAPT JOHN MOORE OF THE 170TH FIGHTER INTERCEPTOR
SQDN WAS WITH HIM AND OBSERVED THE SAME THING. ALSO FROM PEORIA ILL
OCCUPATION EXEC OFFICER 170TH FIS. VERY POSSIBLE ORIGINAL SIGHTING
BY TWO CIVILIANS COULD HAVE BEEN THE AURORA BOREALIS OBSERVED BY THE
TWO MILITARY PILOT (12) NONE.

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UNCLD MCLAMF 11-10-E. UFOB REPORT (1) (A) LONG STREAK (B) 40 FT LONG

(C) RED (D) ONE (E) N/A (F) NONE (G) SAME AS (B): (L) UNKNOWN (I)

SHOTTING UPWARDS (2) (A) COLOR AND RAPID MOVEMENT (B) UNKNOWN (C)

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UNKNOWN (D) SHOTTING UPWARDS (E) OVER HORIZON AS A MASS (F) APPROX
7 MINUTES (3) VISUAL AIR TO AIR (B) NONE (C) LUSCOMB 2869K 3000 FT
EASTERLY 110K, LAKEWOOD, CALIF. (4) 100645Z (B) NIGHT (5) 25 MI WS
TERRE HEUTE IND. (6) (A) [REDACTED] 28, [REDACTED] LAKEWOOD
CALIF: [REDACTED] AGE 43, [REDACTED] AVE, LONG BEACH, CALIF
(7) CLEAR VIS UNRESTRICTED. (B) SURFACE WSW 6, 6000 290/25, 10000
320/40, 16000 320/45, 20000 320/45, 30000 280/60, 50000 290/50,
80000 UNKNOWN (C) NONE (D) 10 (E) HIGH THIN SCTD (F) NONE. (8) AURORA

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