PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 19 November 1956	2. LOCATION Cape May, New Jersey	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft XX Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other_____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 19/0610Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION XX Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes XX No	6. SOURCE Military	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION ten to fifteen seconds	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE NE to SW

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

One large blue fire ball, 20 feet in diameter or the size of a volleyball at half a mile. Object left a bluish trail. Object left, or there was, an undescribable odor in the air unlike ozone burning. Object moved high and fast. Object was seen in a trajectory arc NE to SW. Object disappeared into woods at visible range after having been seen for 10 to 15 seconds.

11. COMMENTS

Description, duration, flight path and manner of disappearance indicate sighting was caused by a meteor.

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

P OPITPZ 1 Witness 19/0610Z 1956 1st Air 08:23

FM COMDR 2SADIV ROSLYN AFSTA NY

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC ENTAFB COLORADO

RJEDOR/COMDR ATIC WRIGHT PATERSO

RJEPHQ/DIR INEL HQ USAF WASH 25 D C

RJEPNB/COMDR DET 3 462ND AISS STEWART AFB NY

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INFO RJEPNB/COMDR EADF STEWART AFB NY

BT

/UNCLAS/CITE NBR 5244. ATTN: CIC, SUBJ: UFOB

(1)

(A) LARGE FIRE BALL

(B) 20 FT DIAMETER OR VOLLEY BALL AT HALF MILE

(C) BLUE

(D) ONE

(E) NA

(F) NONE

(G) BLUISH TRAIL

(H) NONE

(I) OBJECT LEFT OR THERE WAS INDESCRIBABLE SMELLIN AIR UNLIKE OZONE OR BURNING. HIGH & FAST

(2)

(D) TRAJECTORY HORIZONTAL ARC. N. EAST TO S. WEST.

(E) OBJECT DISAPPEARED INTO WOODS AT VISABLE RANG.

(F) 10-15 SECONDS

(3)

(A) GROUND VISUAL

(B) NONE

(4)

(A) 1006102

(B) NIGHT

(5) WEST END OF LIFE BOAT STATION, WEST END OF CAPE MAY CANAL. N.J.

38450N 74450W

(8) NO METEROLOGICAL PHENONENAL

(9) NONE

(10) NONE

(11) POSSIBLY SHOOTING STAR OR COMET. NO A/C IN LOCALITY OR INVERSION PHENONENAL.

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BT

19/0900Z NOV RJEPNY

NNNN WPH004 WPA025 YDB002 TYB032 TMA047NYA022

PP RJEDEN RJEPHQ RJEPNB RJEDWP

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ACTION

(6)

(B) [redacted] SEAMAN [redacted] S. COAST GUARD, CAPE MAY N.J.

RELIABLE MAN ACCORDING TO OFFICER OF DAY

(7)

(A) CLEAR 15 MILES TEM DEWPOINT 38 39

(B) SURFACE ENE DEG 6 KT

5,000' 340 DEG 15 KT

10,000' 340 DEG 30 KT

16,000' 270 DEG 30 KT

20,000' 270 DEG 45 KT

30,000' 290 DEG 65 KT

50,000' 300 DEG 45 KT

(C) CLEAR

(D) EXCELLENT

(E) NONE

(F) NONE