PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE
17 November 1957

2. LOCATION
Glendale, California

3. DATE-TIME GROUP
Local
GMT 17/1427Z

4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION
☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar
☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar

5. PHOTOS
☐ Yes
☒ No

6. SOURCE
Civilian

7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION
not given

8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS
one

9. COURSE
West

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING
Reddish yellow ball of fire, emitting smoke and a flash. Appeared to be falling Eastto West.

11. COMMENTS
Although the time duration is not given, the description is typical of a fireball or bolide.

12. CONCLUSIONS
☐ Was Balloon
☐ Probably Balloon
☐ Possibly Balloon
☐ Was Aircraft
☐ Probably Aircraft
☐ Possibly Aircraft
☐ Was Astronomical
☐ Probably Astronomical
☒ Possibly Astronomical
☐ Other
☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation
☐ Unknown

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

Multi

SQD007 YDB004 XYD007 XDC004JBA003

MM RJEDDN RJEDSQ RJEPHQ

DE RJWPJB 1B

M 182328Z

FM COMDR 27TH AIR DIV DEF

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC

RJEDSQ/COMDR AIR TECH INTEL CEN

RJEPHQ/DIR OF INTEL HQ USAF

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UNCLAS 2701 TAC K-0127.

1. A. BALL OF FIRE. B. UNKNOWN. C. REDDISH YELLOW. D. ONE

E. NOT APPLICABLE. F. NOT APPLICABLE. G. EMITTED SMOKE AND FLASH

OVER GLENDALE, CALIF. H. NOT APPLICABLE. I. APPEARED TO BE FALLING

EAST TO WEST.

2. A. GLANCING AT THE SKY. B. OVER HEAD. C. UNKNOWN D. EAST TO

WEST STRAIGHT COURSE. E. RANGE OF SIGHT. F. UNKNOWN.

3. A. GROUND-VISUAL B. NONE C. NOT APPLICABLE.

4. A. 17/1427 B. NIGHT.

5. IN CITY OF GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA

6. A. POLICE OFFICER, CIVILIAN [redacted], RELIABLE. ALSO

G. [redacted], GLENDALE, CALIF, PHONE C[redacted]

7. A. UNKNOWN. B. SURFACE: ~~040/03~~ NE; 6,000': ~~060/04~~ ENE; 10,000': 330/20; 16,500': ~~330/65~~ NNW; 20,000': ~~330/80~~ NNW; 30,000': 340/105; 50,000': UNKNOWN; 80,000': UNKNOWN. C. NONE, CLEAR. D. 15 PLUS.

E. NONE. F. NONE.

8. STRONG INVERSION BASE 14,000 TOP 16,500, APPROXIMATE.

9. NONE.

10. NONE.

11. CAPTAIN SMITH, SENIOR CONTROLLER, POSSIBLY A METEOR.

CONCUR:
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12. NOT APPLICABLE.

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18/2331Z NOV RJWPJB