PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE	2. LOCATION	12. CONCLUSIONS
18 November 1957	1.5 mi fm ocean in N. Santa Monica, Calif.	☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 18/1800Z	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	☐ Was Aircraft ☒ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Civilian	☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 minutes	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** one	**9. COURSE** SW
		☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Spherical, silver gray object, size of grapefruit with blades underneath.

11. COMMENTS

Probably this sighting was the sun reflecting from aircraft, Giving unusual appearance.

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Westines 18/1800Z

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PP RJEDEN RJEDWP RJEPHQ

DE RJWPJB 3C

P 182117Z

FM COMDR 751ST ACWRON MT LAGUNA CALIF

TO RJEDEN/COMDR ADC

RJWPJB/COMDR 27TH ADIV

RJEDWP/CMDR AIR TECH INTELL CENTER

RJEPHQ/DIR OF INTELL

BT

UNCLAS 751ST 1015AJ PD

1. A. SPHERICAL PD

B. GRAPEFRUIT PD

C. SILVER GRAY PD

D. ONE PD

E. NONE PD

F. BLADES UNDERNEATH PD

G. N/A PD

H. NONE PD

I. NONE PD

2. A. OBSERVING THE SKY PD

B. 5Ø DEGREES ELEVATION CMA Ø6Ø DEGREES AZIMUTH PD

C. 5Ø DEGREES ELEVATION CMA 21Ø DEGREES AZIMUTH PD

D. NE TO SW OVER THE OCEAN IN CUAVED PATTERN OF FLIGHT PD

E. SW OVER OCEAN PD

F. 2 MINUTES PD

3. A. GROUND VISUAL PD

B. NONE PD

C. N/A PD

4. A. 18/18ØØ Z PD 1800-8=1000 local

D. (NE) TO (SW) OVER THE OCEAN IN CURVED PATTERN OF FLIGHT PD

E. (SW) OVER OCEAN PD

F. (2 MINUTES) PD

3. A. GROUND VISUAL PD

B. NONE PD

C. N/A PD

4. A. 18/1800 Z PD 1800-8=1000 local

B. (DAY) PD

5. A. 1 1/2 MILES FROM OCEAN IN NORTH SANTA MONICA PD

6. MRS. [redacted] CMA [redacted] CMA SANTA MONTICA, CLAIFORNIA CMA PHONE EXT [redacted] D

7. A. CLEAR PD

B. (NW/10) (320/50)
(320/10) (310/55)
(340/28) (330/50)

There are many acft in the air in this area, one of the busiest airports in the world being located in Los Angeles.
Concur with preparing officer: Prob sun reflection of a circling acft.

PARE THREE RJWPJB 3G

(220/42) NOT AVAILABLE

C. CLEAR PD

D. 15 MILES PLUS PD

E. LESS THAN 10 PERCENT PD

F. NONE PD

8. N/A

9. NONE PD

10. NONE PD

11. WO [redacted], AIR SURVEILLANCE OFFICER CMA
POSSIBLE REFLECTION OFF OF A METAL OBJECT PD

12. NONE PD

BT

18/2210Z NOV RJWPJB

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE
18 November 1957

2. LOCATION
Tampa, Florida

3. DATE-TIME GROUP
Local
GMT 18/2210Z

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

5. PHOTOS
☐ Yes
☐ No

6. SOURCE
Civilian

7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION
10 minutes

8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS
one

9. COURSE
stationary

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING
Round object, size of a star, very bright silver. Faded out after 10 minutes.

11. COMMENTS
Probably Venus.

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

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Nov 21 62 4 9 53 21 9 1.54 37 10 09

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RR RJEDDN RJEDSQ RJEPHQ RJEPNB

DE RJESKB 1D

R 182110Z

FM COMDR 66ØTH ACWRON

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC

RJESKB/COMDR 35TH ADIV

RJEDSQ/COMDR AIR TECH INT CNTR

RJEPHQ/DIR OF INT HQ USAF

INFO RJEPNB/COMDR EADF

BT

/UNCLASSIFIED/OPS Ø655 PD UFOB PD ATTN: EADF CIO PD

1. A. ROUND

B. SIZE OF STAR

C. SILVER VERY BRIGHT

D. ONE

E. N/A

F. NONE

G. NONE

H. NONE

I. NONE

2. STATIONARY

A. SAW B-36 IN SKY AND THEN SAW THIS OBJECT

B. 45 DEGREES 19Ø DEGREES

C. 45 DEGREES 19Ø DEGREES

D. NEGATIVE

E. FADED OUT

2. STATIONARY

A. SAW B-36 IN SKY AND THEN SAW THIS OBJECT

B. 45 DEGREES 190 DEGREES } Same position (for 10 minutes)

C. 45 DEGREES 190 DEGREES }

D. NEGATIVE

E. FADED OUT

F. 10 MINUTES ← apparently not moving, or hardly moving

3. A. GROUND VISUAL

B. FIELD GLASSES

C. N/A

2210 − 5 = 1710 hrs (5:10 PM) Near Dusk at that long. date.

4. A. 18 NOV 2210Z

B. DAY ← Note,

5. TAMPA' FLORIDA

6. A. R[redacted] 38[redacted] TAMPA FLA, PLUMBER

[redacted]'38'[redacted]T, TAMPA FLA, TEACHER

B. N/A

7. A. GOOD

B. SURFACE 280/10, 6-280/25, 10-190/20, 16-200/25,
20-220/25, 30-250/40

C. 2500 SCATTERED

D. 15 MILES

E. SCATTERED

F. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

10. B-36 FLEW UNDER OBJECT ← Strange
Any object near a B-36 would have been picked up on its radars immediately. IFF unit would have given immediate signal of approaching from rear.

11. SENIOR DIRECTOR, PROBABLY EVENING STAR VENUS

12. NONE

BT

21/2231Z NOV RJESKB

Yes! at approx 270° at the time.