PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 18 August 1958	2. LOCATION 5 Mi E of Minot, North Dakota	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
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 19/0338Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar 16 X Binoculars ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 mins	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE SSE

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Red, white & glowing obj, size of silver dollar, had orange glow when in a turn, very high w/level flight gradually to SSE.

11. COMMENTS

Possibly SAC bombers in refueling pattern, which were in area at the time.

AFC FORM 3[illegible] (REV 26 SEP 52)

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Multi

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TELEPHONED

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[illegible] 28 10 57

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[illegible]

FM COMDR 75TH ACWING

TO RUHEBDA/COMDR AIR DEFENSE COMMAND [illegible]

RUHZGU/COMDR 25TH ADIV

RUHEBCA/COMDR AIR TECH INTELLIGENCE CENTER

RUEPHQ/ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF INTELLIGENCE HQ USAF

RUEPHQ/OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES HQ USAF

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SECRET UFO REPORT CPL 1755 PD

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT

1. ROUND OR OVAL SHAPED

2. SILVER DOLLAR

3 WHITE & GLOWING (STEADY COLOR)

4. [illegible]

5. N/A

6. CHANGE GLOW WHEN IN A TURN

7. NONE

8. NONE

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[illegible] ONE

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECTS

1. STEADY BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT

2. VERY HIGH IN [redacted]/HE SKY

3. VERY HIGH IN THE SKY

4. LEVEL FLIGHT OUT OF SKY, 45 DEGREES BANK WITH A [illegible] DEGREE TURN, LEVEL FLIGHT TOWARD SKY,

5. LEVEL FLIGHT GRADUALLY TO THE SKY.

6. [illegible] MINUTES

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

1. GROUND VISUAL

2. BINOCULARS (7 X 50)

3.- N/A

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

1. 19/0330Z

2. NIGHT

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS

1. 1/2 DEGREES 9 MINUTES WEST 48 DEGREES 2 MINUTES NORTH OR 5 MILES EAST OF MINOT, NORTH DAKOTA

F. IDENTIFYING DATA ON OBSERVERS

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1. CIVILIANS

A. [redacted]

[redacted] PHYSICIAN (RELIABLE)

B. [redacted]

[redacted] NORTHERN STATES POWER EXPLORER (R.LIAGER)

C. WEATHER & WINDS ALOFT

1. GOOD

2. 6,000-360 DEGREES AT 25 KNOTS

[illegible]

[illegible]-360 DEGREES AT [illegible] KNOTS

10,000-320 DEGREES AT 25 KNOTS

20,000-310 DEGREES AT 25 KNOTS

30,000-300 DEGREES AT 40 KNOTS

50,000-300 DEGREES AT 75 KNOTS

80,000 NONE

3. CLEAR

4. 15 MILES

5. NEGATIVE

6 NONE

H. SPUTNIK 3 ROCKET IN VICINITY AT SAME TIME

I. NONE

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J5 FLIGHT OF B-47 & KN-97 IN REFUELING PATTERN

K. SR.DIRECTOR ADDC, STRONGLY SUSPECTS OBSERVERS SIGHTED SAC BOMBERS IN REFUELING PATTERN, TIME OF A/C OVER MINOT & TIME OF UFO REPORT CORRESPOND EXACTLY.

very Good

L. NONE

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