PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 22 August 1958	2. LOCATION USSR (North Pacific)	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft XX Was Astronomical Meteor ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local ____ GMT TR 22/1750Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar XX Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes XX No	6. SOURCE Military	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 seconds	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE - - -

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Object of undetermined shape due to brilliance of object. Size of pea at arm's length. Green-white color. No tail. Visual only, no radar contact. Object moving from left to right in horizontal slight. After 10 dgr arc object had portion separate in a descending arc and almost at the same time the main portion exploded. No increase in brilliance during explosion. Total duration 2 seconds.

11. COMMENTS

Apparent Bolide observation.

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Country: USSR (At Sea in North Pacific Ocean)
Subject: See Below

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Info Spec: DE/pcp
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MC #: None
Rpt #: CAF IN: 79351
Agency: DAF Staff Mes Div
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DEBRIEF OF CDR BOYD AND COPILOT REVEALS FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. UNABLE TO DETERMINE SHAPE DUE TO BRILLIANCE OF OBJECT.13 APPROX SIZE OF A PEA HELD AT ARMS LENGTH. GREENISH WHITE COLOR WITNESSES SAW NO TRAIL OR EXHAUST. NO SOUND HEARD. VISUAL SIGHTING. NO ELECTRONIC CONTACT. TIME OF SIGHTING DUSK, NO STARS YET VISIBLE. OBJECT APPEARED ABOUT 10 DEGREES ON STARBOARD BOW TRAVELING FROM RIGHT TO LEFT IN A HORIZONTAL PATH. WHEN ABOUT DEAD AHEAD A SMALL PART APPEARED TO SEPARATE IN A DESCENDING ARC AND DISAPPEARED. ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY MAIN PORTION

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[illegible] WITH LITTLE INCREASE IN BRILLIANCE. BRILLIANCE APPROXIMATELY CONSTANT [illegible] FINAL EXPLOSION. VISIBLE APPROX 2 SECONDS. OBJECT NOT SIGHTED BY OTHER [illegible] ON TRACK. POSITION AND HEADING OF OTHER BARRIER AIRCRAFT AT THE TIME [illegible] SIGHTING. 35-40 NORTH 174-00 WEST CUS 210.

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[illegible] 2 YEARS.
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