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PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 9 May 60	**2. LOCATION** Vicinity Waco, Texas	**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 100022Z May 60	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 4 sec	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** one	**9. COURSE** E then N

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Long, possibly pointed object, no wings or tail visible, appeared to be aprox 20 times as large as a B-47. Sighting at dusk. Color not determined due to sun reflecting off object. Haze layer present. Witness heard jet and looked up.

11. COMMENTS

Since there was but one witness this report is classified as insufficient data. The object was possibly an a/c, although none were reported in the area. Witness claimed to hear sound of jet. Any object 20 times the size of a B-47 would have no doubt been witnesses by others over a city the size of Waco.

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UNCLAS 0104E. ACTION ADC, OCADS, AEROSPACE TECH INTELLIGENCE CENTER, COFS FOR AFCIN, OSAF FOR SAFOI. UFO. REFERENCE PARAGRAPH 15, AFR 200-2. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT. (1) LONG, POSSIBLY POINTED, LIKE BALL POINT PEN, NO WINGS OR TAIL VISIBLE. (2) USING SIZE OF B-47 AIRCRAFT AT ALTITUDE FOR COMPARISON OBJECT APPEARED TO BE APPROXIMATELY TWENTY TIMES AS LARGE. (3) UNDETERMINED DUE TO SUN REFLECTION. (4) ONE. (5) NOT APPLICABLE. (6) UNDETERMINED. (7) NONE (8) NONE (9) NONE DESCRIPEION OF COURSE OF OBJECT. (1) SOUND OF JET AIRCRAFT CAUSED OBSERVER TO LOOK SKYWARD AND OBSERVED OBJECTED. (2) TRUE BEARING 345 DEGREEES, ANGLE OF ELEVATION UNKNOWN. (3) TRUE

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BEARING 025 DEGREES, ANGLE OF ELEVATION UNKNOWN. (4) FLIGHT PATH APPEARED TO BE WEST TO EAST, OBJECT MADE A NINETY DEGREE TURN TO THE NORTH WITH NO APPARENT CHANGE IN DIRECTION OF FLIGHT. (5) OBJECT LOST AS RESULT OF POSSIBLE LOSS OF EYE FOCUS.

(6) FOUR SECONDS. MANNER OF OBSERVATION. (1) GROUND-VISUAL. (2) NONE. (3) NOT APPLICABLE. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING (1) 100022Z MAY 60 (2) DUSK. LOCATION OF OBSERVER. 31 35N 97 14W. ONE MILE SOUTH WACO MUNICIPAL AIRPORT. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER. [redacted], 33, [redacted] WACE, TEX. SELLS AND INSTALLS AUTOMATIC FARM EQUIPMENT. APPEARED RELIABLE IN TELEPHONE CONVERSATION AND DISCUSSED CHARACTERISTICS OF KNOWN AIRCRAFT IN AN INFORMED MANNER. WEATHER AND WINDS.

(1) VERY LIGHT HAZE. (2) SURFACE - 330 DEGREES, 5 KNOTS; 6,000 FT - 360 DEGREES, 21 KNOTS; 10,000 FT 350 DEGREES, 25 KNOTS 16,000 FT - 330 DEGREES, 25 KNOTS; 20,000 FT - 330 DEGREES, 30 KNOTS; 30,000 FT - 330 DEGREES 45 KNOTS; 45,000 FT - 300 DEGREES, 40 KNOTS; 60,000 FT - 320 DEGREES, 15 KNOTS. (3) NONE SKY CLEAR (4) 15 TO 20 MILES IN LIGHT HAZE. (5) NONE. (6) NONE . (7) APPROXIMATELY MINUS TWO DEGREES CENTIGRADE PER ONE THOUSAND FEET SURFACE TO FORTY FIVE THOUSAND FEET MSL.

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NO UNUSAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITION. NO INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKEN. NO KNOWN AIR TRAFFIC OR BALLOONS IN THE AREA TO ACCOUNT

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FOR SIGHTING. ASSISTANT WING OPERATIONS OFFICER, NO ANALYSIS. NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE.

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UFO ANALYSIS SHEET

Location Vicinity Waco , Texas

Date 10 May 1960 Hour (Z) 0022Z

WX Clear, vis 15-20 mi in light haze, winds N & NW at 5 to 45 knots

Description Long-possibly pointed like pall pt pen, size 20 times as large as a B-47 , heard jet acft and looked up, first seen at 345 deg elev unk, disapp 025 deg elev unk, flt path to E., made 90 deg turn to N. with no apparent change in direction of flight, disapp due to loss of eye focus, seen for 4 seconds.

Direction of Motion East, then North

Satellite: (AFCIN-4F3, Phone 69219) Ruled out

Astronomical Phenomena (Meteor, Comet, Planet, etc) Ruled out due to the reported maneuver

Radar Analysis (AFCIN-4E1) None

Natural Phemomena (Ball Lightning, etc) Ruled out

Aircraft, Balloons, Airships, etc. Poss Acft; however, the reporting officer stated that there were no known acft in the area

Other Insufficient Data (1 witness)

Evaluation of Source Reliability

Analysis and Conclusions: The witness said that he heard a jet acft, yet the reporting officer stated that there were no known acft in the area. The witness could not determine the color due to the sun reflectiong off of it. If the object was as large as the witness reported, it was enourmous. Anything as large as the witness reported would have been seen and reported by many people. Only one witness saw it, so this report is evaluated as insufficient data, 1 witness.