PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 6 Aug 61	2. LOCATION 2227N 17519E (FAR EAST)	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other_____ X ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2000 GMT 060800Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION X ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes X ☐ No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 sec	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 2	9. COURSE S

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING 2 objts, 1 behind the other, pulsating. Observed at 315°T. Speed aprox 9 times Echo. Passed over ship at 53° elev.

11. COMMENTS Insufficient data was furnished to lead to valid conclusion. It is possible that this was either a missile or meteor. Pulsating effect tends to lead to missile evaluation, however there was no known launch on this date.

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AFCIN-4E2X
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Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a letter from [redacted] which is self-explanatory. We understand your office is handling this type of letter.

Yours very truly,

[redacted]
Tracking & Data Systems

Enclosure

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AIRMAIL

United States Lines

8/7/61

Dear Sir:

While on route to Manila from Honolulu, on course 267°T at exactly 0800 8/6/61 GMT, 2000 Local time, Lat: 22°-27'N λ: 175°-19'E, two objects were observed in the sky by myself and two AB's while on watch.

On this dark clear night these two objects, one behind the other & pulsating were picked up bearing 315°T. and crossed the sky from north to south.

They appeared for approximately 10 seconds at an approximate speed of 9 times the speed of U.S. Satellite echo. The two objects

Passed over having a sextant altitude of 53° - 26.5' approximately the same height as the star Arcturus, at that time

Respectfully,

[redacted]

New York 61, N.Y.

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U. S. NAVY HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

DATE	CODE
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TO: Nat'l. Aeronautics and Space Agency, Washington 25, D.C.

The attached letter received from

Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
New York 61, New York

is forwarded as a matter under the cognizance of your office, and the writer has been so advised by a copy of this memorandum.

REMARKS

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M.O. RICE, Acting Director, M.S.

By direction of the Hydrographer

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