PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 8 Aug 61	**2. LOCATION** N Highlands, California	**12. CONCLUSIONS** ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☒ Other Poss Echo I ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2200 GMT 090600Z	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Military	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 20 min	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** 1	**9. COURSE** E

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Objt white, like pinhead bright as 1st magnitude star. Observed in N at 60° elev. Disappeared over horizon in E.

11. COMMENTS Description and flight path are characteristic of satellite Echo I. Reported duration is slightly excessive, but considering the inability of a person to estimate time lapse accurately, duration was probably shorter than reported. As the Echo I passed N of witnesses position moving SE, this was probably objt observed.

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

1961 AUG 10 00 46

TELEPHONED
TO V.O.C.
NO. 212
TIME 0054 Z
Date 10th Aug 61
By: LS

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RJWZSB/28AIR DIV HAMILTON AFB CALIF

RJEDSQ/ATIC WPAFB OHIO

RJEZHQ/COFS WASH DC

RJEZHQ/OSAF WASH DC

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FOR COFS PASS TO AFCIN, FOR OSAF PASS TO SAFIS. UFO REPORT.

THE FOLLOWING UFO REPORT IS SUBMITTED IN AFR 200-2 FORMAT.

A1. DOT

2. PIN HEAD

3. WHITE, LIKE FIRST MAGNITUDE STAR

4. ONE

5. THROUGH 9. NEGATIVE

B1. MOTION

2. 60 DEGREES ELEVATION. 360 DEGREES AZIMUTH

3. HORIZON, 090 DEGREES AZIMUTH

4. PASSED TANGENT TO HANDLE OF LITTLE DIPPER, SOUTH OF NORTH STAR, SOUTH OF CHAIR OF CASSIOPEIA.

5. ON HORIZON

6. 20 MINUTES

C1. GROUND VISUAL

2. NONE

3. N/A

D1. 090500Z

2. NIGHT

E. NORTH HIGHLANDS CALIFORNIA

F1. N/A

2. JIMMIE L. SMITH, 1LT, 55607A, 963AEW&C SQDN, PILOT, 650 HRS. JOSEPH DESANTIS, 1LT, 55455A, 963 AEW&C SQDN, PILOT, 650 HRS. BOTH PILOTS ARE CONSIDERED RELIABLE

G1. CLEAR

2.	SURFACE	320/03
	6,000	230/25
	16,000	220/25
	20,000	230/25

30,000 190/30

50,000 220/15

3. UNLIMITED

4. 15 PLUS

5. AND 6. NONE

7. INVERSION LAYERS AT 1,200 FT, 1,500 FT, AND 46,000 FT"

H. THROUGH J. NONE

K. RICHARD A KAHANE, 2/LT, INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, POSSIBLE ARTIFICAL EARTH SATELLITE OR ESV.

L. NONE

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