PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE	2. LOCATION	12. CONCLUSIONS
28 August 1962	Orcas Island, Washington	☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 29/0530Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Picture drawn by witness Civilian	☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS four	9. COURSE descending stationary
		☐ Other _____ ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Four very bright amber lights, evenly spaced believed to be a few miles away, hovering (not moving) in a straight line. Low on horizon, two dropped to lower altitude & went out of sight below horizon. Later all vanished. Shortly one returned & then went out of sight as the others did before.

11. COMMENTS

Information indicates obsvation of four astronomical bodies setting; however, at the rptd time of sighting, there are not four bodies of 1st or 2nd magnitude in position for this to occur. The other possibility is that there was a reflection of ground lights on a possible inversion. Since these conditions have not been established the case is considered as insufficient data.

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

August 29, 1962

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Seattle 88, Washington

Dear Sir,

My name is [redacted] and I live in Seattle, Washington and I am 14 years old.

While staying with my grandparents who live on Orcas Island, Washington we saw four bright objects in the sky. The objects were very bright amber in color and were probably a couple of miles away. They were all in a straight row and were hovering above the ground and were not moving. The objects must have been a couple of hundred feet up.

As we watched them a little longer a couple of them fell out of formation and went to a lower altitude. Then in a little while the four U.F.O.'s all vanished into thin air. We watched for a little while and one of the bright objects returned, but soon vanished like the others.

This occured on the night of August 28, between 9:30 and 10. P.M.

You probably get hundreds of these letters each year concerning U.F.O.'s but I thought

our sighting of these strange objects might be of importance to you.

I drew a picture of what the scene looked like that night.

Sincerely yours,

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