

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 16 December 1962		2. LOCATION 61.38N 07.15W (Atlantic)		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 16/1656Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 seconds		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE SW	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Satellite on heading of 075dgr. Speed very rapid. Round size of pea, greenish same size as stars. Initial observation at 20 dgr elevation 20 dgr azimuth disappeared at 60 dgr elevation 305 dgr azimuth w/gravitational trajectory blinking as approaching horizon. 30-5 seconds				11. COMMENTS Most probably a high meteor if duration is correct. Possibly satellite. Insufficient data presented for evaluation. Conflicting & incomplete info present.	

16/1635Z

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Col. Friend

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TO RUECW/CNO

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RUEAHQ/HQ USAF

RUWGALB/CINCONAD

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RUWGALD/SPADAT

INFO RUCKDT/COMASWFORLANT

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LOCATING ONE-UFO

1. SATELITE

2. 6138N 0715W

3. 1656Z

4. 075 DEGREES. VERY RAPID

5. VISUAL

BT NOTE: ADV CY DEL TO CIN AND DIA.

INCOMING AT IN: 491 (16 Dec 62)L/der

ACTION: CIN-17

INFO : OOP-1, OOP-CP-2, SAFS-3,
DIA-10, DIA/CIIC-3 -37-

AF IN : 557 (16 Dec 62) D/em DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
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ACTION: CIN-17

INCOMING

INFO : OOP-1, OOP-CP-2, SAFS-3, DIA-10, DIA-CIIC-3 (37)

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AF IN: 681 (17 Dec 62) X/eld

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ACTION: CIN-17

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INFO : OOP-1, OOP-CP-2, SAFS-3, DIA-10, DIA-CIIC-3 (37)

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ZNR ZFH-1

CSUB245ZCECB072

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O M 170507Z

FM ADMINO COMBARFORLANT

TO RUECW/CNO

RUCKHC/CINCLANTFLT

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I N C O M I N G

AF IN: 681 (17 Dec 62)

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LOCATING ONE UFO AMPLIFYING FINAL

A. MY 161731Z

1. A. ONE

B. ROUND

C. PEA; SAME SIZE AS SURROUNDING STARS

D. GREENISH

2. A. ACCIDENTAL VISUAL DETECTION AT 16165/Z

B. ANGLE OF ELEVATION 20 DEGREES AZIMUTH 020 DEGREES

C. ANGLE OF ELEVATION 60 DEGREES AZIMUTH 305 DEGREES

D. LOOKED LIKE GRAVITATIONAL TRAJECTORY

E. BLINKED OUT AS IT APPROACHED HORIZON

F. 30 TO 5 SECONDS

3. A. AIR VISUAL

C. 61-30N07-20;2 161656Z FL60 TH 340 DEGREES TAS 192KTS

D. NIGHT

E. AIRCRAFT OTP

BT

17/0505Z

NOTE: ADV CY TO DIA.