

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 24 February 1963		2. LOCATION 21.26N 158.20W (Pacific)		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical Meteor ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 25/0516Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Aloha Airlines			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not reported		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE entering atmosphere/northerly	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Report from 2 a/c of object entering atmosphere. Viewed at 45 dgr elevation heading north burning out at 30 dgr elevation.				11. COMMENTS Probable meteor sighting. NO DECAY THIS DATE.	

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INFO : NIN-9, XOP-1, XOPX-4, SAFOS-3, ARMY-2, NAVY-2, CMC-8, JCS-35,
CIA-11, NSA-7, OSD-15, DIA-25, DIA-CIIC-2 (125)

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FM 326 AIR DIV KUNIA FACILITY HAWAII

TO RUHLKM/PACAF HICKAM AFB HAWAII

RUHAC/COMALSEAFRON KODIAK ALASKA

RUWSPG/COMWESTSEAFRON SAN FRANCISCO CALIF

RUHPQ/COMHAWSEAFRON PEARL HARBOR HAWAII

INFO RUEAHQ/COFS USAF WASHINGTON DC

RUWGALB/CINCNOAD ENT AFB COLO

RUHPA/CINCPAC CAMP H M SMITH HAWAII

RUHAFS/CINCUSARPAC FT SHAFTER HAWAII

RUHPB/CINCPACFLT PEARL HARBOR HAWAII

RUUAZ/COMUSJAPAF FUCHU AS JAPAN

RUAMCR/COMUSKOREA SEOUL KOREA

RUAGFL/COMUSTDC TAIPEI TAIWAF

RUHPD/COMASWFORPAC FORD IXLAFD HAWAII

RUCSBR/CINCSAC OFFUTT AFB NEBR

RUECW/CNO WASHINGTON DC

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ALOHA AIRLINES AIRCRAFT 731 REPORTS BRILLIANT WHITE
OBJECT ENTERING ATMOSPHERE 350 DEGREE RADIAL FROM POSTION
21 DEG 26' NORTH 158 DEG 20' WEST, 45 DEGREES ABOVE HORIZON,
DISTANCE IN EXCESS OF 200 MILES AT 0516Z. DIRECTION
NORTHERLY AT HIGH SPEED. BURNED OUT 30 DEGREES ABOVE
HORIZON. SIGHTING CONFIRMED BY ALOHA AIRLINES AIRCRAFT
NUMBER 131. NO EVALUATION

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25/0630Z FEB RUHLKH

NOTE: ADV CY TO NIN, DIA AND XOPX.