PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE · TIME GROUP 4 August 65 05/0330Z	2. LOCATION Albany, Oregon
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (ARCTURUS) Observation characteristic of Astro Body. ARCTURUS in the approximate position of the reported object. Initial elevation regarded as being in error.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 - 35 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Bright white star shaped object flashed red and white just before going over the horizon. Initial sighting at 30-35 deg elevation in West moving to 10 deg elevation in NW at time of disappearance. Flat arc type of trajectory.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE North	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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INCOMING
MESSAGE

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH

UNCLASSIFIED

Arcturus

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ACTION: NIN-7

INFO: XOP-1, XOPX-8, SAFOS-3, DIA-1 (21)

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FM POADS ADAIR AFS OREG

TO RUWGALE/ADC

RUWHBH/25 ADIV MCCHORD AFB WASH

RUCDSQ/ATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO

RUEAHQ/HQ USAF WASHINGTON DC

RUEAHQ/SEC OF AIR FORCE WASH DC

BT

UNCLAS P001N 13052 AUG 65

FOR AFCIN - HQ USAF, SAFOI - SEC OF AF. SUBJECT: UFO REPORT.

PART A.

1. STAR SHAPED.

2. B-B OR SMALLER.

3. BRIGHT WHITE.

4. ONE.

5. N/A.

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6. NONE.

7. NONE.

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8. NONE

9. FLASHED BRIGHT RED AND WHITE JUST BEFORE GOING OVER WESTERN HORIZON.

PART B.

1. MOVEMENT AND BRIGHTNESS OF OBJECT.

2. 30DEGREES - 35DEGREES ABOVE WESTERN HORIZON.

3. 10DEGREES OFF NORTHWESTERN HORIZON.

ARCTURUS
290° AZ
10° ELEV

4. FLEW A FLAT TRAJECTORY RATHER THAT AN ARC-TYPE TRAJECTORY SIMILAR TO THOSE OF SATELLITE TRAJECTORIES.

SETTING
@ 300° AZ
2260

5. DROPPED OVER HORIZON.

6. UFO SEEN FOR APPROXIMATELY 30-35 MINUTES.

PART C.

1. OBSERVED FIRST FROM INSIDE THE HOUSE AND THEN FROM OUTSIDE THE HOUSE.

2. NONE.

3. N/A.

PART D.

1. 05/0400Z, AUGUST.

2. NIGHT.

PART E.

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1. ONE MILE NORTH OF ALBANY.

PART F.

1. [redacted], [redacted], ALBANY, OREGON. WORKS AT BUREAU OF MINES, ALBANY, OREGON, AS A CHEMICAL ENGINEER. FORMERLY A USMC SGT(ARTILLERYMAN) DISCHARGED FROM USMC 31 MAR 52.

2. N/A.

PART G.

1. CLEAR NIGHT WITH UNRESTRICTED VISIBILITY.

2. WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY:

SURFACE	CALM	CALM
6000	350 DEG	15 KTS
10000	320 DEG	20 KTS
16000	260 DEG	20 KTS
20000	280 DEG	20 KTS
30000	260 DEG	30 KTS

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50000 250 DEG 30 KTS

80000 N/A

3. CEILING: UNLIMITED.

4. VISIBILITY: 15 MILES.

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5. AMOUNT OF CLOUD COVER: NONE.

6. N/A.

7. NORMAL VERTICAL TEMPERATURE GRADIENT.

PART H. NONE.

PART I. NONE.

PART J. (689 RADRON, SITE Z-100, MT HEBO AFS, OREGON)
MT HEBO CALLED THE SENIOR DIRECTOR AT HQ POADS TO REPORT A T-33 IT SAW FLYING AT 1000 FEET. TIME OF THE SIGHTING WAS 05/0330Z. THE T-33 WAS HEADING NORTHWEST AND SEAWARD AT THE TIME OF SIGHTING. (MT HEBO IS APPROXIMATELY 40 MILES NORTHWEST OF ALBANY.)

PART K. PREPARING OFFICER, MAJOR A. F. SHIFLETT, STAFF INTELLIGENCE OFFICER. THE T-33 SIGHTING WHICH COINCIDED CLOSELY WITH THAT OF THE UFOB WOULD, UNDER NORMAL CIRCUMSTANCES, NOT HAVE BEEN VISIBLE FOR 30-35 MINUTES. I HAVE

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NO OTHER PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS TO OFFER AS TO CAUSE OF

SIGHTING. RELIABILITY RATING F-6.

PART L. NONE.

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NOTE: ADV CY TO DIA