

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 18 July 66 19/0245Z	2. LOCATION Aberdeen, South Dakota	1 Witness
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Aircraft (possible) ✓ <i>not</i>	
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Several	<i>In view of our gaining evidence, have to conclude to proper conclusion.</i>	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION One and one half hours	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS	
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	Observer noted various lights in the sky traveling in various directions. Objects appeared to wobble as they traveled. Finally disappearing into local cloud cover.	
7. COURSE Various	Numerous aircraft were in the area at the time of the sightings possibly accounting for sighting.	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No		

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 4TH STRATEGIC AEROSPACE DIVISION (SAC)
GRAND FORKS AIR FORCE BASE, NORTH DAKOTA 58201



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: DXI

20 July 1966

SUBJECT: UFO Sighting

TO: AFSC (FTD)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

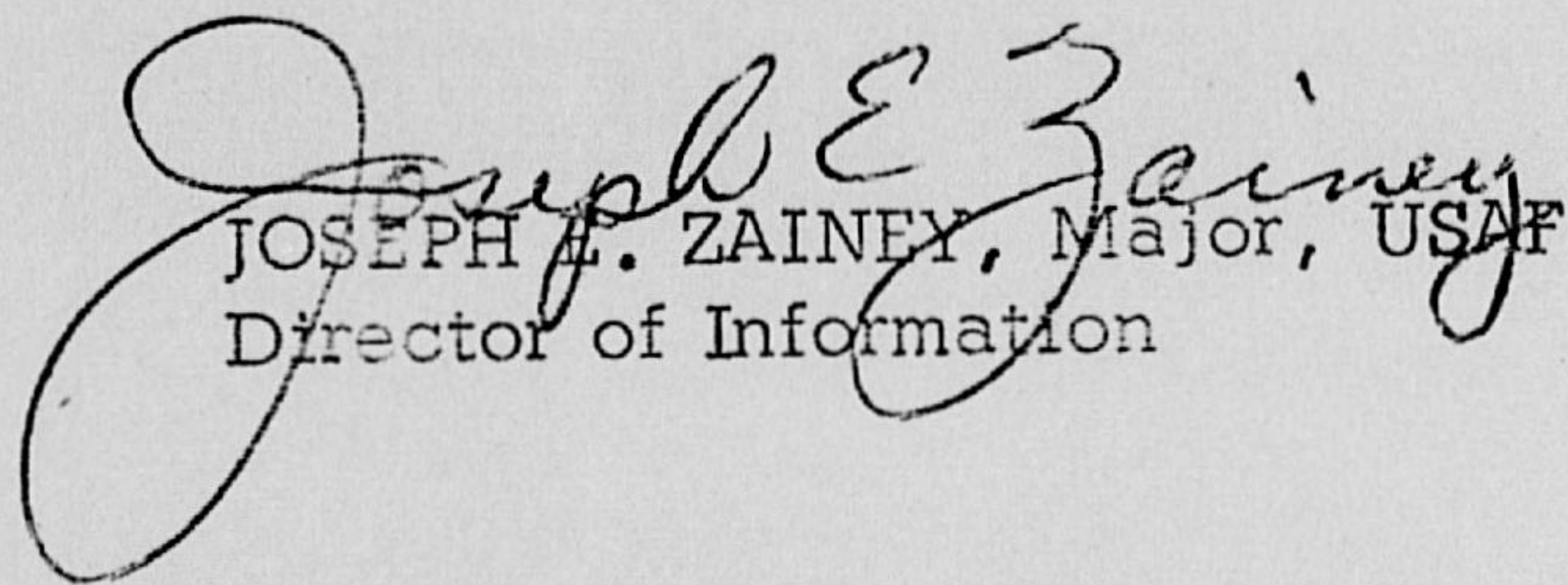
1. In accordance with the provisions of AFR 200-2 the following information is forwarded.
2. Paragraph 14a(1) - unknown; (2) - pinpoint; (3) - Red and blue lights; (4) - varied, part 2 and 4; (5) - unknown; (6) - none; (7) - none; (8) - none; (9) - none.
3. b(1) - unknown; (2) - approximately 10° elevation, 270° azimuth; (3) - same as (2); (4) - moving toward observer and then away. Objects passed at a bearing of 270° and 90° . They also appeared to the observer to wobble. (5) - disappeared into local cloud cover; (6) - approximately one and one-half hours. ←
4. c(1) ground, visual; (2) - none; (3) - N/A.
1 1/2 HR
5. d(1) - 19/0245Z until 19/0415Z; (2) - dusk.
6. e. Aberdeen, South Dakota
7. f(1) - Civilian, [REDACTED], teenager, Aberdeen, South Dakota, student, doubtful; (2) - N/A.
8. g. - unknown.
9. h. - unknown.
10. i. - N/A.
11. j. - unknown
12. k. - Captain Robert M. Clark, 319 Bomb Wing (SAC), Intelligence Division. Probable aircraft.
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13. i. - unknown.

14. Paragraph 16 - subject called Aberdeen Station of the Weather Bureau which also observed the sightings. They told her to call Grand Forks Air Force Base with the information.

FOR THE COMMANDER


JOSEPH E. ZAINERY, Major, USAF
Director of Information

1 August 66

Conversation with Captain Clark, concerning alleged Ufo sighting. Captain Clark will forward a radar report to our office. There were numerous aircraft in the area of the sighting at the time of the sighting. Captain Clark after having talking with observer feels that several aircraft were responsible for the sighting.

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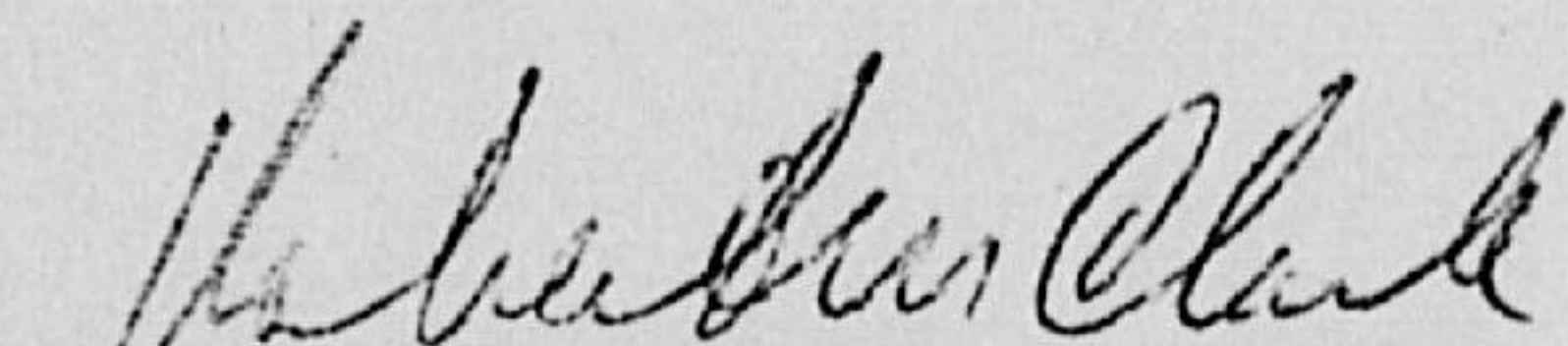
REPLY TO
ATTN OF: 319DCOICI

8 Aug 1966

SUBJECT: UFO Sighting Report, 20 July 1966

TO: AFSC (FTD)

Reference Telecon between Lt Marley, your organization and myself, regarding UFO sighting at Aberdeen, SDak, on 18 July. Due to the present airman manning (25% of authorized strength), this branch is unable to fully support even our primary wartime mission. Providing the assistance you request would degrade our unit's war commitment, and for this reason we are unable to comply.


ROBERT M CLARK, Capt, USAF
Chief, Combat Intelligence Branch

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