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ATIC NO. - - - DATE 29 July 1950
AF NO. - - - TIME 1415 MST
REPORT NO. - - - SOR II CIRC 1
DATE OF REPORT 29 July 1950 DATE IN TO ATIC - - -
TIME OF SPOTTING 1415 MST COLOR Aluminum
SHAPE Flying ALTITUDE - - -
SIZE 35' overall SPEED 300 MIA
COURSE E to S DIA. - - -
NO. IN GROUP 1 LENGTH OF TIME ON 1 min.
NOTES - - - TYPE OF CLOUD Ground
SKETCHES - - - MANEUVERS Wingman straight course.

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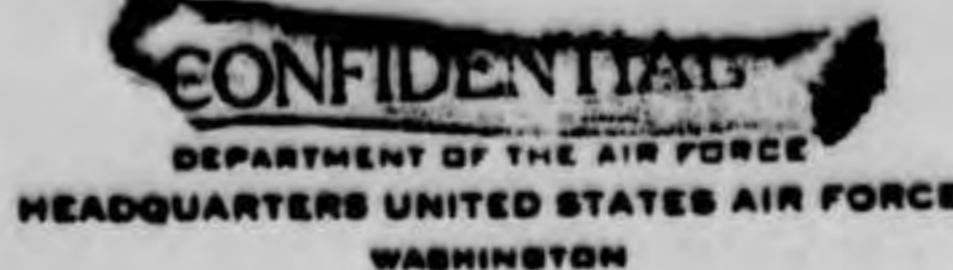
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THE INSPECTOR GENERAL USAF
17TH DISTRICT OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS
KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE, NEW MEXICO

File No: 24-8-0

29 July 1950

SPOT INTELLIGENCE REPORT
SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED AERIAL PHENOMENA

TO: Director of Special Investigations
Headquarters, United States Air Force
Washington 25, D. C.

1. SYNOPSIS: On 15 July 1950, at approximately 1415 hours (MST), Mr. JOHN J. HODGSON, assigned to station GEM-4, Los Alamos, New Mexico, home address: 1945-B 40th Street, Los Alamos, New Mexico observed a bright metallic, aluminum colored object. Said object was viewed for approximately one (1) minute from a window.

2. DETAILS: On 19 July 1950, Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he had seen a metallic object, shaped similar to a flying wing on 15 July 1950. This observation was made from a window on the north side of the "Gamm Building", Los Alamos, New Mexico. The following information was furnished by the interviewee:

- a. Date of Sighting: 15 July 1950
- b. Time of Sighting: 1415 hours (MST), in sight for approximately one minute.
- c. Where Sighted: Los Alamos, New Mexico
- d. Number of Objects: One (1)
- e. Observable Celestial Phenomena or Planets That May Account for the Sighting: None
- f. Distance of Object from Observer:
 - (1) Laterally or Horizontally: Approximately fifteen (15) miles
 - (2) Angle of Elevation from Horizon: 15 degrees
 - (3) Altitude: Undetermined

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- a. Time in Flight: Approximately one (1) minute
b. Appearance of Objects:
(1) Color: Aluminum
(2) Shape: Similar to Flying Wing
(3) Apparent Construction: A wing with a transparent section near the center and without fuselage
(4) Size: 35 feet overall
d. Direction of Flight: East to west over mountain range
e. Tactics or Maneuvers: Tearing but followed a straight course
f. Evidence of Exhaust: None
g. Effect on Clouds: None
h. Lights: None
i. Supports: None
j. Propulsion: None
k. Control and stability: No comment
l. Air ducts: None
m. Speed: 300 MPH
n. Sound: None
o. Manner of disappearance: Lost vision of object from window
p. Notes relative to observers:
(1) Name: [REDACTED]
(2) Address: [REDACTED] Los Alamos, New Mexico
(3) Occupation: Assigned to G.I.-4, AFM
(4) Place of business: Los Alamos, New Mexico
(5) Pertinent hobbies: Unknown
(6) Ability to determine: Average
(7) Reliability of observer: Unknown
(8) Former sightings: None
q. Witness: None

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3. ACTION: Report furnished Headquarters, Office of
Special Investigations.

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Major, USAF
District Commander

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