

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 9 January 1956	2. LOCATION Honshu, Japan		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 09/1235Z (N)	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Military & Civilian		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Weather</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 hour 56 minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS unknown	9. COURSE unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Brilliant white flashes. A/C scrambled to investigate-no explosive sound.		11. COMMENTS Japanese police advise similar wx conditions.	

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[REDACTED] FROM AFOIN -2A1 54382 THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM FEAF IS FORWARDED FOR YOUR INFORMATION: "SEVERAL ACCEPTABLE SOURCES INCLUDING AC/W AND AIRBORN OBSERVERS HAVE REPORTED BRILLIANT WHITE FLASHES OCCURING IN GENERAL AREA BETWEEN 36 DEGREES NORTH/135 DEGREES EAST AND 37 DEGREES 50 MIN NORTH/137 DEGREES EAST OFF SHORE HONSHU BETWEEN 09/1235Z AND 09/1431Z. NEGATIVE EXPLOSIVE SOUNDS REPORTED. RECON A/C SCRAMBLED TO INVESTIGATE. EVALUATION: WEATHER ADVISES SEA OF JAPAN AND INTERIOR JAPAN CLEAR WITH BAND OF STRATO-CUMULUS AND SNOW IN AREA OF OBSERVATIONS. JAPANESE POLICE OF SHORE AREA INVOLVED ADVISE SIMILAR OBSERVATIONS

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A PARAPHRASE NOT PERMITTED EXCEPT PRIOR TO CATEGORY 1. PERMANENTLY REMOVE ALL INTERNAL REFERENCES BY DATE-TIME GROUP PRIOR TO DECLASSIFICATION

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UNDER SIMILAR WX OCCASIONS. THEREFORE FLASHS ALMOST CERTAINLY ATTRIBUTABLE TO WEATHER CONDITION."

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