

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 6 April 1957	2. LOCATION Reseda, California		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT not reported	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3-5 minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE stationary	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Cigar shaped cone size of DC-6 at 1000-1500 ft observed in a stationary position. If object moved it was toward observer. Object surrounded by elliptical light 1 1/2 times as long as wide. Color was golden. Core was 5X brighter than outer portion. Color of core yellow flickering. No details, no sound, no trail, no exhaust. Object in WNW portion of sky at 60 dgr elevation. Disappeared like turning out light.		11. COMMENTS Insufficient data for evaluation. Time of day not included. No other reports from this area on this date. Possible a/c approaching observer.  Director Aerospace Studies Inst ATTN: Archives Branch Maxwell AFB, Alabama  RETURN TO:  K243.6010-1 Apr 1957	

Country: Unknown, Seen over U.S.A. <sup>12</sup>  
Subject: UFOB (Unknown Flying Objects)  
Source: ██████████, ██████████,  
Reseda, California

Set 1/1, Card 1/2

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MC #: 18858-B

AF #: 1095745

Rpt. #: 1-57

Agency: Maywood Air Force Depot

D.R.: April 15, 1957 ✓

D.I.: April 5, 1957

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2. On 5 April 1957 ██████████, home address ██████████, Reseda, California; office address ██████████, Los Angeles 46, California, telephonically reported to Special Agent DALLAS G. WEDDLE that he had observed an unusual phenomena and was writing a letter to Headquarters USAF explaining his observation. On 8 April 1957 Special Agent GLENN T. COX interviewed ██████████ at his office. *Fairly low alt!*

A cigar shaped core, approximately the size of a DC-6 at 1000 to 1500 feet, surrounded by an elliptical light with length radius 1 1/2 times and width radius 1/2 times as long as the cigar shaped core. The elliptical glow was bright golden in color; while the cigar shaped core was approximately five times brighter than the outer light and was a yellow flickering color. The one object he sighted had no discernible details, no tail or exhaust stream, and issued no sound.

Mr. ██████████ advised that his attention was directed to this object by its brilliant glow. He first observed it in a west by northwest direction at an angle of approximately 60 degrees above the horizon. The object made very little movement and what movement was made was towards the observer. The entire phenomena disappeared like

5 April 1957 - but at what time?

Set 1/1, Card 2/2

Unknown, Seen Over USA

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the turning off of an electric light, in that there was an immediate blackout and no gradual fading of this light. He estimated that he observed this object for approximately three to five minutes. ← *Note!*

This observation was made on the ground without the aid of any mechanical equipment.

██████████ indicated that insofar as he knew he was the only one to observe this incident and at the time of his observation he was standing in front of his home which faces in a southerly direction.

Extract of a 4 page document

PS/lm

June 27, 1957

- ✓ 1. No repts from the many persons who live in that area
  - ✓ 2. No radar UFO reports
  - ✓ 3. No repts on UFO in that area from military or civilian aircraft
  - ✓ 4. No repts from GOC posts in the area.
  - ✓ 5. No similar repts from surrounding areas. *RTG*
  - ⑥. No specific time that the incident took place (EEI) given. *7 July 57*
- Inseff. Data + prob. over-actual interpretation*