

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 11 August, 1960		2. LOCATION Madison, Wisconsin		12. CONCLUSIONS	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 12/0:09Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual binoculars <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual		<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	
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6. SOURCE Civilian		<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 15 minutes		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	9. COURSE NE		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round white object the size of a quarter, had a bright glowing light. Appeared star-like. Changed course and speed periodically while under observation. Observed as it passed Regulus. 025535M				11. COMMENTS Description, duration and pattern fit that of SCNC I, however it was not launched until 6 hours later. Object observed as it passed Regulus. Star chart indicated that Regulus set two hours earlier, and was below the NNW horizon. Object moved in wrong direction for balloon and no known A/C in area. Insufficient Data for evaluation although indications are that the object was SCNC and the date and time in error.	

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ACTION	ROUTINE	BOOK	MULTI	SINGLE	AF	130420Z	UNCLAS
INFO							

FROM: ATIC, W-P AFB

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

TO: TRUX FLD, WISCONSIN

/UNCLASSIFIED/FROM: AFCIN-4E2x 8-2458-E

CADS, YOUR MSG, DTD 12 AUG 60, RPTG THE SIGHTING OF AN UFO AT MADISON, WISC CONTAINS INCOMPLETE AND INSUFF DATA. THE WITNESS REPORTED SEEING A BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT MOVING SOUTH, AND WATCHED IT FOR 15 MINUTES. SUCH LIMITED INFO IS OF VERY LITTLE VALUE, AS A WHITE LIGHT CAN COME FR ANY NUMBER OF SOURCES. REQ A FURTHER INVESTIGATION BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2, DTD 14 SEPT 59. REF PAR 5, AFR 200-2 FOR GUIDANCE IN THIS INVESTIGATION.

DATE	TIME
16	1030
MONTH	YEAR
AUG	1960

WRITER

SYMBOL
AFCIN-4E2x

TYPED NAME AND TITLE (Signature, if required)
Maj Robert J. Friend

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Colonel, USAF
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FOR ADC, ATIC, USAF (AC/S INTEL) AND (OI). INFO 38TH ADIV.

REFERENCE YOUR MESSAGE AFCIN-4227 8-2450-E,

13 AUG 60. THIS REPORT SUPERSEDES OUR LFO REPORT OF

12 AUG 60 WHICH WAS INCORRECTLY PREPARED. CORRECTED

LFO REPORT IS AS FOLLOWS:

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT.

- (1) SPHERICAL.
- (2) QUARTER (COIN) HELD AT ARMS LENGTH.
- (3) WHITE

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ADMIN. SERVICES

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(4) ONE

(5) NONE

(6) BRIGHT GLOWING LIGHT, STAR-LIKE.

(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) APPEARED TO CHANGE COURSE AND SPEED PERIODI-
CALLY WHILE UNDER OBSERVATION, BUT OBSERVER
STATED HE BELIEVED THIS TO BE ILLUSIONARY EFFECT
CAUSED BY THERMAL CONDITIONS ALOFT.

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT.

(1) NOTICED MOVEMENT AS OBJECT PASSED REGULUS.

(2) APPEARANCE OF EXTREME ELEVATION, AS A STAR OR
PLANET WOULD APPEAR, APPROACHING FROM THE SOUTH.

(3) DISAPPEARED TO NORTHEAST AT SAME APPARENT
ELEVATION.

(4) COURSE SOUTH TO NORTHEAST, WITH ILLUSION OF
SPEED AND COURSE CHANGES DESCRIBED IN ITEM A(9).

(5) FADED AT NORTHEAST HORIZON.

(6) APPROXIMATELY 15 MINUTES

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION

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(1) GROUND VISUAL

(2) BINOCULARS

(3) NONE

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING

(1) 125349Z AUGUST 1953

(2) NIGHT

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS

(1) 4378 N 8921 W

(2) MADISON CONTROL TOWER, TRUAX FIELD, MADISON,
WISCONSIN.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON ALL OBSERVERS:

(1) [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TRUAX FIELD, MADISON,

WISCONSIN.

(2) NONE.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME OF
SIGHTING:

(1) CLEAR, WITH LIGHT WESTERLY WINDS 15 TO KNOTS
AT SURFACE.

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(2) AWS ACCOUNT OF WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY AT:

- A. SURFACE: 210 DEGREE - 10 K
- B. 6000 FT: 200 DEGREE - 10K
- C. 12,000 FT: 350 DEGREE - 10K
- D. 16,000 FT: 290 DEGREE - 10K
- E. 22,000 FT: 320 DEGREE - 10K
- F. 30,000 FT: 010 DEGREE - 15K
- G. 50,000 FT: 310 DEGREE - 10K
- H. 80,000 FT: 320 DEGREE - 10K

(3) NONE (CLEAR)

(4) 10

(5) NONE

(6) NONE

H. UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN THE AREA

(1) NONE

(2) NONE

(3) NONE

I. NO INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKEN.

J. NO AIR TRAFFIC KNOWN TO BE IN AREA AT TIME OF SIGHTING.

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K. PREPARING OFFICER:

(1) CAPTAIN STEPHEN M. FLANAGAN, INTELLIGENCE
OFFICER, HQ CHICAGO AIR DEFENSE SECTOR.

(2) SEE NEXT ITEM.

(3) THE TIME OF SIGHTING, COURSE OF OBJECT, AND
LENGTH OF OBSERVATION CORRELATE CLOSELY WITH
ORBIT PATH OF ECHO I SATELLITE.

L. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

(1) NONE

(2) NONE

M. MISCELLANEOUS COMMENTS OF OBSERVERS:

NONE

END OF REPORT.

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