

USS BOYD

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 29 Aug 60		2. LOCATION Vicinity Taiwan		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 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Echo I</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT <u>29/1116Z</u>		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual Binoculars <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6. SOURCE Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 4 min		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE NE		
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round, white object, size of pinhead, bright as a planet. Disappeared over horizon.				11. COMMENTS The object of this report is considered to be Echo I.	

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JULIETT OSCAR DASH ONE THREE SIX TWO PD THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM USS

BOYD IS QUOTED FOR YOUR INFORMATION PD QUOTE PD UFO REPORT PD REF

CINCPACFLT INST THREE EIGHT TWO ZERO POINT THREE PD PARA ONE PD ALFA

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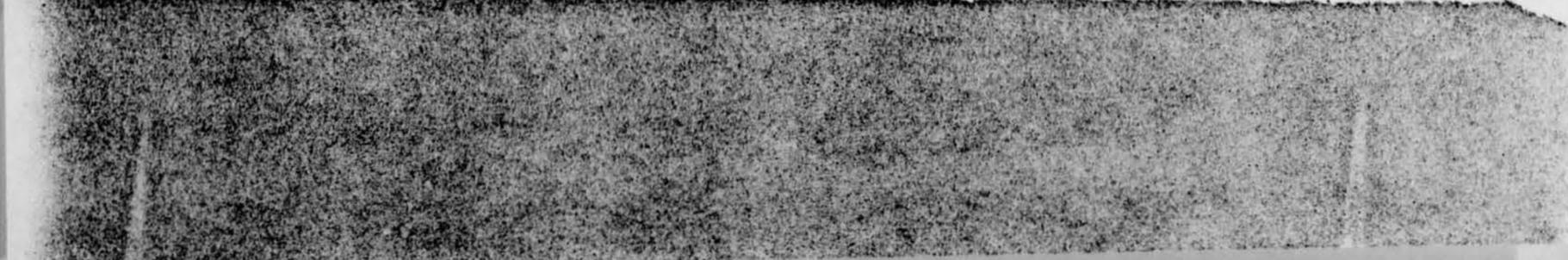
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PD PARA SEVEN PD A SCATTERED LOW STRATUS CLOUDS PD CHARLIE
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UFO ANALYSIS SHEET

Location Taiwan (Formosa)

Date 29 August 1960 Hour (Z) 1116Z

WX Scattered low Str. clouds, vis unl. 5% cloud cover.

Description Round, size of pinhead, white, bright as planet, first seen at 315 deg 35 deg elev, last seen at 035 deg on horizon, disapp over horiz, viewed for 4 minutes, seen through binoculars

Direction of Motion ~~East~~ Northeast

Satellite: (AFCIN-4F3, Phone 69219) Echo I

Astronomical Phenomena (Meteor, Comet, Planet, etc) Duration excessive for meteor, speed excessive for planet or star.

Radar Analysis (AFCIN-4E1) None

Natural Phenomena (Ball Lightning, etc) -----

Aircraft, Balloons, Airships, etc. Ruled out

Other _____

Evaluation of Source Reliability Reliable

Analysis and Conclusions: The description and direction of flight is the same as the satellite Echo I. The duration is a little short of that of Echo I, but it is possible that this is in error. Therefore, the object of this report is considered to be Echo I.