PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

| 28 March, 1961 3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1044 GCT GMT_ 5. PHOTOS | 2. LOCATION Masawa AB, and AB | | 12. | CONCLUSIONS Was Balloon Probably Balloon Possibly Balloon Was Aircraft Probably Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Possibly Aircraft |
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| □ Yes □ No | MIlitary | | 00 | Probably Astronomical Possibly Astronomical |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 13 sec | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS | 9. COURSE 070° | 000 | Other Insufficient Data for Evaluation Unknown |
| az to 070° az in general sou direction. Tremendous height orange flame and contrail when No other info. Moon Dust rep | therly to Norther: w/pulsating nich did not persi | y form conclu | | |

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USAF ATTN: AFCIN-4A. FOR HQ AWS ATTN: AWSS. REFERENCE MOON DUST ALERT,
THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED: AT 1944 LOCAL 1044GCT 28 MAR 61 AN
UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT WAS OBSERVED TRAVELING FROM SOUTH TO
NORTH. WHEN ORIGINALLY SIGHTED IT WAS AT AN AZIMUTH OF APPROXIMATELY
1100 DEGREES FROM MISAWA AB AND DISAPPEARED FROM SIGHT DUE TO
CLOUDS WHEN ITS AZIMUTH WAS APPROX 0700 DEGREES. THE OBSERVER WHO SAW THIS
STATES THAT IT WAS AT A TREMENDOUS HEIGHT, HAD A PULSATING ORANGE FLAME
AND A FOLLOWING CONTRAIL LIKE APPENDAGE WHICH SEEMED TO EVAPORATE
AS SOON AS IT WAS GENERATED. HE FEELS POSITIVE THAT THE PULSATING FLAME
COULD
Classification Cancelled

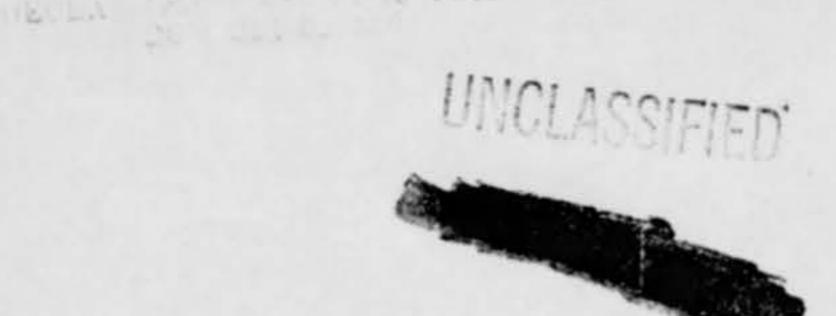
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NOT HAVE BEEN A MISIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT NAVIGATION LIGHT. THIS OBJECT
WAS UNDER HIS OBSERVATION FOR APPROXIMATELY 13 SECONDS. THE INDIVIDUAL
WHO SIGHTED IT IS A VERY RELIABLE WEATHER OBSERVER. THIS MESSAGE IS
CLASSIFIED CONFIDENTIAL DUE TO INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED FROM HIGHER HEADQUARTERS

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