

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 26 Jul 61		2. LOCATION Cape Thompson, Alaska		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 261025Z		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 10 sec		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE Descending	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Flare</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Red flash through clouds, disappeared into sea. Observed at 10° elev.			11. COMMENTS U.S. coast and geodetic operations in area activities probable cause, such as flare etc.		

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UNCLAS FROM ACS/18,5 25137.

THIS MESSAGE IN 2 PARTS. PART 1: THE FOLLOWING
UFO REPORT RECEIVED BY THIS HQTRS FROM 748TH
ACWRON, KOTZEBUE AFS, ALASKA IS FORWARDED IN
ACCORDANCE WITH PARA 15 AFR 200-2: KA) 1. UNABLE
TO DETERMINE SINCE THE OBSERVATION WAS A FLASH
THROUGH CLOUDS. 2. UNKNOWN. 3. RED. 4. ONE.
5. N/A. 6 N/A. 7. NONE. 8 NO SOUND HEARD.
9. NONE. KB) 1. FLASH WHILE OBSERVER TAKING
METEROLOGICAL PIBAL OBSERVATION. 2. TEN DEGREES

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ELEVATION AND ONE EIGHT TWO KMAGNETIC) DEGREES
AZIMUTH. 3. ZERO DEGREES ELEVATION AND ONE
EIGHT TWO KMAGNETIC) DEGREES AZIMUTH. 4. FLASH
APPEARED AT TEN DEGREES ELEVATION AND
DISAPPEARED INTO SEA. 5 DISAPPEARED INTO SEA.
6. TEN SECONDS. KC) 1. GROUND VISUAL. 2. NO
OPTICAL AIDS. 3. N/A. KD). 1. 26/1225Z JULY 61.
2. DUSK. KE) CAPE THOMPSON ALASKA (^{166 00}QYY PPW /68 12N).
KF) CIVILIAN, [REDACTED], 27, [REDACTED]
AVENUE, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, WEATHER OBSERVER,
ESTIMATED RELIABILITY, GOOD. KG) BALLOON OVER-
CAST TWO THOUSAND, VISIBILITY 15 MILES PLUS. 2.
SURFACE 180 DEGREES, 7 KNOTS, PLUS 48 DEGREES
F, CAPE THOMPSON OBSERVATION, 26/1225. 6000 FEET
WIND 220 DEGREES, 18 KNOTS, PLUS 10 DEGREES C,
KOTZEBUE OBSERVATION 26/1200Z. 10, 000 FT, 200
DEG, 18 KTS, MINUS 1. 7 DEG C, 1200 OTZ OBS.
16,000 FT 170 DEG, 16 KTS, MINUS 14 DEG C, 1200 OTZ
OBS 20,000 FT, 160 DEG, 28 KTS, MINUS 25 DEG C,
1200 OTZ OBS 30,000 FT, 150 DEG, 31 KTS, MINUS 43

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DEG C, 1200 OTZ OBS 50,000 FT, 180 DEG, 5 KTS, MINUS
50 DEG C, 1200 OTZ OBS 80,000 FT, 60 DEG, 9 KTS,
MINUS 43 DEG C, 1200 OTZ OBS. 3. TWO THOUSAND
OVERCAST. 4. FIFTEEN PLUS MILES, 5. OVERCAST.
6. NONE NOTED UNTIL CUMULUS BUILD UPS WERE SEEN
THE FOLLOWING DAY,

OVER WATER IN WEST QUADRANT
AND OVER LAND IN EAST QUADRANT. 7 SEE KG) 2
ABOVE. KH) NONE NOTED. KI) NONE. KJ) NONE IN THE
GENERAL AREA AT TIME TIME INVOLVED. KK) OPERATIONS
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FROM KOTZEBUE AND NO INVESTIGATION AND/OR

ANALYSIS POSSIBLE. PART II. AAC INT COMMENT:

COMALSEAFRON ADVISES THAT US COAST AND GEODETIC

SURVEY CRAFT WERE OPERATING ON A MISSION IN THE

SIGHTING AREA AND ITS ACTIVITIES COULD HAVE BEEN

THE SOURCE OF THE OBJECT REPORTED.

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