PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 19-20 Oct 61	Grand Cayman Island, West Indies		12. CONCLUSIONS Was Balloon Probably Balloon Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local Night GMT 5. PHOTOS D Y • •	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION AD Ground-Visual Air-Visual 6. SOURCE Civilian	Ground-Rodar Air-Intercept Radar	Possibly Balloon Was Aircraft Probably Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Probably Aircraft Probably Astronomical Probably Astronomical Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS	9. COURSE Erratic	Insufficient Data for Evaluation Unknown
or than Venus, oval in shape moving clockwise around objicance changed directions.	e with small lightes	however witness technicians who upper air ballo for additional	er stormy. Leads to con- lible balloon obsevation les were meteorological should have knowledge of on observations. Request info not fulfilled due to servers. Case listed as

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UNCLAS OPG/0018M. UFO REFERENCE AFR 200-2 PAR 15:

- A. (1) ELLIPTICAL
 - (2) N/A
 - (3) BRIGHTER THAN VENUS
 - (4) ONE
 - (5) N/A
- (6) OVAL IN SHAPE AND APPEARED TO HAVE SMALL LIGHTS THAT MOVED CLOCKWISE AROUND OBJECT AND BRIGHTER ON BACK END.
 - (7) NONE
 - (8) NONEV

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- (9) NONE
- B. (1) UNK
 - (2) UNK
 - (3) UNK
- (4) MADE A LOOP AND ERRATIC AND IRREGULAR MOVEMENTS AND WAS OBSERVED TO CHANGE DIRECTIONS WHEN IT DISAPPEARED BEHIND CLOUD BANK. BRIGHTER THAN ECHO SATELLITE AND MOVED MORE RAPIDLY.
 - (5) YES
 - (6) UNK
- C. (1) GROUND VISUAL
 - (2) BINOCULARS
 - (3) N/A
- D. (1) 19-20 OCTOBER
 - (2) NIGHT
- E. GRAND CAYMAN ISLAND, WEST INDIES
- F. (1)/ MR

CAYMAN ISLAND WEST INDIES AND MR OBSERVER,

SAME ADDRESS.

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- (2) N/A
- G. (1) INTERMITTENTLY STORMY
 - (2) UNK
 - (3) UNK
 - V (4) UNK
 - (5) UNK
 - (6) UNK
 - (7) UNK
- H. NONE
- I. NONE
- J. NONE
- K. INFORMATION RELAYED BY MR ARTHUR W. YOUMANS PHONE AD-23200 CODE 191 EXT 496; 94 497 BUSINESS MANAGER SEVERE STORMS RESEARCH PROGRAM US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE WEATHER BUREAU WASHINGTON DC.

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REF AFR 222-2 PAR 15. FURHTER INFORMATION

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