

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 21 April 1962	2. LOCATION 18.45N 166°E Near Wake Is.		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 22/0750Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input 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 Military		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE NE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Echo I</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Round pea sized objt. White. No tail or sound viewed fm 330° at 35° elevation after 8 min light. Sighting at night fm ship with aid of binoculars.		11. COMMENTS At 0750Z on 22 April Echo was at 30° N 154° E. Tx heading NE. This would be visible fm reported location and all other factors conform to a satellite sighting. Case evaluated as Echo I.	

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FM USS THOMASTON

TO CINCPACFLT
COMFIRSTFLT
CNO
COMNAWSEAFRON
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UFO SIGHTING.

1. DESCRIPTION

- A. ROUND.
- B. PEA.
- C. WHITE.
- D. ONE.
- E. NONE.
- F. NONE.
- G. NO TAIL.
- H. NO SOUND.

2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE.

- A. N FAST RATE OF SPEED.
- B. FIRST SIGHTED BEARING 330 TRUE ELEVATION 35 DEGREES.
- C. DISAPPEARED BEARING 020 TRUE ELEVATION 10 DEGREES.
- D. CIRCULAR PATH.
- E. GRADUALLY DISAPPEARED.
- F. IN SIGHT EIGHT MINUTES.

3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION.

- A. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS.

Classification Cancelled

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4. DTG OF SIGHTING.

- A. 220750Z
- B. NIGHT

5. POSIT 18-45N 166-00E.

6. SIGHTED BY OOD, JOOD, OPS OFFICER, LOOKOUT, AND QUARTERMASTER.

7. WEATHER.

- A. SURFACE VISIBILITY UNLIMITED.
- B. SURFACE WIND 090 TRUE 10 KNOTS.
- C. CEILING UNLIMITED.
- D. CLOUD COVER THREE TENTHS.
- E. NO RAIN SQUALLS WITHIN 20 MILES OF SHIP.

8. EVALUATED AS SATELLITE.

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