

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 16 September 1962	2. LOCATION 33.55N 163.48E (Pacific)		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 16/1835Z	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 Military		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not reported	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE East	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Bright spherical object like 1st mag star appeared low on horizon at 040 dgr azimuth. Direction of flight East. Speed visible by naked eye.		11. COMMENTS Echo I heading South at Equator at about 104 dgr at the time. Sighting at 0700 local and possibly other satellite; however duration not rptd and obj indicates Easterly travel. Insufficient data for evaluation. Also possible a/c sighting.	

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

AF IN : 2956 (16 Sep 62)
ACTION: CIN-17

STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
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I N C O M I N G

INFO : OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, SAFS-3, DIA-10, DIA-CIIC-3 (37)
SMB A 047

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DE RUHPJ 60

ZNR

Y 161840Z

FM CGC MATAGORDA

TO RUEAHQ/COFS USAF

RUWSJ//COMWESTAREA

ZEN/CTF 32

RUVGALB//CINCNORAD

RUUAUZ/COMFIFTH AF FWNHU

RUHPB/CINCPACFLT

INFO RUECJD/COMDT COGARD

ZEN/CCGD FOURTEEN

USCG GRNC

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1. BRIGHT SPHERICAL OBJECT LIKE FIRST MAGNITUDE STAR.
2. POSIT C33.55N 163.48E.
3. TOS 161835Z..
4. APPEARED LOW POSITION ANGLE 40 DEG.
5. EAST.
6. SPEED VISIBLE BY NAKED EYE.
7. CLEAR, 7/10 CLOUD COVERAGE, VIS GOOD.

BT NOTE: Advance copy to DIA.

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