

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 3 November 1962	2. LOCATION Paramaribo, Surinam, S America		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 03/2330Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input checked="" 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 Dutch Military		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not rptd	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE SE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Satellite <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Fast moving lighted object. Thought possibly satellite. No noise and no lights. First believed object to be a star. Object following a parabolic course. Not on airplane.			11. COMMENTS Observation from South American country where airplanes would be followed. Since witness indicated that object possibly satellite, case is carried as a satellite. No ECHO data available for this location. Duration not included.	

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To :

Commanding Officer,
Launching Base,
Cape Canaveral,
U.S.A.

Zanderij Airport, 03 - 11 - 1962

SIR,

This is to certify, that I, Robert F. Herrebrugh, serialnumber 340118136, sergeant first class radio-operator in the Netherlands Armed Forces in Surinam, S.A., detached at Princess Beatrix Camp, Zanderij Airport, observed a rather fast moving, lightened object. I observed it through night-binoculars.

Direction: from almost North-West to almost South-East.

Date : Saturday, November 3, 1962.

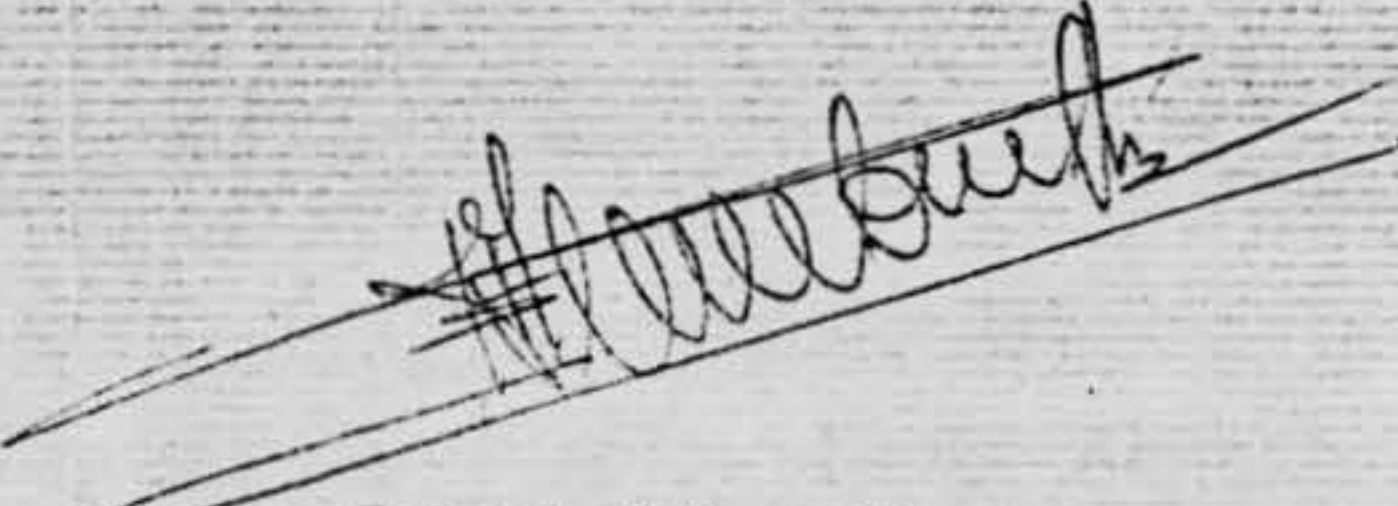
Time : about 1900 PQ (- 2330 Z) .

What I like to know is this : could this have been a U.S. satellite?

I did not hear any noise of (jet) engines and did not see the usual red and green wingtip navigation lights, eventhough I was using night - binoculars.

At first I thought the object was a star, but then I saw it was moving and was not following a normal straight-lined course, used by airplanes, but a parabolic course.

I would be much obliged, if You could give me some information about this.


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