PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 15 August 1958	2. LOCATION Roswell, New Mexico	12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☒ Was Astronomical Meteor ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2247 GMT 16/0547Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5 secs	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE not given

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

A bright intense flash of light, yellow to orange in color, with a long tail giving off sparks was seen flashing across the sky.

11. COMMENTS

No shape or size is given in rpt; however, the description of the obj has all the characteristics of a meteor.

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RJWZKN/COMAF 15 MARCH AFB CALIF
RJEDSQ/COMATIC WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OHIO
RJEDDN/COMDR ADC ENT AFB COLO
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/[redacted]/6DOI 8-1693/SUBJECT: UFO SIGHTING REF 15AF MESSAGE DI 6041, DATED 29 NOV 57 AND AFR 200-2 DTD 5 58.
1. UFO INITIAL SIGHTING REPORT
A. DESCRIPTION
(1) SHAPE NOT DISCERNAGLE
(2) SIZE UNDETERMINED
(3) COLOR SPARKS WERE YELLOW TO ORANGE
(4) ONE OBJECT
(6) BRIGHT INTENSE FLASH OF LIGHT
(7) TAIL STREAMING BEHIND AS IF DROPPING SPARKS. ESTIMATED LENGTH TWO

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OR Changed to UNCL
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MILES. NO COMPARISION TO SIZE OBJECT.
(8) NO DISCERNIBLE SOUND
(9) TAIL DROPPING SPARKS AS IT PASSED THRU ATMOSPHEJE
B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE
(1) BRIGHT FLASH OF LIGHT
(2) ANGLE SEVENTY FIVE DEGREES HIGH AT TWO EIGHT DEGREES TRUE WEST FROM ROSWELL
(6) FIVE SECONDS
B. MANNER OF OBSERVATION
(1) GROUND-VISUAL
D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING
(1) 16/0547Z AUG 58 05-47-7=2247
(2) NIGHT CLEAR
E. ROSWELL NEW MEXICO
F. IDENTIFYING INFO ON OBSERVER
(1) [redacted] 40, [redacted], ROSWELL NEW MEXICO
CHIEF, CLASS AND WAGE AJM CIV PER, WAFB
G. WEATHER AND WINGS ALOFT AT WALKER

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(1) CLEAR
(2) 160/05, 10-170/06, 16-070/23, 20-100/12, 30-09[redacted]
(3) CEILING CLEAR
(4) VISIBILITY UNLIMITED
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