PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE
12 Jan 59

2. LOCATION
Over Ping Gung, Formosa

3. DATE-TIME GROUP
Local
GMT 12/1000Z

4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION
☐ Ground-Visual
☐ Ground-Radar
☒ Air-Visual
☐ Air-Intercept Radar

5. PHOTOS
☐ Yes
☒ No

6. SOURCE
Military

7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION
30 mins

8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS
one

9. COURSE
stationary

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Globe shaped obj, size of pea. Colors of red, green and white. Appeared stationary but could not close at .9 Mach. Obj faded from sight.

11. COMMENTS

The obj was stationary for 30 mins. A check with astro charts indicates the Star Fomalhaut was in the position given.

12. CONCLUSIONS
☐ Was Balloon
☐ Probably Balloon
☐ Possibly Balloon
☐ Was Aircraft
☐ Probably Aircraft
☐ Possibly Aircraft
☒ Was Astronomical (FOMALHAUT)
☐ Probably Astronomical
☐ Possibly Astronomical
☐ Other
☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation
☐ Unknown

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NAME OR DESCRIPTION OF SOURCE
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EVALUATION
Unknown

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a. Description of object

(1) Globe shaped
(2) Size of pea
(3) Red, green and white
(4) One
(5) N/A
(6) None
(7) None
(8) Negative

b. Description of course of object

(1) Unusual sight
(2) Above horizon 250 degrees from Ping Tung
(3) Dead ahead - same
(4) Appeared stationary but could not close at .9 Mach at 33M
(5) Faded from sight
(6) 30 minutes

c. Manner of observation

(1) Air visual, no contact from APQ 50 radar in aircraft which was painting ground and other aircraft in flight, no contact reported from GCI radar at Makung (CPS-8 and FPS-[illegible])
(2) None
(3) F86D-1, [illegible], 33M, 250 degrees, .9 Mach, Ping Tung North

d. Time and date of sighting

(1) 111000Z Jan 59
(2) Dusk to night

e. Location of observer - Over Ping Tung from 33M 250 degrees [illegible] Queen Beacon (located 2.1 NM 237 degrees from Ping Tung South Airfield)

f. Identifying information on observer

(1) None
(2) [redacted]

g. Weather and winds - aloft conditions at time and place of sighting

[illegible]

h. Any unusual activity - None

i. [illegible] object [illegible] position [illegible] below horizon at 35M [illegible]

j. [illegible] of air traffic - None reported

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k. Position, title and comments of preparing officer - US Marine Corps Lt Colonel, Operations Officer, No comment.

l. Physical evidence - negative.

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