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PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 24 June, 1960	**2. LOCATION** 15 mi SW Lead, South Dakota	**12. CONCLUSIONS** ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other_____ ☒ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local_____ GMT 24/0955Z	**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 Minutes	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** One	**9. COURSE** Unknown

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Oblong object 2 1/2 times as long as width observed at 45 deg overhead and disappeared over the horizon. Object was colored variable red, green, orange and white. Flashed with brilliance. Took 30 minutes to disappear.

11. COMMENTS

Motion must have been very slow to take 30 minutes to descend. Probably an astronomical object viewed under atmospheric conditions to give flashes, however position (both elevation and azimuth) of object was not included in the report therefore no identification of the object can be made. Case listed as insufficient Data.

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FM 740 ACWRON ELLSWORTH AFB SDAK

TO RJWFAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJWZGU/29 AIR DIV (DEF) MALMSTROM AFB MONT

RJEDSQ/AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER WRIGHT PATT AFB OHIO

RJEZHQ/HQ USAF (AFCIN) WASH DC

RJEZHQ/SECRETARY OF AIR FORCE (SAFIS) WASH DC

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UNCLASSIFIED OPS-444 ATTN: DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE, UFOB.

A 1. OBLONG

2. SILVER ON A PENCIL ERASER, LENGTH TWO ONE HALF TIME WIDTH

3. VARIABLE-RED, GREEN, ORANGE AND WHITE

4. 1

5. NONE

6. VERY BRILLIANCE FLASHES

7. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

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B 1. BRILLIANCE

2. 45 DEGREES FROM HORIZON STRAIGHT UP

3. UNKNOWN

4. STRAIGHT DOWN

5. OVER HORIZON

6. 30 MINUTES

C 1.GROUND VISUAL

2. BINOCULARS

3. N/A

D 1. 240955Z

2. NIGHT

E. 44 DEGREES 10 NORTH 104.00 DEGREEW WEST

F. A/2C [redacted] ELLSWHORTH AFB, SDAK

G. CLEAR

2. S-4 20,000-230 DEGREES AT 30 KTS - 30,000 -330 DEGREES AT 60 KTS

3. NONE

4. 25 MILES.

5. SCATTERED

6. NONE

7. NONE

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