MILITARY

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 13 Dec 60	2. LOCATION Bitburg AB, Germany	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 13 0230Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Civilian	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 hrs 25 min	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE SW

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Object more brilliant than stars with red on top and green and white flickering lights. Moved in E-W direction from horizon to horizon in 2 hrs and 25 min. Request for additional information sent and no reply received.

11. COMMENTS

Too slow for plane. Possible balloon.

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

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FM DET 1 31 WEA SQ BITBURG AB GER

TO RJEZHQ/HQ USAF WASHDC

RJEDSQ/ATIC WPAFB OHIO

RJEZDK/PROJECT SPACE TRACK L G HANSCOM FLD BEDFORD MASS

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UNCLAS FROM 1WD 13-M-1. ATTN AFCIN-1B1 HQ USAF, AFCIN-4A WPAFB.

UNUSUAL LIGHT OBSERVED, TIME 0230Z TO 0455Z. COURSE 060 TO

240 DEGREES. ELEVATION HORIZION TO HORIZION. MORE

BRILLIANT THAN STARS. COLOR BOTTOM RED TOP ALTERNATELY

GREEN AND WHITE FLICKERING CONSTANTLY. OBSERVED BY THREE

MEN

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13/0840Z DEC RJFPFO

4A
2-4F3
3-4E2
4-4D4A

2HRS 25 MIN

JOINT MESSAGEFORM

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION: UNCLASSIFIED

SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER

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PRECEDENCE		TYPE MSG (Check)			ACCOUNTING SYMBOL	ORIG. OR REFERS TO	CLASSIFICATION OF REFERENCE
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FROM:

ATIC W-P AFB

TO:

BITBURG AB, GERMANY RJFPFO

UNCLAS/AFCIN-4E2x 12-3537-E

DET 1, 31ST WEA SQ, YOUR MSG IWD 13-M-1, DTD 13 DEC 60, THE INFO RPTD IS LIMITED IN NATURE PRECLUDING AN ANALYSIS. REQ A FURTHER INVESTIGATION BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2, DTD 14 SEP 59, AND ALL INFO FWD TO ATIC, ATTN: AFCIN-4E2x.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

DATE	TIME
13	1235
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WRITER

SYMBOL: AFCIN-4E2x

TYPED NAME AND TITLE: Major Robert J. Friend

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RELEASER

SIGNATURE: for Maj. USAF

TYPED (or stamped) NAME AND TITLE:
for:
PHILIP G. EVANS
Colonel, USAF
Deputy for Science and Components

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FM SPACE TRACK CONTROL CENTER L G HANSCOM FLD MASS

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INFO RJEZHQ/HQ USAF WASH DC

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UNCLAS FM CCSTN 13-12-116. REYRMSG 1 WD 13-M-1. OBJECT NOT

IDENTIFIABLE AS ANY KNOWN EARTH SATELLITE OR SPACE PROBE

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