PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 8 Feb 61	**2. LOCATION** 23.34N 149.42	**12. CONCLUSIONS** ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other SATELLITE ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local GMT 08/1957Z	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Military	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 8 min	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** 1	**9. COURSE** NE

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Bright white objt with appearance of 1st mag star observed at 30° elev crossing zenith on NE heading. Disappeared after eight min at 35° elev. Considered possible satellite.

11. COMMENTS Echo data not available however are characteristic of satellite observation are present. No conflicting info and case is listed as satellite (Echo I).

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TO CINCPACFLT

INFO COMDESFLOT FIVE

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FM ADMIN CINCPACFLT
TO COMDHAWAIRDEFDIV WHEELER
INFO COMHAWSEAFRON
PACAF
ICINCNORAD
COFS USAF
CNO
SECNAV
CINCUSARPAC
CINCPAC
PACAF BASECOM HICKAM

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CIN-14
OOP-2
OOP-CP-1
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1. AT TIME 081957W AT LATITUDE 23-34 NORTH LONGITUDE 149-42 WEST SIGHTED BRIGHT WHITE OBJECT WITH APPEARANCE OF FIRST MAGNITUDE STAR AT A POSITION ANGLE OF APPROXIMATE 30 DEGREES TRUE MOVING IN A NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION DIRECTLY OVER HEAD.

2. AT TIME 082205W AT LATITUDE 23-22 NORTH LONGITUDE 150-20 WEST SIGHTED OBJECT AGAIN BEARING 304 DEGREES TRUE AT POSITION ANGLE 30 DEGREES MOVING IN A NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION AND DISAPPEARED IN MILKYWAY AT A BEARING OF 337 DEGREES TURE AT POSITION ANGLE 35 DEGREES. POSSIBLY SATELLITE.

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