

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 20 June 1961		2. LOCATION Bunker Hill AFB, Indiana		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 _____ GMT 21/0300Z, 21/0305Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Military			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1-2 sec		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 2		9. COURSE SE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Objt appearing like star bluish white moving extremely fast. High altitude. 2nd objt only blur 5 min later. c/c heading 40° mag. Objt appeared at 30° elev 30° mag passed overhead moving SE. Straight flight no maneuvers.				11. COMMENTS Speed and general description conform to small meteor. Case listed as astro (Meteor) sighting.	

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ACTION: CIN-14

INFO : OOP-2, OOP-CP-1, SAFS-3 (21)

SMB C 083

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PP RJEZHQ

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FM 305BOMBWG BUNKER HILL AFB IND

TO RJEDBW/DETROIT ADS CUSTER AF STN MICH

RJEDSQ/AEROSPACE TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CEN WPAFB OHIO

RJEZHQ/COFS USAF WASH DC

RJEZHQ/OSAF WASH DC

RJWFAL/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RJEBKF/2AF BARKSDALE AFB LA

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UNCLAS FROM 305DCOIO 0229. COFS FOR AFCIS, OSAF FOR SAFIS,
2AF FOR DI. REFERENCE AFR 200-2, 14 SEPTEMBER 59. SUBJ: UFO.

15. A. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT(S):

(1) LIKE A STAR

(2) PEA

(3) BLuish- WHITE

(4) ONE

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(5) N/A

(6) NONE

(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) OBJECT MOVED EXTREMELY FAST.

B. DESCRIPTION OF XOURSE OF OBJECT(S).

(1) SEARCHING FOR F106 MAKING A PASS ON OUR AIRCRAFT, I PICKED UP MOVEMENT OF HIGH FLYING, HIGH SPEED OBJECT. SECOND SIGHTING APPROXIMATELY FOUR TO FIVE MINUTES LATER, OBJECT WAS A BLUR PASSING OVERHEAD.

(2) & (3): FIRST SIGHTING, AIRCRAFT WAS ON A HEADING OF 40 DEGREES MAG HEADING WHEN OBJECT APPEARED AT 80 DEGREES ELEVATION- 30 DEGREES MAG HEADING OBJECT PASSED OVERHEAD DISAPPEARING AT 70 DEGREES ELÉVATION- 55 DEGRES MAG HEADING. SCOND SIGHTING, AIRCRAFT WAS ON A HEADING OF 40 DEGREES MAG HEADING OBJECT APPEARED DIRECTLY ABOVE AT 85 DEGREES ELEVATION AND PASSD OUT OF SIGHT AT 35 DEGREES MAG HEADING.

(4) OBJECT APPEARED TO HAVE A DEFINITE STRAIGHT FLIGHT PATH. THERE WERE NO MANEUVERS.

(5) VERY RAPIBLY AS OUTLINED IN 2 AND 3 ABOVE.

(6) FIRST SIGHTING- TWO TO THRE SECONDS. SECOND SIGHTING- JUST A BLUR.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

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(1) AIR- VISUAL

(2) NONE

(3) T-33A, VICTOR PAPA - 53-6067, 38,000, 040 DEGREES MAG HEAD-
IND, 220 KNOTS INDICATED, BUNKER HILL AFB IND

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

(1) 21/0300Z

(2) NIGHT.

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER(S): TWO NAUTICAL MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE
BHL TACAN ILS GATE.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER(S):

(1) HARVEY R. MARTIN- 1LT- 319TH FIS (BHAFFB)- PILOT-
RELIABILITY, GOOD.

(2) ROBERT SMITH- CAPTAIN- 319TH FIS (BHAFFB) - CHIEF OF
MAINTENANCE- RELIABILITY, GOOD.

G. 23-5#34 -,S 23,S- ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF
SIGHTING:

(1) CLEAR AND MOON WAS VISIBLE IN ITS FIRST QUARTER.

(2) SURFACE 45 5 KNOTS

6,000 350 5 KNOTS

10,000 290 10 KNOTS

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16,000	270	20 KNOTS
20,000	290	25 KNOTS
30,000	280	50 KNOTS
50,000	260	45 KNOTS
80,000	260	10 KNOTS

(3) 6/10

(4) CLEAR

(5) 8,000 FEET, HIGH, THIN, SCATTERED.

(6) RX - NONE

(7) 52 DEGREES

H. NONE

I. NON

J. NONE

K. CHIEF OF THE 305 BOMB WING INTELLIGENCE DIVISION. OBERVERS
MAKING THIS REPORT WERE BERY CONVINCED OF THE VALIDITY OF THEIR
OBSERVATIONS. HOWEVER,. THE EXTENT OF THEIR OBLIGATION IS IN-
SUFFICIENT TO WARRENT OR PERMIT EVALUATION.

L. NONE.

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