

**PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD**

1. DATE <u>January 1962</u>	2. LOCATION <u>Puerto Rico (Santurce)</u>	12. CONCLUSIONS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon  <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft  <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical  <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local <u>day</u> GMT <u>                  </u>	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE <u>Civilian</u>	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>not rptd.</u>	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>one</u>	9. COURSE <u>rising</u>
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING  Approx 6 months after obj sighted rpt in letter fm witness sent to Dept of Def. Obj observed thru window while witness lying down. Obj at considerable distance, was brilliant platinum color w/tail suspended & at end of tail was a red ball. Disappeared fm sight by rising & racing. No clouds, sky clear & brilliant.	11. COMMENTS  Balloon sighting.	

24<sup>o</sup> julio 1962

Dept. de la Defensa  
Washington D.C.

Bantice.

Estimados Señ.

Os con mucha quieto que me  
dirijo a ese defastamiento del gov.  
para dar a uds una informacion  
que crea sea de gran ayuda, y una  
sugerencia.

La primer informacion es  
la siguiente; Hace aproximada-  
mente seis meses, que me acosté  
a reposar, era un día claro  
y brillante, un bonito cielo que,  
se me ocurrió mirar por mi ventana  
a cielo firmamento, y a una  
distancia considerable pude  
ver un objeto en el espacio  
que formaba una estrella muy  
grande de color platino brillante,  
de la misma pendía una cola

o estela, y al final tenía una boleta roja, que a gran distancia se podía ver. Me senté para observarlas y la seguía con mi vista, y seguí subiendo a gran altura hasta que se me perdio de vista, no habían nubes el cielo era claro y brillante.

Le remito ésta información para su estudio y consideración.

Lo otro es mi sugerencia, como nuestro gov. puede adquirirse millones de dólares, que los mismos podrían ser útiles para fortificar y preparar su bases y territorio, es suspendiendo el alimento a los familiares de los soldados en el servicio en tiempos de paz, ésto lo hago porque quieras corazón admities a esa gran nación, y conste que mi esposo es rétirado con treinta y tres años de servicio.

Respetuosamente

AFCAS-12/648

[REDACTED]  
Santurce, Puerto Rico

24 July 62

Department of Defense  
Washington

Sirs:

I take pleasure in sending you some information I believe will be of great help to you, as well as a suggestion.

Approximately six months ago I was lying down, resting - on a clear and sunny day with a beautiful blue sky - when I looked through the window and saw, in the sky, at a considerable distance, an object in space, of the shape of a very large star. It had a brilliant platinum color. From it was suspended a tail or track and at the end it had a red ticket [? - "boleta"] which could be noted at a great distance. I sat up to observe it and followed it with my eyes. It continued to rise to a high altitude until it was lost from sight. There were no clouds. The sky was clear and brilliant. I am sending you this information for your study and consideration.

The suggestion I want to make pertains to how your government can save millions of dollars which could be used to fortify and prepare your bases and territories. It could suspend the allotments paid to the relatives of soldiers in service in time of peace. I am doing this because I love your great country deeply and I would like to say that my husband is retired, with thirty-three years of service.

Respectfully yours,

[signed]  
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