PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 3 October 1962	2. LOCATION 7.00S 174.40W (Pacific)	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 03/1527-1537Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☐ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☒ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	6. SOURCE Military	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 mins	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE Easterly

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Obj sighted for 10 mins moving Easterly. Brightness varied fm very dim to 1sg magnitude. Gave effect of tumbling.

11. COMMENTS

Estimates were rptd as rough. General description conforms to a Satellite obsvation. Data on ECHO I not available. Case evaluated as a probable Satellite obsvation.

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APPROXSMATESLY 10 MINUTES FROM 1527;PLUS TO 15 E E E 1527 TO 1537Z.
TRAVLING ESTERLY.A ROUGH BEARING OF OBJECT FROM OUR POSITION
WOULD BE 031DEGREES TRUE.MY POSITION WAS 7S 174.40W AT 1530Z
THE OBDECT VARIED FROM VERH DIM TO A FIRST MAGNED Z E E MAGNA-
TUDE STAR AND GAVE THE EFFEFT OF TUMBLING THRU THE SFY.THE
BEARING IS BUT A ROUGH ONE.NO INTELLIGENCE EVALUATION MADE.
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