PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 7 August 65 08/0500Z	2. LOCATION Ft Carson, Colorado
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION AIRCRAFT Description of light and flight in accord with this evaluation. No data presented to indicated that this could NOT have been a/c.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 5 - 10 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS UFO report from thre teenage girls. Round cigar shaped, silver-white. Object appeared to give off ray of light. Object in SE at various estimated elevations from 45-60 deg. Flight straight over the horizon to the SE away from observers. Disappeared behind the mountains. Time estimated at from 5-10 minutes. High in sky. Appeared very large. Direction and duration consistant with Satellite, however the reported brightness would tend to eliminate this as the most probable cause. A/C with landing light more likely.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE SE	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes XX No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes XX No	

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AF IN: 55637 (10 Aug 65) S/cge

ACTION: NIN-7

INFO : XOP-1, XOPX-8, SAF-OS-3, DIA-1 (21)

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FOR: SECRETARY OF THE AF (SAFOI), CSAF (AFNIN), NORAD (NOCC), ADC (ADOCP) AND (ADC10-P), 4600 ABWG (WGDOM).

UFO. UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT. UFO SIGHTED BY GROUP OF THREE TEENAGE GIRLS. TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES ALMOST IDENTICAL AND LISTED AS SIGNLE RESPONSE UNLESS OTHERRWISE NOTED. FORMAT FOLLOWS PAR 14, AFR 200-2.

A. (1) ROUND, CIGAR SHAPED

(2) REPORTS VARIED FROM SIZE OF BASKETBALL TO VEHICLE TIRE.

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(3) SILVER WHITE

(4) ONE

(5) N/A

(6) NONE

(7) APPEARED TO GIVE OFF RAY OF LIGHT

(8) NONE

(9) NONE

B. (1) NOTICED OBJECT WHILE STANDING OUTSIDE TALKING

(2) REPORTS VARIED FROM 45 TO 60 DEGREES ELEVATION. OBSERVED IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION.

(3) ABOUT 0 DEGREES

(4) STRAIGHT LINE, FROM SOUTHEAST TO SOUTHWEST AT A SLIGHT ANGLE AWAY FROM OBSERVERS

(5) DISAPPEARED BEHINE MOUNTAINS

(6) REPORTS VARIED FROM 5 TO 10 MINUTES

C. (1) NONE

(2) NONE

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(3) N/A

D. (1) REPORTS VARIED FROM 0430Z TO 0500Z, 8 AUG 65.

(2) DARK

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E. TWO MILES EAST OF FORT CARSON, COLORADO. 104 DEGREES, 44 MINUTES WEST, 38 DEGREES, 45 MINUTES NORTH.

F. (1) FIRST WITNESS: [redacted] AGE 14, [redacted] STREET, COLO SPGS, COLO, SCHOOL GIRL. SECOND WITNESS: [redacted], AGE 14, [redacted] COLO SPGS, COLO. SCHOOL GIRL. THIRD WITNESS: [redacted], AGE 12, [redacted], COLO SPGS, COLO. SCHOOL GIRL. ESTIMATE OF RELIABILITY OF ALL THREE WITNESSES: GOOD.

(2) N/A

G. (1) CLEAR

(2) 6000 03/50, 10000 35/05, 16000 30/18, 20000 31/35, 30000 32/44, 50000 30/26, 80000 07/20.

(3) CLEAR-15 MILES VISIBILITY

(4) CLEAR

(5) NONE

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(6) NONE

(7) NONE

H. NONE

I. NONE

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J. NONE

K. CAPT DONAL DEHOFF ASST BASE OPS OFFICER, PETERSON FLD, COLO. PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS: WITNESS INDICATED OBJECT VERY HIGH IN SKY YET APPEARED QUITE LARGE. WEATHER AT TIME WAS CLEAR AT REPORTING STATION HOWEVER SOME CLOUDS EXISTED ALONG EDGE OF MOUNTAINS, ALTITUDE AND COVERAGE UNKNOWN. THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES CONTACTED WITH NO SIGNIFICATN DEVELOPMENTS: NORAD, SPADATS, FAA CENTER WEATHER, TOWER, AND LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES. A LACK OF ADDITIONAL SIGHTINGS OR SUBSTANTUATING FINDINGS FROM LISTED AGENCIES NECESSITATES THIS SIGHTING BE PLACED IN THE UNKNOWN CATEGORY. HOWEVER AGENCIES CONTACTED PRACCTICALLY ELIMINATE OBJECT BEING AN AIRCRAFT ORBITAL SATELITE DECAYING ORBITAL SATELLITE, OR DEBRIS OR UNUSUAL WEATHER PHENOMENA. ALSO OBJECT AS DESCRIBED DOES NOT RESSEMBLE A METEOR.
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