PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 18 April 69 18/0145Z 18/0945Z	2. LOCATION McClellan AFB, California
3. SOURCE Military	10. CONCLUSION Probable Astro (JUPITER)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Jupiter was at an azimuth of 251 deg, elevation of 25 deg at time of sighting.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION As of Report, 1 Hour	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer sighted bright light that seemed to move in no fixed direction while remaining basically at an azimuth of 240 deg.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Stationary (240 Deg)	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM
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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION (AFSC)
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO 45433

28 APR 1969

REPLY TO ATTN OF: TDPT (UFO)

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 18 Apr 69

TO: [redacted]
McClellan AFB, California 95652

Reference your recent unidentified flying object sighting which you reported to the Air Force. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific investigation. Request you complete the attached AF Form 117 and return it in the self-addressed envelope. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

for Lauren L Navarro 1st Lt

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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AF Form 117 w/envelope

18 Apr. 69

PRIORITY
MSG # 14506 DATE/TIME
OF RECEIPT- 1081340Z

PTTUZYUW RUWMABA0147 1081304-UUUU--RUVAAA.

ZNR UUUUU

P 181200Z APR 69

FM SMAMA /SMVO/ MCCLELLAN AFB CA

TO RUWMFVA/ADC

RUWMMJA/26TH ADIV /ADC/

RUVAAAA/FTD WPAFB OHIO/TDETR/

RUEFHQA/CSAF/TDPT/UFO/

RUEFHQA/OSAF/SAF-OI/

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UNCLAS SMVO

IAW AFR 80-17, PARA 11, FOL AVAIL INFO IS SUBMITTED:

A. (1) UNDETERMINED DUE TO BRIGHTNESS OF LIGHT

(2) MAGNITUDE OF LIGHT SAME AS EXTREMELY CLOSE PLANET

(3) WHITE CRYSTAL.

(4) ONE

(5) N/A

(6) NONE

(7) NONE VISABLE

(8) NONE

(9) NONE. MOVING IN NO APPARENT FIXED PATTERN.

B. (1) LOOKING OUT WINDOW OF OFFICE.

PT 1 of 6

(2) 240 DEG SW OF MCCLELLAN AFB.

(3) DID NOT DIS-APPEAR AS OF 18/110Z. ?

(4) ERRATIC PATTERN

(5) DID NOT.

(6) AS OF THIS REPORT, ONE HOUR.

C. (1) GROUND VISUAL.

(2) WITH NORMAL EYE FOR CAPT WILLIAMS. BASE TOWER USED BINOCULARS.

(3) N/A

D. (1) 18/0945Z APR 69. 18/0145 Local

(2) CLEAR NIGHT

E. ONE OBSERVER WAS AT BASE WEATHER STATION, MCAND OTHER AT BASE OPERATIONS MCCLELLAN AFB. MCCLELLAN AFB TOWER ALSO OBSERVED THIS OBJECT. OBJECT WAS 240 DEG SW OF MCCLELLAN AFB.

F. MR. [redacted]

(1) [redacted]

CA.

G. (1) TEMP 40 DEGS - VISIBILITY 20 MILES - HIGH THIN SCATTERED, SURFACE - 40 DEGS 4 KTS, 6,000' 270 DEGS 16 KTS, 10,000' 260 DEGS 25 KTS, 16,000' 260 DEGS 27 KTS, 20,000' 260 DEGS 50 KTS, 30,000' 260 DEGS 53 KTS, 50,000' 260 DEGS 41 KTS 80,000' UNAVAILABLE AT THIS

STATION.

(3) NONE

(4) 200 MILES

(5) NONE

(6) ONE.

(7) 48 DEGS F

H. NONE

I. NOO

J. F27 ACFT AT 7500 FEET 30 MILES FROM BASE IN THAT GENERAL DIRECTION HOWEVER ACFT IS MOVING IN SET PATTERN AND THIS OBJECT IS NOT.

K. ADAM J. VINEY, SR., TSGT, SMAMA COMMAND POST, NCO CONTROLLER, OFFICE 643-4748, HOME 916-456-4887 UL. INITIAL INVESTIGATION REVEALED NO KNOWN OR IDENTIFIABLE OBJECT BY BASE TOWER, 9TH WEA SQ, BASE CONTROL TOWER, MATHER AFB OR SACRAMENTO FLIGHT SERVICES. I HAVE PERSONALLY OBSERVED THIS OBJECT ON CLEAR NIGHTS OVER THE PAST YEAR BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 1800 AND 2300 LOCAL TIME. IT IS ALWAYS IN THE SAME POSITION FROM MY HOME, NNW TOWARDS TAVIS AFB. I ASSUMED IT TO BE A WEATHER SATALITE.

BT

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Jupiter at Az, 250 deg
elev. 25 deg.