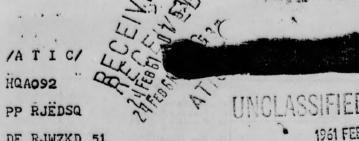
## PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

23 Feb 61 3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1026Z 5. PHOTOS	2. LOCATION  Misawa AB, 6  4. TYPE OF OBSERVATIO  B Ground-Visual  D Air-Visual  6. SOURCE  Military	No. 2 Per al Control Control	12. CONCLUSIONS  Was Balloon Probably Balloon Possibly Balloon Was Aircraft Probably Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Was Astronomical Probably Astronomical Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION  58 min.  10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Britimes as bright as star visible at time. Much la Intensity varied conside appeared to be N at a sl Color range was from pin white.	lght light, aprox ten Sirius which was arger than a star. erably. Movement ow angular velocity.	9. COURSE  Other Insufficient Date for Evaluation Unknown  11. COMMENTSOBJE was probably planet  Venus. Venus was at its brightest, -4.3, at this time and its direction was coince dent with that reported for UFO at time of sighting. Atmospheric refraction	

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ZERO ONE DASH BRAVO PD HQ USAF ATTN CLN AFCIN RPT AFCIN DASH ONE BRAVO ONE PD WPAFB ATTN CLN AFCIN RPT AFCIN DASH FOUR ALPHA PD INFO AWS ATTN CLN AWSS RPT AWSS PD REFERENCE MOON DUST ALERT CMM THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED AS A POSSIBLE SIGHTING CLN AT APPROXIMATELY ONE ZERO TWO SIX GCT RPT GCT TWO THREE FEB CURR CMM A BRIGHT LIGHT WAS OBSERVED IN THE SKY WEST OF MISAWA AB CMM JAPAN PD WHEN ORIGINALLY SIGHTED IT WAS OBSERVED IT WAS AT AN ELEVATION ANGLE OF TWENTY TO THIRTY DEG ABOVE THE HORIZON AND AT AN AZIMUTH ANGLE OF APPROXIMATELY

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NOT APPEAR TO CHANGE THROUGHOUT THE PERIOD OF THE SIGHTING PD AN AIR FORCE NAVIGATOR WHO WAS THIS PHENOMENA STATES THAT IT WAS APPROXIMATELY TEN TIMES AS BRIGHT AS THE STAR QTE SIRIUS QTE WHICH WAS VISIBLE APETHE TIME PD HE ALSO STATES THAT HE HELD A COMB AT ARMS LENGTH AND THE LIGHT WAS VISIBLE SIMULTANEOUSLY THROUGH FOUR OF THE SPACES BETWEEN THE TEETH OF THE COMB PD SEVERAL INDIVIDUALS SAW THIS PHENOMENA AND ALL INDICATE THAT IT WAS MUCH LARGER THAN A STAR AND THAT THE INTENSITY VARIED CONSIDERABLY PD MOVEMENT APPEARED TO BE NORTHWARD AT A SLOW ANGULAR VELOCITY PD THE COLOR RANGE OF THE LIGHT AS REPORTED BY THE VARIOUS WITNESSES RANGED FROM PINKISH WHITE TO A REDDISH WHITE PD WEATHER CONDITIONS AT THE TINE WERE AS FOLLOWS CLN ONE ZERO ONE FIVE GCT CLN DASH XRAY TEN SCTD MIKE NINETEEN BRKN THIRTY OVC TWO SW DASH SMCLN ONE ZERO TWO SEVEN GCT CLN TEN SCTD MIKE TWENTY FIVE BRKN FIVE SIERRA WHISKEY DASH SMCLN ONE ZERO THREE THREE GGT CLN-TEN SCTD TWENTY FIVE SCTD FIVE SIERRA WHISKEY DASH SNCLN ONE ZERO FOUR ONE GCT CLN TEN SCTD

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