PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE	2. LOCATION	12. CONCLUSIONS
4 August 1958	Malmstrom AFB, Montana	☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local ____ GMT 05/0515Z	**4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION** ☒ Ground-Visual ☒ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar	☐ Was Aircraft ☒ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	**6. SOURCE** Military	☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 secs	**8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS** one	**9. COURSE** North
		☐ Other ____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown

10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING

Flying wing or delta shaped obj, size of volleyball, bright silver color, solid shape with no openings, props or exhaust & no other conventional means of motivation visible. Had a varied pitch whistling sound fading & rising about 5 seconds in between rise & fall of the pitch. Had quieter sound than a jet.

11. COMMENTS

The description of the obj is typical of an F-100 series type a/c.

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FM COMDR 29TH FTR INTCP SQ MALMSTROM AFB

TO RJEDDN/COMDR ADC

INFO RJEDDN/COMDR 1006TH AISS ENT AFB 8-1891-E

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/UNCLASS/ INT 661. "UFO" REF AFR 200-2 PAR 15 A.(1) FLYING WING OR DELTA WING SHAPE (2) SIZE COMPARABLE TO A VOLLEYBALL HELD AT ARMS LENGTH (3) BRIGHT SILVER COLOR (4) ONE (1) (5) N/A (6) SOLID SHAPE WITH NO OPENINGS, NO PROPS, OR EXHAUST AND NO THER CONVENTIONAL MEANS OF MOTIVATION VISIBLE (7) NO TAIL SECTION, NO SMOKE OR EXHAUST TRAILS (8) IT HAD A VARIED PITCH WHISTLING SOUND FADING AND THEN RISING IN PITCH ABOUT FIVE (5) SECONDS IN BETWEEN RISE AND FALL OF THE PITCH. IT HAD A SUBDUED SOUND MUCH QUIETER THAN A JET. (9) NONE B. (1) THE WHISTLING SOUND (2) 90 DEG, DIRECTLY OVERHEAD (3) 30 DEG ANGLE UPON DISAPPERANCE (4) A

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FLASH "UFO" RCPT

In sight for 30 seconds, plenty of time

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STRAIGHT LEVEL COURSE (5) GRADUALLY TO THE NORTH (6) 30 SECONDS C. (1) GROUND-VISUAL (2) NONE (3) N/A D. (1) 050515Z (2) NIGHT

0515-7 = 2215

E. 47 DEG 31 MIN N 111 DEG 11 MIN W AIRCRAFT PARKING AREA MALMSTROM AFB, MONTANA F. (1) N/A (2) BEJNARD G. BELL A/2C 29TH FIS ROVING AIRCRAFT GUARD RELIABLE G. (1) CLEAR EXCEL VIS (2) 6M 260/15K 10M 250/15K 16M 270/20K 20M 270/30K 30M 260/55K 50M 260/40K 80M 270/25K EST (3) UNLTD (4) 30 MILES (5) NONE (6) NONE H. NON NO TEMPERATURE INVERSION I. NO SCRAMBLE ORDERED J. NO AIRCRAFT TRAFFIC IN AREA K. THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT SOME UNCONVENTIONAL OBJECT WAS SIGHTED. ADC RADAR IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO FLIGHT PATH OF THE OBJECT DID NOT PICK UP THE OBJECT. APPROACH CONTROL RADAR DID PICK UP AN UNIDENTIFIED TARGET FOR APPROX 4 SWEEPS. DESCRIPTION OF LIGHTS AND FLIGHT PATH WERE DIFFERENT THAN LOCALLY ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN RECOGNIZED BY BY OBSERVER. THERE IS NO GOOD EXPLANATION OF WHAT THE OBJECT WAS.

note

Right; then why no investigative action or intercept as prescribed by AFR 200-2??

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The description of the object is typical of an F-100 series type A/C. ~~Observer location being in very mountainous territory would account for the~~

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