

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 20-22 July 1956		2. LOCATION Guatemala		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT _____		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft	
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6. SOURCE Press reports (Civilians)		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not reported		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1,4	9. COURSE northerly	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING  See IR 59-56			11. COMMENTS  Possibly meteors. Insufficient data for evaluation.		

REPORT NR.: IR-59-56

EXTRACT "A"

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ORIGINATING AGENCY: AA Guatemala      DATE OF DOCUMENT: 7/30/56  
SUBJECT: (U) Sighting of Unidentified Flying Objects

ATIC NR. 200678

AF NR. 1015480

REFERENCES

RETRIEVAL INFO: 4E4I/1 - Guatemala/-----/MFO/-----

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"SEVERAL POLICEMEN ASSURE THEY SAW 4 FLYING SAUCERS"

In the sky over finca San Luis Buena Vista, an ambulant police squad affirm having seen four flying saucers whiz by, traveling northward in low formation and at high speed.

News of this event was received by telegraph at National Police Headquarters yesterday where no further information was given save that the report wasn't detailed nor did it say if all the members of the squad "saw" the fantastic machine in action.

The incident took place at exactly 1100 hours when the squad was carrying out its regular activities.

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## "LUMINOUS OBJECT IN THE FORM OF CIGARETTE

ATIC NR. 288678

AF NR. 1015480

## REFERENCES

## SAID TO HAVE BEEN SEEN"

Mr. Manuel G. Leal V., teacher of primary school, affirms having witnessed on the night of last Sunday, together with his brother, "a luminous object in the form of a cigarette zigzagging across the sky at rather high speed", and connects this with what several police agents of Escuintla state about having seen flying saucers.

Professor Leal, who lives in Santa Maria de Jesus, department of Sacatepequez, points out that "the object emitted light flames of a pale red color from behind, and rose towards the North until it was out of sight. As I live near the National Airport I discard the possibility that it might have been a plane", says Mr. Leal.

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