

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 9 August 59	2. LOCATION Columbus, Ohio		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 10/0255Z	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		
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 min	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE West	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING One red obj the size of a small plane. Observed to the West moving further West. No sound. Flame appeared at one end of the obj & flame tapered to a "V". Obj was climbing & was lost in clouds. Man observed for 30 secs & called wife. Both watched for an additional 20-30 secs.		11. COMMENTS Additional info requested. No reply to messages. Case listed as insufficient data.	

JOINT MESSAGEFORM

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UNCLASSIFIED

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ACTION ROUTINE	BOOK	MULTI	SINGLE	AF	ORIG	
INFO			X			

FROM: ATIC, W-P AFB

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

TO: 801ST AIR DIVISION, LOCKBOURNE AFB, OHIO

UNCLAS/FROM: AFCIN-4E4g 8-1687-E

YOUR IR 112, DTD 10 AUG 59, REPORTING AN UFO SIGHTING. SOURCE STATES THE SIZE OF THE OBJECT IS COMPARABLE TO THE SIZE OF A SMALL ACFT AT FIVE MILES, OR 26,400 FT. THE B-36 COMPARES TO 3/8" AT 4000 FT, THUS INDICATING A SMALL ACFT COULD HARDLY BE SEEN AT FIVE MILES. SOURCE WAS ABLE TO COMPARE THE OBJECT'S LENGTH TO ITS WIDTH, YET COULD NOT GIVE THE SHAPE AFTER WATCHING IT FOR 50-60 SECONDS. SOURCE STATES OBJ WAS RED, AND A FLAME APPEARED AT ONE END. HOW WAS THE COLOR OF THE OBJ DISTINGUISHED FROM THE FLAME? WHAT WAS THE ELEVATION AND AZIMUTH OF OBJ, IN DEGREES, WHEN FIRST AND LAST OBSERVED? WHAT, EXACTLY, DOES OBSERVER MEAN BY THE OBJ WEAVING? REQ ALL OF THE ABOVE BE CLARIFIED. ALSO REQ PAR 15, i, j, k, l, AFR 200-2, BE COMPLETED. THE REQUESTED INFO SHOULD BE PUT ON AN ADDITIONAL IR 112. DRAWINGS SHOULD BE INCLUDED.

DATE	TIME
14	0900
MONTH	YEAR
AUG	1959

COORDINATION: AFCIN-4E4g *J. C. Gregory* DATE *17 Aug 59* AFCIN-4E *Robert* DATE *8/17*

SYMBOL: AFCIN-4E4g

TYPED NAME AND TITLE: MAJOR ROBERT J. FRIEND

PHONE: 69216

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