

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 18 Dec 59	2. LOCATION Southern Victoria Island, Canada	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 19/0100Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Military		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 hr 33 mins	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE SE	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Unidentified radar track. Speed between 40 & 60 kts.		11. COMMENTS Based on winds aloft, track movement & track groundspeed, the UFO could possibly be a balloon; however, lack of info makes a thorough analysis impossible. Also the anomolous propogation in the area could be the cause as could the effects of the permanent echos fm a temperature inversion. Case listed as insufficient data.	



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**A** PARAPHRASE NOT REQUIRED EXCEPT PRIOR TO  
CATEGORY B ENCRYPTION--PHYSICALLY REMOVE  
ALL INTERNAL REFERENCES BY DATE-TIME GROUP  
PRIOR TO DECLASSIFICATION  
1959 DEC 23 21 18

NNNN

A ROUTINE

NQA112ALTO27SNFO39SNT018

RR RJEDSQ RJEZHQ

DDE RJEZSN 3A

*1  
2 4 EHG  
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4. 4XVW*

NN CONDR 4601ST SUPP WING

TO RJWFAL CONDR ADC

RJEDSQ/CONDR ATIC ✓

RJEZHQ/CHIEF OF STAFF INTELLIGENCE

RJEZHQ/OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES

INFO RUEPBL/1003 AISS

BT

"FOLLOWING RECEIVED FOR RELAY FROM MILITARY CONDR CAM

OPS-59-212 DATED 21 DEC 59

THIS MESSAGE IN TWO PARTS.

PART ONE

JFO

ALFA N/A

2 N/A

3 N/A

4 1 OBJECT

5 N/A

Classification Cancelled  
(for use only)  
Quartermaster, Col, USAF  
JEDSQ (USAF)  
27 Dec 59  
AFR 205-1/Jan 1-1-56

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PAGE TWO NJEZSN 3A

5 N/A

J N/A

3 N/A

9 N/A

BRAVO

1- RADAR Pick Up

2- GEOREF ELDK 24 HEIGHT UNKNOWN

3- GEOREF ELGY 24 HEIGHT UNKNOWN

4- SOUTHEAST FLT PATH

5- RADAR FADE

6- 1 HOUR 33 MINS OBJECT VISIBLE

CHARLIE

1- GROUND ELECTRONIC FPS 19

2- N/A

3 N/A

DELTA

1

2- NIGHT

ECHO

PIN 18828 NORTH 11315 WEST. SITE LOCATION

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CONTACT

N/A

DELTA

2- NIGHT

ECHO

PIN 13828 NORTH 11315 WEST. SITE LOCATION

PAGE THREE RESZSN 3A

FOXTROT

ALL N/A

SOLE

1- PIN -3 190100Z 200 FT SCATTERED 18F AURORA BOREALIS VISIBLE  
NORTHWEST TO SOUTHEAST THIN STREAK.

2- WINDS FROM EDMONTON WEATHER OF NCCE FOR 0200Z 19 DEC AREA NORTH  
OF COOPERMINE, 6THSD 210/17K, 10 THSD 230/29K, 16 THSD 300/25K,  
20 THSD 310/25K, 30 THSD 310/55K, 50 THSD 290/40K, 8THSD 230/35K

3- UNLIMITED *Centura*

4- 15 MILES *Yuk*

5- 2 TENTHS SC

6- N/A

HOTEL

ALL CAM SECTOR (DEM) SITES EXPERIENCING ANOMALOUS PROPAGATION  
AT TIME. SEE PART TWO.

INDIA N/A

JULIETT 9.

1- N/A

GOLF

1- PIN -3 190100Z 200 FT SCATTERED 18F AURORA BOREALIS VISIBLE  
NORTHWEST TO SOUTHEAST THIN STREAK.

2- WINDS FROM EDMONTON WEATHER OF NCCE FOR 0200Z 19 DEC AREA NORTH  
OF COOPERMINE, 5THSD 210/17K, 10 THSD 230/29K, 15 THSD 300/25K,  
20 THSD 310/25K, 30 THSD 310/55K, 50 THSD 290/40K, 8THSD 280/35K

3- UNLIMITED *Continued*

4- 15 MILES *North*

5- 2 TENTHS SC

6- N/A

HOTEL

ALL CAM SECTOR (DEW) SITES EXPERIENCING ANOMALOUS PROPAGATION  
AT TIME. SEE PART TWO.

INDIA N/A

JULIETT 9.

K- N/A

REPORTED TO NORAD COC VIA VOICE AND TTY (1) NIL.

PART TWO

DOWNGRADED AT 2 YEAR INTERVAL:  
PER [unclear]

PAGE FOUR RJEZSN 3A

AF FORM 112 NOT AVAILABLE THIS ULSA. DURING PERIOD OF REPORT CAM MAIN  
CAM-1 CAM-2 ALSO REPORTED TRACK SIMILAR IN BEHAVIOR. SPEEDS ON ALL  
BETWEEN 40 AND 60 KNOTS. TRACKS WERE REPORTED TO NORAD COC VIA TTY

AFB.



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AIR TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER  
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE  
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE  
OHIO



REPLY TO  
ATTN OF: AFCIN-4E4g

SUBJECT: Request for Evaluation

28 December 1959

TO: AFCIN-4E1

Request review and analysis of attached report of radar sighting.

*Philip G. Evans*  
CJ 0347

FOR: PHILIP G. EVANS  
Colonel, USAF  
AFCIN-4E4

1 Atch:  
Inc Msg Cite OPS-59-212,  
dtd 21 Dec 59 (S) T59-35759-1

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C. H. P.  
37h

Classification Cancelled  
(or original cancelled)  
with \_\_\_\_\_  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
Date 24 Jan 67  
AFCIN-4E4

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Memo, AFCIN-4E4g, 28 Dec 59, Request for Evaluation

1st Ind (AFCIN-4E1a/Capt. Keriakou/jc/74201)

21 Jan 60

TO: AFCIN-4E4g

1. An analysis of the attached UFO message reveals the following possibilities:

a. The reported anomolous propagation in the area could possibly be responsible for the unidentified radar pick up, particularly if a severe temperature inversion existed and permanent echoes on the radar were predominant.

b. Based on the winds aloft, track movement and track groundspeed, the UFO could possibly be a balloon.

2. The lack of information on this UFO makes a more detailed and thorough analysis impossible.

*for*  
GORDON C. HOFFMAN  
Colonel, USAF  
AFCIN-4E1

1 Atch  
n/c

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If indicated #1 is withdrawn for  
not attached to the report. Uncl:  
respective to the declassification  
accordance with para 37h AFM 11-1.

Classification Control  
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Quantum, 17 CO4, USAF  
TDP (UFO)  
27. 11. 67  
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