

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 5 February 65 05/1600Z	2. LOCATION Moneta, Virginia
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION AIRCRAFT
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	Aircraft observation
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Cigar shaped object of aluminum 2-3 ft long and 12-15 inches in diameter. No sound. No unusual features noted. Observer had made previous reports and was out looking for objects. Ground visual with BX. Initial observation at 35 deg elevation in West. Flight in straight line disappearing at 35 deg elevation in South. Duration 2 minutes. Object disappeared by fading.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual (BX)	
7. COURSE SE	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

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INFO RUEAAM/WAADS FT LEE AFS VA
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UNCLAS 64900P-00019, EB 65. SECTION ONE OF TWO SECTIONS.
FOR: ADC (ADAIN); 26AIRDIV (260IN); AFSC (SCF); HQ USAF (AFNIN);
OSAF(SAFIO); WAADS (WOADC-I). SUBJ: UFO SIGHTING. IN ACCORDANCE WITH
AFR 200-2 THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS SUBMITTED:

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT:-

- (1) CIGAR SHAPED.
- (2) TWO THREE FEET LANG, 12 TO 15 INCHES IN DIAMETER.
- (3) ALUMINUM.
- (4) ONE.
- (5) N/A.

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- (6) NONE OBSERVED.
- (7) NONE OBSERVED.
- (8) NONE HEARD.
- (9) NONE OBSERVED.

B. DESCRIPTION OF CMURSE OF OBJECT:

- (1) OBSERVER WAS LOOKING FOR THEM DUE TO THE SIGHTINGS HE MADE ON PREVIOUS OCCASIONS.
- (2) ANGLE OF ELEVATION APPROXIMATELY 35 DEGREES, AZIMUTH APPROXIMATELY 290 DEGREES.
- (3) ANGELE OF ELEVATION APPROXIMATELY 35 DEGREES, AZIMUTH APPROXIMATELY 180 DEGREES.
- (4) STRAIGHT LINE.
- (5) FADED FROM SIGHT.
- (6) APPROXIMATELY 2 MINUTES.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

- (1) GROUND-VISUAL.
- (2) BINOCULARS.
- (3) N/A

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

- (1) 5 FEB 65 1600Z

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(2) DAY

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER: LATITUDE 37 DEGREES 11 MINUTES NORTH, LONGITUDE 70 DEGREES 37 MINUTES WEST. MONETA, VA. 10 MILES SOUTH-WEST OF BEDFORD, VA., ON STATE RT 746.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVERS:

(1) [REDACTED] 32, [REDACTED] 2, MONETA, VA., CRANE OPERATOR FOR THE NORFOLK AND WESTERN RAILROAD, MATURE AND RATIONAL; [REDACTED] 34, [REDACTED] RT [REDACTED] MONETA, VA., HOUSEWIFE, MATURE AND RATIONAL.

(2) N/A.

G. WEATHER:

(1) CLEAR WITH LIGHT SCATTERED CLOUDS, NO HAZE.

(2) WINDS ALOFT AND GRADIENT OBTAINED FROM THE DUTY FORECASTER, DET. 41, 12TH WEATHER SQUADRON AT THE WASHINGTON AIR DEFENSE SECTOR. REMAINDER OF THE WEATHER REPORT OBTAINED FROM THE WEATHER BUREAU AT LYNCHBURG AIRPORT VA.C

SURFACE	200	DEGREES	10	K
6,000	240	DEGREES	30	K
10,000	270	DEGREES	45	K
16,000	280	DEGREES	55	K

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20,000	290	DEGREES	65	K
30,000	300	DEGREES	85	K
50,000	270	DEGREES	60	K
80,000	NOT AVAILABLE			

(3) HIGH THIN SCATTERED.

(4) 15

(5) ONE-TENTH

(6) NONE

(7) SURFACE	PLUS	25	DEGREES
6,000	PLUS	14	DEGREES
10,000	PLUS	5	DEGREES
16,000	MINUS	7	DEGREES
20,000	MINUS	15	DEGREES
30,000	MINUS	22	DEGREES
50,000	MINUS	49	DEGREES
80,000	NOT AVAILABLE		

H. ANY OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITION: NONE ACCUMATED FOR.

I. INTERCEPTION OR IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKE: N/A

J. THE DUTY FORECASTER, DET. 41, 12TH WEATHER SQUADRON AT THE

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WASHINGTON AIR DEFENSE SECTOR STATED THAT WEATHER BALLOONS WERE RELEASED AT 1100Z FROM CHARLOTTE NC, GREENSBORO, NC, CHATTANOOGA, TENN. AND NASHVILLE, TENN.

K. POSITION, TITLE AND COMMENTS OF THE PREPARING OFFICER: FRANCIS X. KELLY, 1ST LT., ASSISTANT CEM SUPERVISOR.

(1) A CHECK WITH THE WASHINGTON AIR DEFENSE SECTOR INDICATED NO AIRCRAFT UNDER THEIR OPERATIONAL CONTROL IN THE AREA OF THE SIGHTINGS.

(2) FAA TOWER AT LYNCHBURG COULD ACCOUNT FOR NO AIRCRAFT IN THE MONETA AREA.

(3) FAA FLIGHT SERVICE, WOODRUM AIRPORT, ROANOKE, VA., COULD OFFER NO INFORMATION AIRCRAFT IN THE MONETA AREA.

(4) THE ARTCC WATCH SUPERVISOR AT LEESBURG, VA. STATED THAT TRAFFIC IN THE ROANOKE-LYNCHBURG, VA. AREA AT LOW ALTITUDES WAS MODERATE TO HEAVY IN BOTH DIRECTIONS ALONG A NORTH-EAST AND SOUTH-WEST FLIGHT PATH; AT HIGH ALTITUDES, MODERATE TO HEAVY IN BOTH DIRECTION ALONG A NORTH-EAST AND SOUTH-WEST FLIGHT PATH.

(5) A CHECK WITH THE FT. FISHER NCC, NC REVEALED F-102 AIRCRAFT FROM SEYMOUR-JOHNSON AFB WERE PERFORMING RADAR EVALUATION FLIGHTS OF THE 649TH RADAR SQUADRON. FLIGHT PATH, GOLDSBORO, NC.,
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UNCLAS 64900P-00019, FEB 65. FINAL SECTION OF TWO SECTIONS. CHARLOTE, NC, ROANOKE, VA., GOLDSBORO, NC. F-101 AIRCRAFT FROM MCENTIRE ANGB, SC WERE ALSO PERFORMING THE FLIGHTS. FLIGHT PATH, COLUMBIA, SC, ROANOKE, VA., CHARLOTTE, NC, COLUMBIA SC. BOTH SQUADRONS BEGAN FLIGHTS AT 1400Z AND CONTINUED THEN THROUGH 1900Z.

(6) SEARCH AND HEIGHT FINDER RADARS AT THIS UNIT WERE CHECKED FOR A PERIOD OF 35 MINUTES BUT NO ABNORMAL OBJECTS WERE OBSERVED.

(7) MR. ██████████ STATED THAT A FEW MINUTES AFTER THE OBJECT HAD FADED FROM VIEW HE OBSERVED TWO JET AIRCRAFT TO THE

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NORTH OF HIM. ONE AIRCRAFT WAS TRACKING EAST AND THE OTHER WEST. BOTH AIRCRAFT LEFT CONTRAILS AND THEIR FEATURES WERE EASILY DISTINGUISHABLE. ██████████ FURTHER STATED THAT THE OBJECT HE SIGHTED APPEARED TO BE MORE OF A WHITE COLOR WHEN VIEWED THROUGH THE BINOCULARS. HOWEVER, NO TRAIL OR PROJECTIONS COULD BE OBSERVED. THE END OF THE OBJECT SEEMED BLUNTER THAN WHEN OBSERVED WITH THE NAKED EYE.

(8) MR. AND MRS. ██████████ HAVE OBSERVED UNUSUAL LIGHTS THE NIGHT PRIOR TO EACH SIGHTING. HE FEELS THERE MAY BE IN SOME WAY A CONNECTION BETWEEN THE LIGHTS AND THE SIGHTINGS THE NEXT DAY. THE LIGHTS ARE SEEN ONLY ON THE NIGHTS PRIOR TO A SIGHTING. HE HAS MADE NO ATTEMPTO REPORT THE LIGHTS OR DESCRIBE THEM OTHER THAN THEIR POSSIBLE RELATIONSHIP TO THE OBJECTS SIGHTED DURING THE DAY.

(9) AS IN PREVIOUS SIGHTINGS BY MR. ██████████ I WILL MAKE NO EFFORT TO ARRIVE AT A FINAL CONCLUSION AS TO THE IDENTITY OF THE OBJECTS. I STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT AN INVESTIGATING TEAM BE SENT TO CONTACT MR. ██████████ FOR FURTHER EVALUATION OF HIS REPORTS. PERSONNEL AT THIS UNIT ARE NOT QUALIFIED TO UNDERTAKE A MORE COMPLETE ANALYSIS THAN HAS ALREADY BEEN PROVIDED FOR PREVIOUS SIGHTINGS.

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L. EXTISTENCE OF PHYSICAL EVIDENCE: NONE.
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