

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 15 September 65 (Time Garbled)	2. LOCATION Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (SOLAR IMAGE) ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Seven	Reflection of sun through clouds.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 Seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	Seven objects in stationary "W" formation. Color of full pale moon. Perfectly round circles. Exceptionally bright. At first thought it was sun behind clouds, but thought sun should be higher at that time of day. Disappeared as clouds disappeared. Phenomena associated with position of sun and clouds. Objects like sun. Disappeared as clouds disappeared. Time garbled no relationship relating to the position of the sun and the clouds established.
7. COURSE Stationary	Objects at 70 deg elevation. ^{POSITION}
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	BETWEEN
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

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ACTION: SAFOS-3 (4)
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FM 662D RDR SQ OAKDALE AI OAKDALE PA

TO RUCMEN/ADC ENT AJB COLO

RUEAKN/26AIR DIV STEWART AFB NY

RUCDSQ/FTD WPAFB OHIO

RUEPDA/HQ OSAF (AFMIN) WASH DC

RUEPDA/ OSAF (SAFOI) WASH DC

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Q. A. (1) SEVEN IN A STATIONARY W FORMATION (2) SIZE OF BASKETBALL
AT ARMS LENGTH (3) COLOR OF PALE FULL MOON (4) APRX SEVEN
(5) STATIONARY FORMATION (6) PERFECTLY ROUND CIRCLES (7) NO TRAILS
(8) NO SOUND (9) EXCEPTIONALLY BRIGHT B (1) BRIGHTNESS - FIRST
THOUGHT TO BE SUN BEHIND CLOUDS AND THOUGHT SUN SHOULD BE HIGHER
FOR TIME OF DAY (2) 70 DEG (3) 70 DEG CLOUDS COVERED THEM AND THEN
THEY DISAPPEREAD (4) NO MOVEMENT JKTL DISAPPEARED AS CLOUDS DISAPEARED
KYL THREE SECONDS. MOMENTARILY. C (1) GROUDN VISUAL (2) NALED EYE

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ENTER 15/1303 ACCORDING TO POSITION OF SUN

(3) N/A D (1) 15/0630Z (2) DAY SOUTH HILLS SECTION OF PITTSBURGH
MT WASHINTON) THREE MILES SOUTH OF PITTSBURGH (3) MRS ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ ME ., ET WASHINGTON PITT 11 PA. FELIBILITY GOOD

G (1) N/A G (1) CLOUDY WITH HIGH WINDS (2) SURFACE WINDS 140DEG/7 K
5000 280/2 30000 UNK (3) CEILING 15000 FEET (4) VISIBILITY

FIVE MILES (5) AMOUNT OF CLOUD COVER 10/10 (6) THUNDERSTORMS
ONE HUNDRED MILES WNW OF PITTSBURGH (7) 2DEG PER THOUSAND FEET-
NORMAL LAPSE RATE H. NONE I. WEATHER BALLOON WAS RELEASED AT
15/0600Z J. NONE K. STEPHEN R. PAQUETTE - CEM OFFICER - 1ST LT
MOST LIKELY REFLECTION FROM SUN OR POSSIBLY WEATHER BALLOON.

OBSERVER HAS SEEN SOME PHENOMENA BEFORE SO IT APPEARS TO BE SOME TYPE OF NATURAL
PHENOMENA L. NONE.
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