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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting.	041700 3 hours
B. <u>DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT</u> (Number of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One very bright object bigger than an aircraft, shaped like a rugby ball and surrounded by orange and red flashing lights.
C. <u>EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER</u> (Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary, moving)	Standing in back garden.
D. <u>HOW OBSERVED</u> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical devices, still or movie)	Naked eye.
E. <u>DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT FIRST SEEN</u> (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Sighted over Ransden Heath.
F. <u>ANGLE OF SIGHT</u> (Estimated heights are unreliable)	30°
G. <u>DISTANCE</u> (By reference to known landmark)	3 or 4 miles.
H. <u>MOVEMENTS</u> (Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Left area in direction of Billericay zigzagging until disappeared from sight.
J. <u>MET CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS</u> (Clouds, haze, mist etc)	Bright clear moonlight night