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Dear **Section 40**

Thank you for your report on 2 June 1985 to RAF Upavon of an object you were unable to identify. I should explain that the sole interest of the Ministry of Defence in reported sightings of Unidentified Flying Objects (UFO's) is to establish whether they have any bearing on the defence of the country.

In order for us to establish whether there are any defence implications, we make every effort to take account of all available information. It is sometimes useful if we can see any photographs which are taken and I should therefore be most grateful if you be willing to send us the photograph you took, together with the negative if possible. I will, of course, return both photo and negative in due course.

Yours sincerely

**Section 40**