PROJECT 10073 RECORD

	PROJECT 100/3 RECORD
1. DATE - TIME GROUP	2. LOCATION
9 August 65 10/0533Z	Calumet Park, Illinois
3. SOURCE	10. CONCLUSION
Civilian	Satellite (ECHO II)
1. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	ECHO II over Chicago at 1136PM CST in flight to NE at 54 deg elevation. Sighting characteristic of Satellite sighting. Disappearance as Satellite enters Earth's shadow.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
3 - 4 Minutes	Bright white object at estimated altitude of 100-150 miles.
" TYPE OF OBSERVATION	Brighter than other objects of size observed previously. Disappeared instantly.
Ground-Visual	ECHO II is the brightest of the orbiting earth satellites with
7. COURSE	a brightness of -2.
NE	
8. PHOTOS	
II Yes III No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE	
II Yes XX No	

FORM
FTD SEP 63 0-329 (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

CHAUMET PIRRY, ILL. HEADQUARTERS 928TH TROOP CARRIER GROUP, MEDIUM (RESERVE)
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS - 60666 13 August 1965

ATTNOM: OPS-3-1

summer: Follow-up Letter of UFO Sighting

TO: AFSC (FTD) Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

> The attached letter is the follow-up letter from Mr. as requested by this office.

2. Subject report was forwarded by this office 13 August 1965.

FOR THE COMMANDER

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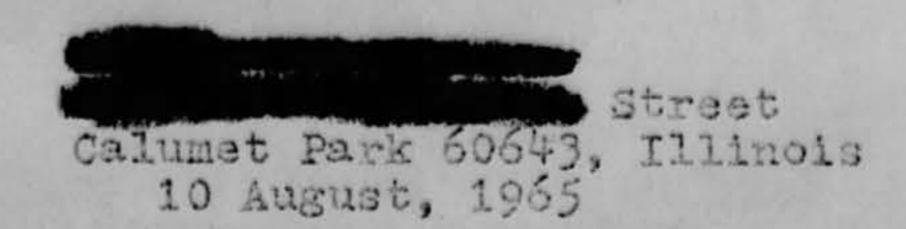
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Cy to: Dr. J. Allen Hynek Harvard College Observatory 60 Garden Street Cambridge, Mass.

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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE OFFICIAL BUSINESS



Base Flight Operations Officer 928 Troop Carrier Group O'Hare International Airport Chicago 60666, Illinois

Dear Sir;

At 12:33 A.M. on yhis day while walking our dog at the rear of the above address, my wife spotted an object of brilliant light intensity travelling with great speed in a Northerly direction. She immediately called me out of the house to see it. Her first question was whether or not we had any known sattelites traveling in a due South to due North direction. After the object was no longer visible I called Civil Defense who in turn referred this incident to Major Dixon of UFO. He in turn referred it to your command.

Details are as follows:

Direction: Due South to due North veering slightly to the East

but maintaining North course.

1137 (2.47)

Length of time: 12:33 A.M. to 12:36 A.M. C.DMUIC TIME

Sighted: Directly overhead (90 deg.) to disappearance at

horizon to North.

Intensity: More brilliant than any star or the moon which was

clearly visible at the time.

Size: About the size of a pea.

Altitude: Approximately 100 to 150 miles up.

Color: Remained a brilliant white without any surrounding

colors and no visible contrails.

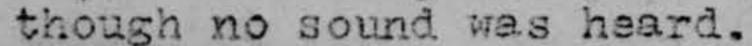
Sound: None.

Visibility: Extremely clear night. Light thin clouds occasionally

(not heavy enough to block vision of stars as they passed between the stars and the earth) indicated extremely strong North to South winds at high altitude.

Other objects: After call to Civil Defense and again going cutside a Southeast to Northeast contrail was visible indicating

Southeast to Northeast contrail was visible indicating a jet of a single engine type may be in the area al-





9 10/05332 AUG SATELLITE

COMBAT READINESS TRAINING OPERATIONS 928TH TROOP CARRIER GROUP, MEDIUM (RESERVE) UNITED STATES AIR FORCE O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Chicago, Illinois 60666

A. Description of the object:	10 August 1965		
1. Would you please describe object's shape CIRCULAR			
2. Size as compared to a known object held length. (Such as a pea, dime, nickel, baseball			
3. Color BRIGHT WHITE			
4. Number ONE			
5. Formation, if more than one N/A			
6. Any discernible features or details No	me		
7. Was there a tail, trail or exhaust, inc	luding size of same compared		
8. Was there any sound? If so, please des	cribe the sound No		
9. Other pertinent or unusual features Br	ighter than any other known		
object of it's size I have seen before. A crud			
altitude was 100 to 150 miles.			
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	What first called the attention of observer to the object My wife	
as out	walking the dog and saw it and called me out.	
	Angle or elevation and azimuth of object when first observed 90°	
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257	Angle or elevation and azimuth of object upon disappearance Horizon	
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4.	Description of flight path and maneuvers of object Due South to	
ue Nor	th with a Slight deviation to the East	
	How did the object disappear (Fade away or instantaneously)	
	How long was the object visible? (Be specific, 5 min, one hour)	
C. Man	ner of observation. How was object sighted, ground-visual, air visual, ground electronic, ctronic. (If electronic, specify type of radar) Ground-visual	
2.	Were any optical aids used. (Telescopes, binoculars) None	
3.	Was this an airborne sighting? If so: N/A A. Type A/C B. Ident No C. Altitude	

D.	Time and date of sighting 1. Time Zulu 0533Z Date 10 August 1965 2. Was it, night, day, dawn, dusk Night
	Location of Observer. Where did you make this sighting from? Give exact ation. (If necessary give location in reference to a known land mark)
	St., Calumet Park, Illinois 60643
App	roximately L10L0'N 87040'W
F.	Identifying Information on Observer
	1. Civilian Names & wife
	2. Age 15 3. Mailing Address 7, Calumet Park, Ill., 60643 4. Occupation Truck Driver
	5. Reliability Credible, coherent, good command of language
	6. Telephone No
	Military:
	1. Name N/A 2. Grade
	3. Organization
	i. Duty
	5. Reliability 6. Telephone No.
moo	Weather and Winds - Aloft conditions at time and place of sightings 1. Observer's account of weather conditions Extremely clear, very bright 1. From movement of very small clouds high there was an apparently high 1. If from North to South.
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	2. Winds (from Weather Bureau) Furnished by Weather Station, MAS Glenview, III MDW Surface 030 Degrees 6 Kts Aloft 6,000 350 " 15 " 10,000 350 " 22 " 16,000 350 " 22 " 20,000 010 " 20 " 30,000 360 " 12 " 50,000 340 " 30 " 80,000 Not available "
	3. Ceiling 8000 Scattered h. Visibility 12 miles 5. Amount of cloud layer 1/10 6. Thunderstorm in area and quadrant in which located Mone

H. Did you notice any unusual activity or conditions, meteorological, a nomical, or otherwise, which might account for the sighting None	stro-
L. Did you take any photographs No Do you know of any existence of physical evidence of materials No	
ADDITIONAL REMARKS BY OBSERVER: Immediately following the disappearance the object I observed a single contrail that suggested a Jet aircraft. contrail appeared almost directly overhead and on a course of SE to NE of	The
Sweeping curve. The contrail was viewed East of the point of disappears of the "object". COLDENT: Mr appeared sure that he saw something out of the ordi He evidenced no wxcitement over this sighting. In my opinion his guess	nary.
to the altitude would suggest he saw one of the satelites, possibly the "BCHO" satelite. CLAYTON W. SALMONSON, Civilian Base Flight Operations Dispatcher	