	PROJECT 10073 RECORD				
1. DATE - TIME GROUP 27 Jul 49 27/224	Point arrow, Alaska 414				
Civilian 4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	10. CONCLUSION Astro (JUPITER)				
Six Hours 6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	Observers spotted a light in the sky while tracking a balloon. The light moved from East to West at a rate of 3-4 deg per minute. The light was in view for approx six hours.				
7. COURSE West	Dr (astronomer) at Point Barrow with ONR stated opinion that the light was definitely a planet. AMC plotted the planet as JUPITER.				
8. PHOTOS					
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE					

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			INCIDENT	NO. 414	
1.	Date of Observation	27 July 1949	Date of Interview		
2.	Exact Time (local)	2240Z (1300 AST)			
3.	Place of Observation Point Barrow, Alaska				
4.	Position of observer Ground through 20-power theodolite				
5.	What attracted attention to object Light while tracking balloon				
6.	Number of objects 1				
7.	Apparent size				
8.	Color of object				
9.	Shape				
10.	Altitude 50,000 - 60,000'				
11.	Direction from observer 318°				
12.	Distance from observer				
13.	Direction of flight of object(s) East to West				
14.	Time in sight	6 Hours			
15.	Speed	3 -4° per minute			
16.	Sound and odor				
17.	Trail				
18.	Luminosity				
19.	Projections				
20.	Maneuvers	Level flight			
21.	Manner of disappeara	nce			
22.	Effect on Clouds				
23.	Additional informati	on concerning object	t		
24.	Weather Conditions				
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Name and address of observer: Weather Station personnel at Point Barrow, Alaska

Occupation and hobbies:

Comments of Interrogator relative to intelligence and character of observer(s):

MARRATIVE SUMMARY:

NOTE: Dr. Sinley (Astronomer) at Point Barrow with ONR stated opinion that light was definitely a planet probably Venus. AMC plotted object as Jupiter.

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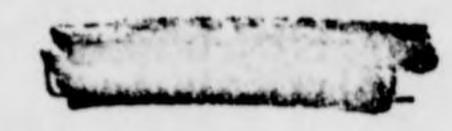
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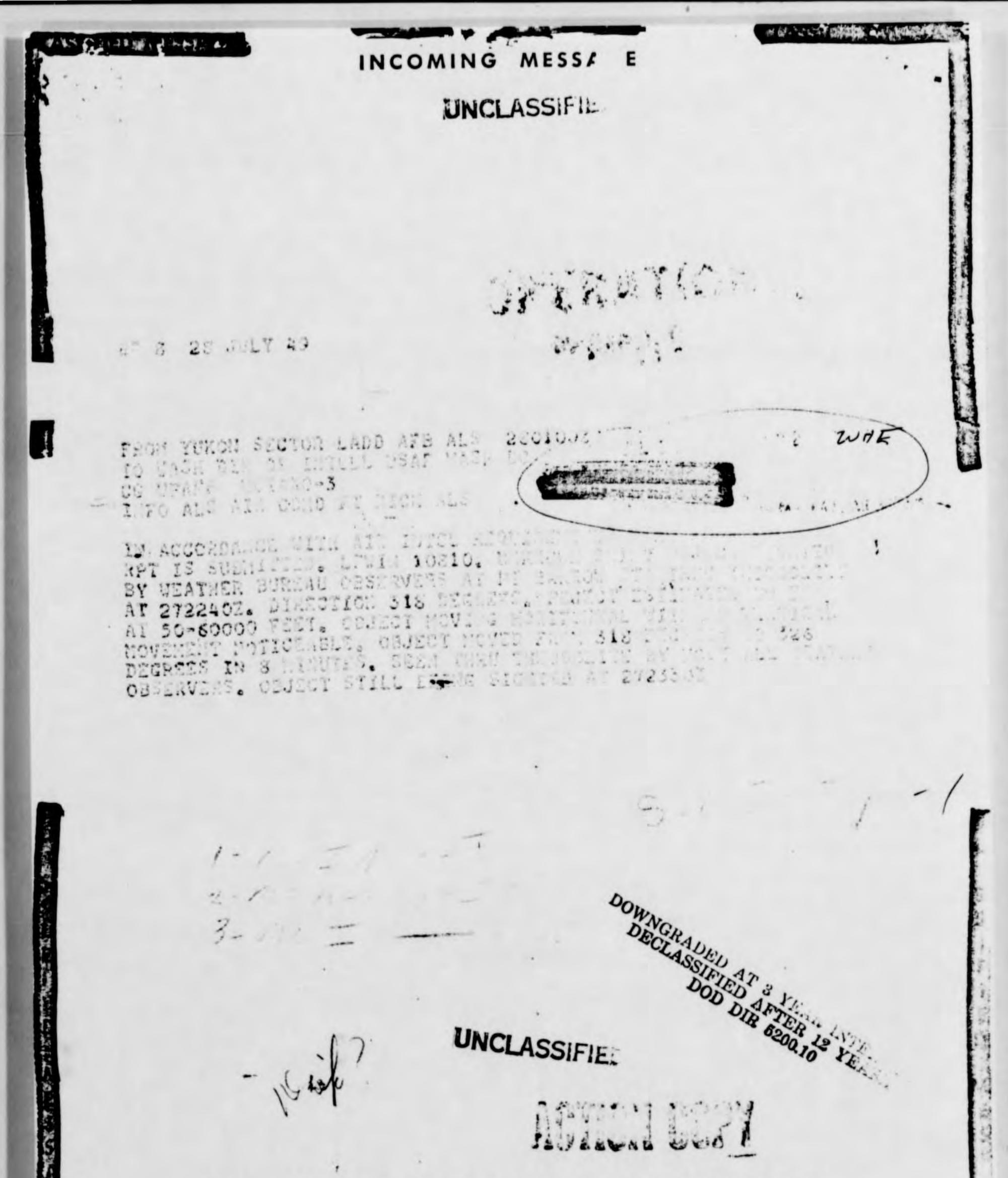
Reference is KFWIN 10810. Desire detailed report of sighting by each witness as outlined in Air Intelligence Lemo No. 4, plus all theodolite readings taken during observation.

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