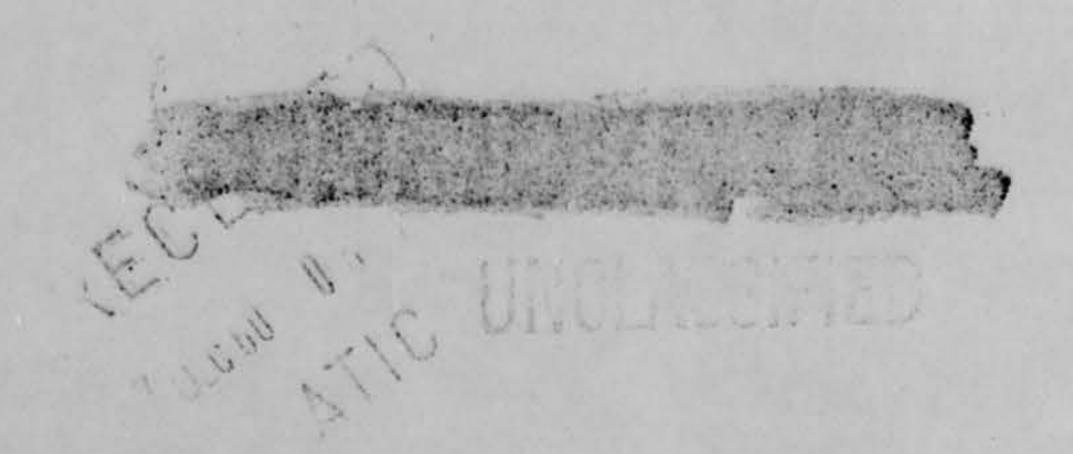
SLEMMONS, E.J. Capt

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 5 Dec 60	Panks Island, Canada		n	CONCLUSIONS  Was Balloon Probably Balloon Possibly Balloon
J. DATE-TIME GROUP  Local 0035  GMT 05/0935Z Dec 60  5. PHOTOS  D No  7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION  O Ground-Visual  Air-Visual  6. SOURCE  Millitary  One	D Ground-Radar  D Air-Intercept Radar	000:000	Was Aircraft Probably Aircraft Possibly Aircraft Was Astronomical Meteor Probably Astronomical Possibly Astronomical Possibly Astronomical Insufficient Data for Evaluation Unknown
no. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING  Round trailing thin and pale the size of a dime at arm's almost white. Near vertical burn up as it entered atmosp	length. Pale green descent. Appeared t	of the classic b class. There is	met no whi	this object fits that eor of the "fireball" information contained that the such a meteor.

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CHARLIE INDIA NOVEMBER DASH ONE BRAVO ONE CMM USAF AND ALFA

FOXTROT CHARLIE INDIA NOVEMBER DASH FOUR ALFA LIMA PD GOLF PD

HANSCOM FLD PD RE UR MSG NINE TWO GOLF ZERO ZERO SIX TWO

MIKE PD THE FOLLOWING SIGHTING IS REPORTED CLN TIME ZERO NINE CLASSIFICATION CAME

THREE TIVE ZULU FIVE DECEMBER SIX ZERO PD AZIMUTH NORTHEAST

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HEADING SOUTHWEST NEAR VERTICUL DECENT ELEVUTION ANGLES CLN
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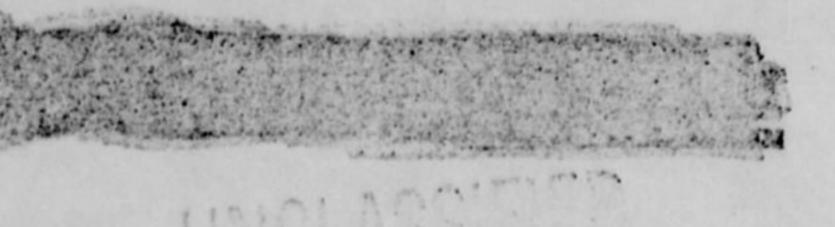
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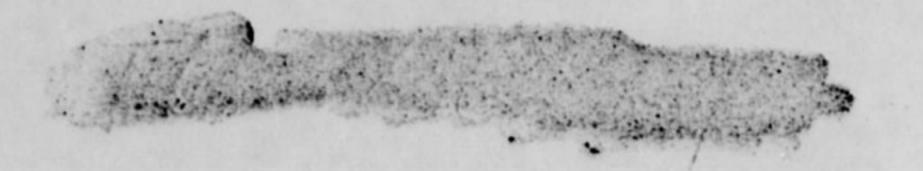
APPEARANCE OF OBJECT CLN APPEARANCE OF OBJECT WAS LIKE THAT

OF FALLING STAR PD

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BECURETY CLASSIF JOINT MESSAGEFORM UNCLASSIFILED SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER 1900 DEC 13 15 55 ACCOUNTING | ORIG. OR REFERS TO TYPE HTG (Check) **商人科助心广** C5-M-12 Topicial Institutions FROM: ATIC, W-P AFB ETELSON AFB, ALASKA REJEDJA UNCLAS/AFCIN-LEZX /2 35 3/ - F DET 1, 55TH WR SQ, YOUR MSG C5-M-12, RPTG THE SIGHTING OF AN UFO ON 5 DEC AT 0935Z, REQ A FURTHER TOVESTIGATION BE MADE AND ALL INFO BE RPTD IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2, DTD 14 SEP 59.

PHELIP G. EVANS

Colonel, USAF Deputy for Science and Components

DD FORM 178

REPLACES DD FORM 178. 1 OCT 49, WHICH WILL BE USED UNTIL EXHAUSTED

55TH WEATHER RECONNAISSANCE SQUADRON (MATS) UNITED STATES AJR FORCE APO 937, Seattle, Washington 16 December 1960 SUBJECT: UFO (REURMSG 12-3531-E)

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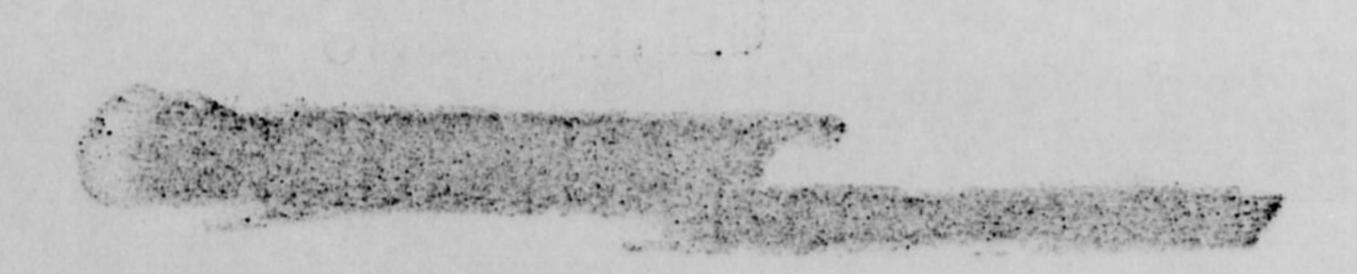
The following is submitted in letter format due to the non availability of forms at this station.

## a. Description:

- Shape -- Round trailing thin and pale green tail.
- (2) Size--Half the size of a dime held at arms length.
- (3) Color -- Pale green almost white.
- (4) Number -- 1.
- (5) Formation-N/A.
- (6) Discernable features -- N/A.
- (7) Tail--See above (1).
- (8) Sound -- None discernable above engine noise.
- (9) No other features.

## b. Description:

- (1) What first called attention of observer to object -- As directed by 9th Wea Gp message 92-GO-OQ-62M. We were briefed to be alert for the re-entry of RHO-1 (Sputnik VI).
- (2) Angle or elev of object when first observed --- We were flying due South towards Barter Island and observed the object to the East, 30° above horizon.
  - (3) Elev upon disappearance--10° above horizon.
  - (4) Flight path -- NN to SE near vertical descent.
- (5) How did the object disappear -- appeared to burn up as it entered atmosphere.



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- (6) How Long was the object visible -- 1 second.
- c. Manner of observation:
  - (1) Air-visual.
  - (2) No optical aids.
- (3) AC Type--MB-50-D. AC Number 80115. Alt 18,000 ft. Heading 1801.C., Speed 240-TAS. Home station-McClellan AFB, Calif.
- d. (1) Time and date of sighting--5 Dec 60--0935Z.
  - (2) Light conditions -- Light moon light.
- e. Location of observer -- 73°41' N 138° 50' W (210 miles north of Barter Island).
- f. Identifying information on observer:
- (1) Military-E.J. Slemmons, Captain, 55th Wes Recon Sq, Aircraft Commander. Info, as given, is true and correct.
- (2) Report on winds (Wea Recon Flight) 1300/35K/18,000' at Aircraft position, no other winds available.
  - (3) Ceiling-None.
  - (4) Visibility -- Unlimited.
  - (5) Amount of cloud cover -- None.
  - (6) Thunderstorms -- None.
  - (7) Temperature gradient-Approx minus 35°C. Dewpoint minus 43°C.
- h. No unusual activity to account for sighting.
- i. No intercept possible or necessary.
- j. No air traffic. No weather balloons.
- k. Position-Title and comments of preparing officer: Aircraft Commender, 55th Joa Recon Sq. Captain, USAF.

of RHO (Sputnik VI). The object I chserved was of very shor duration and appeared to be a small meteor or meteorite. We reported the object because it could have possible been Smutnik VI re-entering the earths atmosphere.





Had it been Sputnik VI I believe with this info and enough other info would have been available to confirm the time and place of re-entry of Sputnik VI.

1. No other information available.

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LAMRENCE T KEOHANE LT COL, USAF Commander

