## PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE  26 January 1955  2. DATE-TIME GROUP  Local 1815 EST  GMT 26/2315Z  5. PHOTOS  D Yes  EDNo	Lakeland,  Lakeland,  4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION  NXGround-Visual  D Air-Visual  6. SOURCE  Civilian		12.	Probably Balloon  Was Aircraft Probably Aircraft Possibly Aircraft  Was Astronomical Probably Astronomical Possibly Astronomical Possibly Astronomical Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION  unknown	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS  one		001	Other_UNIDENTIFIED Insufficient Data for Evaluation Unknown
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  DOWNTOWN LAKELAND FLA
- 5. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF ALL OBSERVERS
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- 7. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING
  - A. NOT REPORTED MCDILL AFB FLA

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	15000FAET	DEGREES 250	KNOTS 35
	20000FEET	DEGREES/250	KNOTS 45
	30000 FAET	DEGREES /260	KNOTS APPROX 75K
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- D. VISIBILITY 12 MILES
- E. CLOUD COVER BROKEN
- E. THUNDERSTORMS NONE

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- G. BLACK SMOKE TRAIL FOLLOWED BY EXPLOSION
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### 2. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT.

- A. UNK
- B. UNK
- C. UNF
- D. OBJECT SIGHTED ENE OF LAKELAND FLA BY OBSERVED IN DOWNTOWN LAKELAND
- . E. AIR EXHLOSION FOLLOWED BY SMOKE TRAIL TO GROUND
  - F. UNK
- 3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION
  - A. GROUND VISUAL
  - B. UNK
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- 4. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING
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- 7. WEATHER AND WINDS ALOFT AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING
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- 3. MANNER OF OBSERVATION
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- B. UNK
- . C. GROUND SIGHTING ONLY
- 4. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING
  - A. 26/2315W
  - B. DAY

- 5. LOCATIONS OF OBUERVER
  DOWNTOWN LAKELAND FLA
- G. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF ALL OBSERVERS

A. CIVILIAN

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