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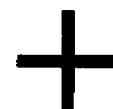


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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60637

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 28 Jul 88, 2245 local
1 min approx.
- B. Description of Object.
like civilian jet airliner but 3-4 times longer
no engine sound. Brightly lit with white square
- C. Exact Position Observer. shaped lighting on sides *
Section 40, Jump, Nr. Bramley
- D. How Observed.
Naked eye
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
-
- F. Angle of Sight.
-
- G. Distance.
-
- H. Movements.
Static then went in large circle returning
to original position
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
Clear visibility but overcast clouds.
- K. Nearby objects.
D. 2
- L. To whom reported.
5 Yorks Police, Wombwell.
- M. Name and Address of informant. Section 40
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
- O. Other witnesses. 2 others - Section 40 and
Section 40
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 29 Jul 0820 local
From 5 Yorks Police (PC Section 40)
- Q. Is a reply requested.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
- 9 AUG 1988

Signed [Signature]
Name [Redacted]
Rank FLY II Tel No Section 40

Date 29 Jul 88

FILE

* above these lights was long thin, bright
light, length of fuselage. No wings. Red light
underneath + no lights flashing.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. MIDNIGHT 29/7/88, SECONDS.
- B. Description of Object. RECTANGULAR OBJECT WITH FLASHING LIGHTS
- C. Exact Position Observer. TAXI DRIVER + 2 PASSENGERS - OXCLOSE LANE, ARNOLD, NORTH NOTTINGHAM
- D. How Observed. DRIVING PASSENGERS HOME.
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen. STRAIGHT PAST TAXI PARALLEL?
- F. Angle of Sight. _____
- G. Distance. _____
- H. Movements. Fly PAST.
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
- K. Nearby objects. _____
- L. To whom reported. CL [Section 40] (ORL CL)
- M. Name and Address of informant. PC [Section 40], NOTTS POLICE HQ, NOTTINGHAM.
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. ONLY KNOWN TO BE A TAXI-DRIVER
- O. Other witnesses. - Two PASSENGERS
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 30/7/88 00.40 hrs.
- Q. Is a reply requested. CONTACTABLE ON NOTTS POLICE HQ (0602) [Section 40]

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
- 9 AUG 1988
FILE

Date 30 July 88

Signed [Section 40]
Name [Section 40]
Rank CL Tel No [Section 40]

Could it have been a Chumuck with a special light sig?

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT (RECEIVED AT RAF COTTESMORE)

274

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING:
(Local time to be used)

30 0228 A June 1988

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT:

Number: one
Size: large
Shape: square with one off corners
Colours: it was nose cone
Brightness: very bright flashing red and white lights probably
Sound: sounded like many jet engines
Smell: [20 yds more]

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER:

Geographical Location:

Indoors/Outdoors looking out of window
Stationary/Moving

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D. HOW OBSERVED:

Mellon Mubray

Naked Eye:

Yes

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN:

coming from East to West

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT:

45°

G. DISTANCE:

not too far

Sec (A) 2 min

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H. MOVEMENT:

fairly slow

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J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS:

very clear

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS:

L. TO WHOM REPORTED:

Raf Cottesmore

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT:

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- 8 100 1988
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N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED:

Two moonlight

O. OTHER WITNESSES.

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P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT:

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Ministry of Defence

Main Building

Whitehall

London

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L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Tried to report sighting to several agencies (police etc) but they did not seem interested. Then MOD.

M. Name & Address of Informant

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Wiston Section 40

Tel: Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Aged late 20s

O. Other Witnesses

Wife.

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

070800Z Aug 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks: Reporter convinced this was no aircraft. However, he did stress that object was heading towards SPEKE airport.

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Sr Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 7 Aug 88

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N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED:

Two moonlight

O. OTHER WITNESSES.

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ANDREW STEPHEN

Riddle of the perfect rings

IT WAS a conversation with friends in Wiltshire which first caught my interest. 'It is really weird,' they said. 'You must look into the phenomenon of these circles that keep appearing in fields near us. No one can explain them.'

Then they sent me a copy of the front page of the *Marlborough Times*. 'Speculation and rumour heightened this week after a second set of mystery circles appeared,' its front-page splash said.

Beside it was a photograph of what looked like two perfect 40ft circles of flattened wheat in a field — each surrounded by four smaller, satellite circles. There were now 70 such circles sighted in England this year, said the news story.

Being cautious, I thought I ought to discuss these reports with colleagues first. One pointed out that new natural phenomena are being discovered all the time: in the last few days,

for example, we have been told that there may be a hundred billion stars in our own Galaxy that we did not know existed.

A second then suggested I speak to Professor Archibald Roy, his old tutor at the University of Glasgow and a scientist who apparently casts a stringent academic eye on such matters.

What Professor Roy said made me even more determined to solve the mystery. 'I simply don't understand these circles,' he told me. 'I'm totally convinced that it's a very — how shall I put it? — a very interesting mystery. I mean, I've visited a large number of these circles and they are perfect.'

'When you get to the edge, you're in flattened crop. An inch further on, they're untouched. None of the explanations seem to fit.' There were simply too many for them all to be hoaxes, he added.

There was not a cloud in

the sky when Jane Bown and I set out to investigate next morning. We wanted, above all, to establish why there seemed to have been such a proliferation of the circles this summer. Were they man-made? Or did they have some cause beyond our earthly understanding? Why all the sudden publicity?

For hours we clambered over ditches, carefully avoiding barbed-wire fences, and trekked to wheat fields to see for ourselves. There was not a moment to be lost, because harvesting was already underway and circles were fast disappearing.

We went first to Andover in Hampshire to see Colin Andrews, an electrical engineer who works for the local council and who the *Marlborough Times* described as a 'circles expert'. It turned out that he is 42 and runs a group he calls 'Circles Phenomenon Research'.

It takes up so much of



In Hampshire with Colin Andrews, circles

his time, he explained, that his wife pleads with him to give it all up. A bedroom in their house is devoted to circles data, and he has a fortified shed outside with countless circles details entered into a computer.

'We have categoric evidence that we're looking at a genuine phenomenon,' he told us straightaway. 'There's something here which is quite extraordi-

nary — nothing to going to be easily explained. This is the thing,' he went on, showing us blown-up photographs of circles or dramatically flattened the ground.

'We're getting simple, doubles, straight lines like the equilateral triangles, tuplet sets. The anti-wise swirls, the clo-

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expert: 'There's something here that is quite extraordinary — there's no hoax.'

at is swirls, the radial bursts — explained you see this is, in itself, we sort of believe, conclusive evidence that there's no show-photo-hoax.'

The computer, he said, had concluded that such effects could not be replicated by man. Helicopter downwash and herds of stampeding hedgehogs — other explanations put forward — could also be safely discounted.

He then showed us a picture on his wall of 'a double annular ring, seen in Warminster last year. Since then four others have shown up. This is what is happening. The whole thing is evolving at a rapid rate for reasons unknown at the moment.

'We're now getting two or three new reports a day.' Inside the rings, he said, electrostatic crackling sounds could sometimes be heard soon after they appeared. It almost always happened at night, too.

Circles have also been reported in Japan, Italy, France, Canada, Brazil, Australia, and the US — but southern England has 'by far' the most.

Sites tended to be clustered around military installations — that might be significant in itself — and ancient archaeological sites — ditto. The first report of a circle was in 1946, but they have only been 'sprouting like mushrooms' for one or two years.

Now there were 15 in his group, Mr Andrews told us, and they were mainly engineers and scientists — including Professor Roy as well as a former NASA man.

They finance it all themselves, and make two aerial reconnaissance flights every week (the pilot lives locally). They go to every circle and check its poles.

me with unmistakable authority. The mystery was deepening.

But what I did not know at this stage was that Mr Andrews, who keeps the media informed about new circles, is an enthusiastic contributor to *Flying Saucer Review*. I discovered this only after speaking to Dr Terence Meaden, an academic meteorologist who runs an organisation called the 'Tornado and Storm Research Organisation' based in Bradford-on-Avon.

It was Mr Andrews himself who had actually given me Dr Meaden's phone number. Meaden, he had told us as we drove across Wiltshire, had been a member of the research group until he suddenly announced that he had solved the mystery. His views subsequently even appeared in *The Observer*.



understand what is going on.'

He knew all about Mr Andrews. The man had certainly seen a lot of circles, he said — 'but he is a UFO believer'. Mr Andrews and some of the others in the group are hoping 'that by looking at the data they will see the hand of some intelligence at work.

'They're looking for something extraordinary, possibly extra-terrestrial.' They were, he went on, linking the crops with reports of UFOs in the area — and coming to extraordinary conclusions.

And his explanation? It was disappointingly prosaic. 'The wind can do more things than it has been given credit for,' Dr Meaden said, struggling to find words I could understand.

'This is where I come in, speaking of a spinning column of air, a vortex, that's descending — an eddy effect, just like eddies of leaves you might see by the corner of a building whirling around, if the wind is right.

'Yachtsmen know what I'm talking about,' he went on. Vortices of air could either suck up or press down. He did not think the circles were a new phenomenon, nor were they mostly confined to southern England. It was just that people like Mr Andrews were taking a relentless interest in them and that therefore they were now being reported all the time in their area.

Quite unwittingly, I soon realised, I had also stirred up a hornet's nest in the British UFO movement. For Dr Meaden put me in touch with Paul Fuller, a statistician who has himself carried out detailed research into the circles.

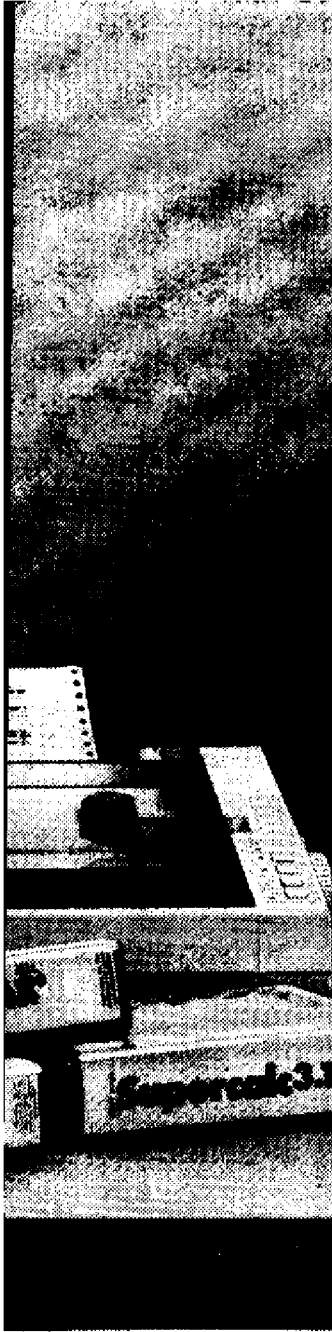
He is also a member of the 'British UFO Research Association', a serious body which investigates UFO reports but which has fallen out with the more flamboyant *Flying Saucer Review* wing of the movement.

Not all of the circles were circular, said Mr Fuller. What appeared to be the centres were often actually displaced. Flattened crops were layered, which showed that whatever is causing it is 'moving around'.

Half the swirls were clockwise and half anti-clockwise, he said. It all showed that vortices of air were responsible. There was much more, too, but he recommended that I read 'The Guinness Book of Weather Facts and

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circle and check its regular structure, radiation, and the PH levels of the soil. Individual circles could range in diameter from five to 15 metres.

By now we were very keen to see some of them for ourselves, so Mr Andrews drove us to what he called a 'double ringer' in a remote field outside Goodworth Clatford.

It was so isolated that the three of us must have been a good mile from anybody else. Jane Bown took the picture of him at the top of the page, and we lazily ate one or two ears of wheat — apparently courtesy of Waitrose, who (Mr Andrews said) own the field. Sure enough, the crop was mysteriously and inexplicably pushed firmly to the ground in neat concentric circles.

Then we drove to an ancient, renowned archaeological site — I agreed with the farmer not to reveal its exact location — and looked down from a hill on two more sets of quintuplet circles.

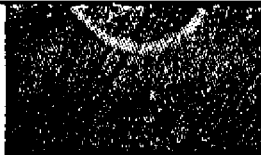
Two large ones, each with four circles of smaller ones of the same size neatly surrounding it: it all looked rather like an extravagant Christo art project, though by this time we were convinced that neither artists nor hoaxers could have been responsible for the rings we had seen. It was time to return to London to decide the next phase of our investigation.

Later, though, I took the precaution of talking to a wider range of people. To the wife of a farmer, who told me that 13 circles had gradually appeared overnight on their 800 acres. It was very, very strange, and nothing like it had ever happened during three generations of farming there.

Or to a helpful Army Air Corps officer, who said he had seen the circles from helicopters and found them 'totally mysterious', adding that he would be 'most interested' if I could shed any light on what was happening.

Then I spoke to a retired Lieutenant Colonel who had been based at the Middle Wallop airbase in Wiltshire, and who told me he had 'no reasonable explanation' and was satisfied the circles were not due to any of the proffered explanations.

And finally to a Hampshire landowner, who also owns 800 acres and who reported that some farmers were now keeping quiet about other circles lest their land be trampled upon by sightseers and investigators. 'It's not wind, I can tell you that — or hoaxes,' he told



All done by wind?

But Meaden was most definitely *wrong*, Andrews had said with some vehemence, and he had moved the goal posts in the investigation. They had all fallen out with him as a result.

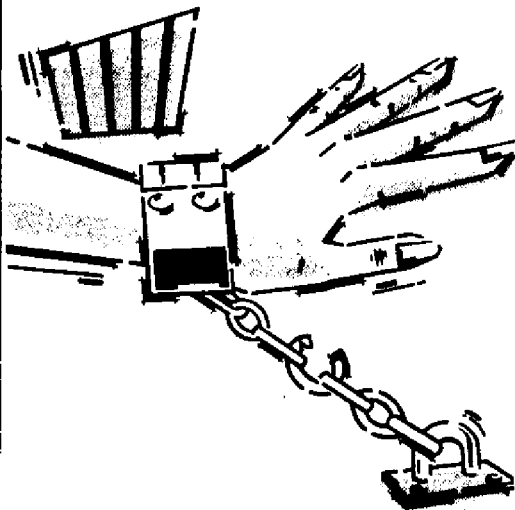
That, of course, made me want to contact Dr Meaden (an expert on tornadoes, waterspouts, and whirlwinds, I read) all the more. Was he 100 per cent satisfied, I finally asked him, that he now knew the explanation for the circles? 'Absolutely,' he replied. 'You've got to be a physicist and meteorologist to

Feat'

Before the end of the week, nevertheless, it was clear that our great circles investigation was drawing to a close. I duly went round to the public library to get the book out, and next day Fuller sent me some impressive material he had written on the circles. I could not speak to Mr Andrews himself, because his wife had dragged him off to Ibiza.

But by now I needed no convincing about the origins of the circles. The instinct to make our lives exciting, relevant, crucial to history, is a strong one — overwhelmingly so for some. For Jane Bown and me, at least, the circles were no longer a mystery. I phoned my friends in Wiltshire to tell them what I thought.

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ROUTINE 120738Z AUG 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 102300(A) AUG 88, 45 MINUTES

B. ONE BRIGHT WHITE/YELLOW LIGHT

C. IN CAR TRAVELLING FROM BOURNEMOUTH TO CHANDLERS FORD (M27, A33),
MOVING

D. NAKED EYE, STILL COLOUR PHOTOGRAPH

E. NORTH NORTH WEST THEN MOVED EAST

F. N/K

G. N/K

H. ERRATIC

J. CAVOK

K. NORMAL MOTORWAY/ROAD FEATURES

L. HAMPSHIRE POLICE OPS ROOM

M. Section 40

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N. LUCID, SANE, WITNESS HAS SERVED IN RAF FOR 22 YRS AND WAS VERY
SCEPTICAL, DID NOT THINK OBJECT WAS A STAR OR AIRCRAFT

O. Section 40

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Sec (AS) 2 cl. 1

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING

071430Z AUG 88, 10 MINS

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B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number ONE
Size
Shape KEIR SHAPED WITH CROSS TAIL
Colours
Brightness RED WITH FLASHING LIGHTS
Sound
Smell

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

Geographical location GIFFNOCH (SOUTH GLASGOW)
~~Indoor~~/Outdoors
Stationary/~~moving~~

D. HOW OBSERVED

Naked eye
Binoculars
Other optical device
Still or cine camera

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

TO THE SOUTH

(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable)

VERY HIGH IN THE SKY.

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible)

N/K

H. MOVEMENT.

Steady N/A FIRST EAST THEN WEST
Changing
Erratic

J. HEAVY CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds
Haze C/NOK
Mist

SEARCHED
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10 AUG 1988
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K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

N/A

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police WATCH MANAGER, SCOTISH AIRWAYS, ATLANTIC HOUSE, PRESWICK.
Military Organisation
~~The Press~~

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OR INFORMATION

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N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

O. OTHER WITNESSES

HUSBAND.

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED BIRD

A. Date, Time & Duration of Observation	Evening 6 th August 1952 17 minutes duration
B. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colour, etc.)	Cigar shaped - vertical. Silver colour. Difficult to gauge size. Bright / reflective.
C. Exact location of observation (Station, etc.)	In the garden of the house
D. How observed (Through telescope, binoculars, etc.)	Binoculars. What all up and see was a flashing light (sun's reflection)
E. Direction in which object first seen (A bearing may be more useful than a daily estimated bearing)	Mixed E/West. Hovered. Slowly moved South. Then shot off at high speed. Too fast to see.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Almost dead ahead. Higher than actual aircraft
G. Distance (by reference to a known landmark)	Hovering over RAF Northolt. Very high up.
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	See (G)
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.)	No cloud, sunny. Sun in W/SW.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing in particular.

1. To whom reported (Civilian, military, press, etc.)	None
2. Date & location of incident	Section 40
3. Description of incident (What happened?)	WORKS AT RAF NATLST - WORKS AS AIRCRAFT/ENGINEER.
4. How was it reported?	H/O and family.
5. Date, time & location	10/8/88 0945
6. Name of person(s) interviewed	None
7. Other	None

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Sec (AS) 2a
 Squadron Leader
 Duty Operations Officer
 AF Ops

Date... 8/8/88

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 File AF Cps/1/11

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	062330A Aug 88 Approx 10 seconds.
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One object, very bright white light gave impression of a diamond.
	Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Indoors.
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye.
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	North travelling East.
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Not estimated.
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	V. low - maybe 100 feet
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	At first stationary then moved off at great speed
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Usual buildings associated with housing estate

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Tried to report sighting to several agencies (police etc) but they did not seem interested. Then MOD.

M. Name & Address of Informant

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N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Aged late 20s

O. Other Witnesses

Wife.

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

070800Z Aug 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks: Reporter convinced this was no aircraft. However, he did stress that object was heading towards SPEKE airport.

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Sr Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 7 Aug 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 050635Z AUG 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
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U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 042117A AUG, N/K
- B. ONE FLAT SILVER BALLOON SHAPE, GYRATING AND CHANGING SHAPE. SILENT
- C. OUTSIDE IN BACK GARDEN
- D. BINOCULARS
- E. WEST TO EAST
- F. N/K
- G. OVERHEAD
- H. TRAVELING AT SPEED. GYRATING
- J. CLEAR AND WARM
- K. N/K
- L. KIDDERMINSTER POLICE
- M. Section 40 KIDDERMINSTER Section 40
- N. SAID HE HAD NOT BEEN DRINKING

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O. WIFE

P. 042030Z AUG 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 030720Z AUG 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 022200Z AUG 88 FOR 30 MINS
- B. RED BLUE AND GREEN LIGHT WITH DOME SHAPED TOP
- C. Section 40 ROSS-ON-WYE
- D. NAKED EYE THEN WITH BINOCULARS
- E. NORTH EAST
- F. 30 DEGREES
- G. N/K
- H. STATIONARY
- J. CLEAR SKY
- L. POLICE
- M. Section 40
- N. NIL
- O. THREE POLICE OFFICERS

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	022215A Aug 88 Approx 20 seconds
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One object, very bright white light
C. Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors, stationary
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	West
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	approx 45%
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	over one mile
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than assumes to be the case)	Travelled west to east in straight line, stopped then reversed direction
I. Atmospheric conditions (visibility, cloud cover, etc)	Clear
J. Nearby landmarks (Telephone poles, power lines, etc) or other objects which may be seen from the sighting location	Telephone lines nearby

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Tried to report sighting to several observatories, but they did not seem to be interested. Then MOD.

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Middleton
Nr Saxmundham
Suffolk
Tel: Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Aged 15 years

O. Other Witnesses

Friend, also aged 15 years

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

022240A Aug 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks: Informant heard rumbling sound, followed by loud boom. Shortly after sighting, he saw two aircraft in area.

Section 40

~~Agg Ldr~~
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 2 Aug 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 020622Z AUG 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 012315-2317 JUL 88
- B. 6 LIGHTS EVENLY SPACED IN TWO COLOUMS
- C. INDOORS AT HOME ADDRESS THROUGH WINDOW
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. HEADING SOUTH TO NORTH
- F. N/K
- G. THIRD TO HALF MILE
- H. STEADY
- J. FINE AND DRY
- K. NIL
- L. SUSSEX POLICE
- M. Section 40 CAMBER
- N. INFORMANT KEEN ON FLYING

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O. NIL

P. REPORTED TO SUSSEX POLICE AT RYE, REPORTED TO RAF WEST DRAYTON BY
POLICE 020025 AUG 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 100648Z AUG 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON Section 40
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 100005A AUG 88 FOR 4-5 SECS
- B. ONE SPHERICAL SHAPE, BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT, HAZY AT EDGES, 10FT ACROSS
- C. IN CAR ON A513 NEAR WOLSELEY BRIDGE JUNCTION, MEADOW LANE, LITTLE HEYWOOD
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. SOUTH EAST, TRAVELLING TO NORTH WEST
- F. 25-30FT ABOVE GROUND
- G. 25YDS
- H. STEADY
- J. CLEAR AND CALM, NO FOG/MIST, WIND EASTERLY
- K. N/K
- L. STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

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M. Section 40

N. NIL

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P. 100016A AUG 88

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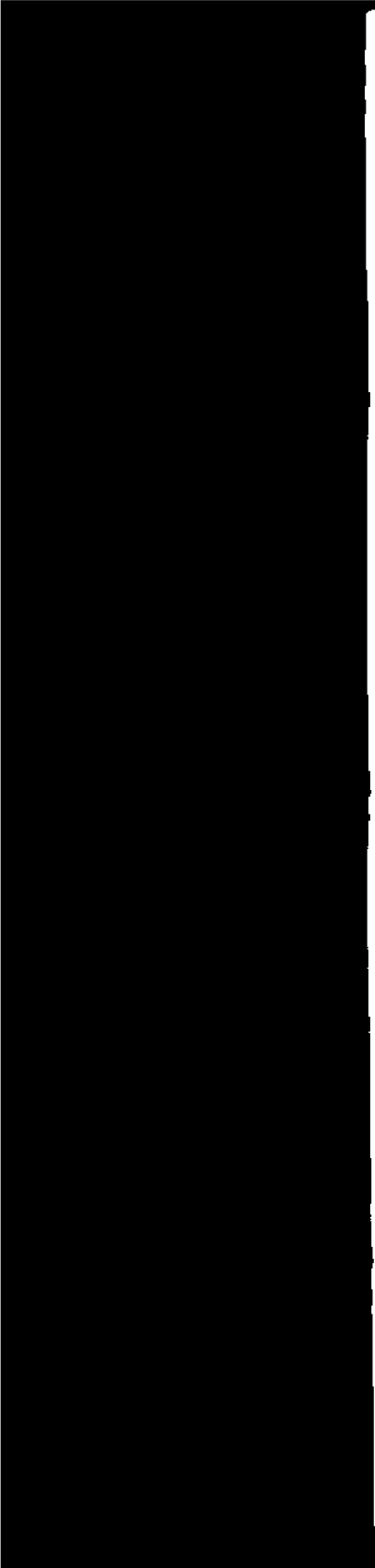
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AUGUST 1st 1988.

SUBJECT: UFO REPORTS, RAF RESPONSE.

Dear Sir,

I recently wrote to RAF FINNINGLEY, in respect of recent (Dec '87 - present day) UFO sightings and related incidents, and asking for relevant information, not only to help with my enquires but also to alleviate the anxieties of the witnesses. Though I will stress, they are not afraid of the objects they are observing, more of the apparent lack of action and comment from the relevant authorities such as your department.

I am not at all satisfied with the response from Finningley. This is NOT their normal response to my queries, I usually receive their 'standard' statement which either denies or admits to having aircraft in the vicinity of UFO sightings. This response is clearly totally different from the ones just mentioned, indicating (from past experience) to myself and other TOP UFO RESEARCHERS within the U.K. that something unusual DID happen on the dates mentioned AND the authorities were aware of this.

Perhaps you would be good enough to furnish me with the details which I requested from RAF FINNINGLEY. The sighting on the night of July 8-9 was reported in the local papers then passed onto myself for research, the paper are now awaiting my report and my comments on this most interesting case. Thus I would appreciate your help and quick response to this letter. Many thanks in advance.

Yours Faithfully,

Section 40
[Redacted]

DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH.

THE YORKSHIRE UFO SOCIETY & QUEST MAGAZINE.

JULY 20th 1988.

Dear Sir,

I have just received details of yet another UFO sighting from the Rotherham area. I would be pleased if you would let me have information on the following details:

[1] All aircraft (fixed wing and rotary) movements in and around the South Yorkshire region during the night of July 8-9.

[2] The reasons for these movements.

[3] All information from UFO reports for the night in question.

[4] All aircraft, (fixed wing and rotary) and UFO details for Feb' 28th 1988, night time, 1500 - 2100hrs (same area), and relevant RAF research into the reports submitted by myself on behalf of a witness to Finningley

[5] A statement in respect of the 'alien abduction' case which was reported to the base, I believe on aprox' May 4th. Information I have received on this case shows an MoD officer visited the witness.

[6] A full statement from you to the public of South Yorkshire, in respect of RAF knowledge on the tremendous increase of UFO activity in the region, and the RAF response to this obvious "threat to national security".

[7] Details of the several 'SCRAMBLES' which have taken place due to UFO's being reported to the base or being picked up on radar. One example date: MAY 28th 1988.

Item [5] was promised to me on Feb' 29th by the officer on duty that morning.

I am requesting Item [6] due to the fact that the majority of the regions residents are becoming uneasy about the increased number of UFO sightings this year, and because almost everyone who contacts my colleagues and myself ask, "why don't the RAF do or say anything?" The only response so far from your officers has been a denial of any knowledge of the objects.

Details concerning Item [7] were furnished to myself on several separate occasions, some by serving HM Forces personnel.

I trust you will give this matter your attention and I look forward to receiving your reply in the near future.

YOURS FAITHFULLY,

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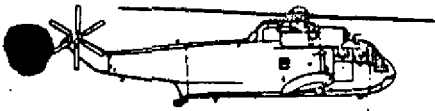
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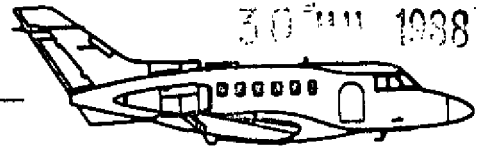
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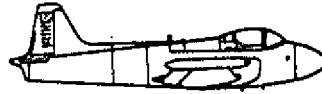
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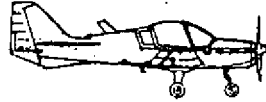
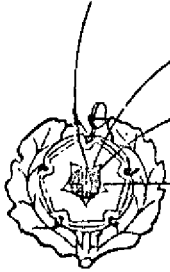
The Community Relations Officer



30 JUL 1988



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ROYAL AIR FORCE
FINNINGLEY
DONCASTER, SOUTH YORKSHIRE DN9 3LQ
Tel. DONCASTER Section 40

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28 July 1988

Dear Section 40

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION - UFO REPORTS

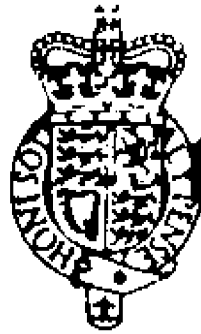
Thank you for your letter dated 20 July 1988 requesting information on aircraft movements and UFO reports.

As I am sure you will understand, we are not at liberty to reveal information on aircraft movements or reports made to us regarding possible UFO sightings by members of the public. RAF Finningley does not control all of the air traffic in the South Yorkshire area, and, it occurs to me that you might wish to contact the larger civil airports in this region for assistance.

If you would like to telephone this office, we will take down details of your recent report and may pass it to the Ministry of Defence department concerned. I am sorry that we cannot offer more assistance on this occasion and should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely
Section 40

Flight Lieutenant
for Officer Commanding



From:

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SAC (AS) 2a

with the compliments of
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GEB

You may be interested to know that we had several telephone calls about this fighting over Sarinivon on Thursday 28/7. I expect that it will create some correspondence in due course. I would be grateful if you could shed any light on the incident, when you have time.

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MOD FORM 195

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED WITNESS OF CASE

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A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING 28-7-88 0100-0155 A
(Local times to be used)

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number 2 ECU
Size Wide APART Wide APART
Shape
Colours FLASHING ALTERNATELY
LARGE YELLOW (FLAKE) - SMALL
Brightness PALE GREEN/BLUE - SMALL
Sound NO SOUND LIGHTS NOT CONTINUOUS
Smell NO SMELL

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVATION
Geographical location HATHERLEIGH
Indoors/Outdoors
Stationary/~~moving~~

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D. HOW OBSERVED
Naked eye
Binoculars
Other optical device
Still or cine camera

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN SEAST.
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) UP - HIGH IN THE SKY

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) OVER HATHERLEIGH

H. MOVEMENT
Steady STEADY + MOVING FLASHING LIGHTS MOVED UPWARDS
Changing BUT NOT R/LEFT
Erratic YELLOW UPWARDS ZIGZAGED -> OKHAMPTON

J. WET CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION FOR THE HAZARD ANY REAL MOVEMENT.
Moving clouds TOO DARK TO NOTICE
Haze DARK SKY.
Mist

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC - FARMHOUSE + FARM BUILDINGS.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED
Police
Military Organisation RAF.
The Press

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OR INFORMANT [Redacted] Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED [Redacted]

O. OTHER WITNESSES Section 40 2 others NAMES NOT KNOWN Section 40

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT Section 40
NOT RELATED SIGHTINGS. UNKNOWN TO CALLER.
TO RAF CIVILIAN 28/4/07 JULY 88

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING ~~4/7/78~~ 28 0130 - 0133 JULY 88.
(Local times to be used)

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT
Number 10 + 12
Size BUN 1 + 5 mls. AT 1000'
Shape
Colours BLUE
Brightness FLASHING LIGHTS.
Sound
Smell

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER
Geographical location HIGH HAMPDEN (10 mls OXENHAMPTON)
~~Indoors/Outdoors~~
Stationary/~~flying~~

D. HOW OBSERVED
~~Naked eye~~
~~Binoculars~~
~~Other optical device~~
~~Still or cine camera~~

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN OVER THE MOORS
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) ALMOST HORIZONTAL.

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) APPROX 10 mls.

H. MOVEMENT
~~Steady~~
~~Changing~~
~~Irratic~~

J. MET CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION
~~Moving clouds~~ CLEAR
~~Haze~~
~~Mist~~

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K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC N/K

L. TO WHOM REPORTED HQ No 10 GP R.O.C. POLTMOORE PARK
Police
Military Organisation Section 40
The Press

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OR INFORMANT MR

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED BEA WORTHY

O. OTHER WITNESSES A FRIEND WITH Hemo

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

ANNEX A TO
SCP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	280110 28 JULY 88
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	4 flashing flights - rapidly green in colour. shining through dark cloud cover.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Hillside ^{11:50:00} ordnance survey map. 191 OKEMACLETON & NORTH DARTMOOR G.R. 543 873
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	NAKED EYE
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	CROSSING TO THE RIGHT
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	HEIGHT - 300 FT 50 = 60%
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	1/2 MILE
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	LOW CLOUD. INTERMITTENT MOONLIGHT THROUGH BREAKS IN CLOUD. NO RAIN.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high-voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	USUAL DARTMOOR LANDSCAPE NOT NEAR WATER

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	TAVISTOCK POLICE STATION. PHONED MOD FROM THERE.
M. Name & Address of Informant	Section 40
N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered	MEMBER OF TA SUPERVISING YOUTH CLUB OUTING WHEN SIGHTING OCCURRED
O. Other Witnesses	Section 40
P. Date, Time of Receipt	12.15 28/7/88
Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	LOW CLOUD.
R. <u>Remarks</u>	

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SEC(AS)2a
 Squadron Leader
 Duty Operations Officer
 AF Ops

Date 28/7/88

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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	280130 28 JULY 88 15-20 SECONDS
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	1 SINGLE LIGHT ^{SHONE THROUGH} CLOUD COVER Ordnance survey map 191 1:50,000 G.R. 534 863 LIKE A SHOOTING STAR/METEOR IN APPEARANCE
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	OUTDOORS HALF WAY UP ARMS TOR.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	NAKED EYE
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	300-400 FT
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	1/2 MILE
H. Movements (Changes in E, F. & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	SLICING ACTION FORWARDS & BACKWARDS
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	LOW CLOUD
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	DARTMOOR LANDSCAPE

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	AS IN NO. 1.
M. Name & Address of Informant	AS IN NO. 1
N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered	AS IN NO. 1.
O. Other witnesses	AS IN NO. 1
P. Date, Time of Receipt	28/7/88 12.15
Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	LOW CLOUD
R. <u>Remarks</u>	

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 Squadron Leader
 Duty Operations Officer
 AF Ops

Date 28/7/88

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	280020 28 JULY 85 15 MINS
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	6-8 LIGHTS ON A RADIUS WHITE & BLUE IN COLOUR ELONGATED LIKE LASERS IN APPEARANCE BRIGHT BUT DULLED TOWARDS END OF SIGHTING
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	OUTSIDE AT BASE CAMP ORONANCE SURVEY MAP 191 1:50,000 C.R. 525 812
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	NAKED EYES
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	SOUTH MOVING NORTH SOUTH
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	45°/6
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	LOW CLOUD NO WIND OR RAIN
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys; steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	RESERVOIR SOOYOS UP HILL

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	AS IN NO 122
M. Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 CHICKIRELL WYLMOUTH DORSSET Section 40
N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered	ONE OF EIGHT MEMBERS OF YOUTH CLUB AT BASE CAMP WHO ALL WITNESSED SIGHTING. HE WAS CHOSEN AS SPOKESMAN.
O. Other witnesses	SEVEN MEMBERS OF YOUTH CLUB AT BASE CAMP
P. Date, Time of Receipt	12.15 28 JULY 88
Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	
R. <u>Remarks</u>	

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SEC(AS)Z
Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date 28/7/88

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING (Local times to be quoted). 0125 26-7-88 3-4 secs.

b. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc).
SINGLE VERY BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT

c. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving).
HARDEN MOOR (OFF KEIGHLEY ROAD)

d. HOW OBSERVED (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera). NAKED EYE

e. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).

f. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable).

GROUND LEVEL INITIALLY, DISAPPEARING BELOW OBSERVERS LINE OF SIGHT INTO VALLEY

g. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).
400 - 800 YDS.

h. MOVEMENTS (Changes in E, F, G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).
AS ABOVE

i. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS (Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc. VERY CLEAR / DRY.

j. NEARBY OBJECTS (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or other night lighting).
HIGH VOLTAGE LINES

k. TO WHOM REPORTED (Police, military, organisations, the press etc). : POLICE OBSERVATION

l. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

P.C. Section 40 [REDACTED] KEIGHLEY POLICE

m. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

n. OTHER WITNESSES

SECOND OFFICER IN POLICE VEHICLE

o. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT

27.7.88 2145

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	1445-1450 20 July 1938
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Metallic Ball/Gold. Round shape. Sun shining off surface. Very small.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Buy, Gt Manchester Whitefield. Moss in a 2 nd floor flat.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Very low powered binoculars
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Heading towards NORTH of Manchester (Rusholme)
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	2500 feet (estimated) probably very poor
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Not known
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Appears to be going up vertically
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Thin cloud. Good visibility. Sun shining
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing of interest

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	No
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	—
O.	Other Witnesses	None
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	1450 pm 20 July 1988
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	None

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Date... 20 July 1988

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 Sec (AS) 21
 Squadron Leader
 Duty Operations Officer
 AF Ops

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	182135A and 2140A JUL 98 10 Secs and 15 Secs approx
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One object, cigar shaped very bright white light
Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Moving - inside vehicle
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	North towards Milton Keynes
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	approx 45%
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	at least 5 miles
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	NIL
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Dry and clear
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Built up area

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Milton Keynes Police
then AF Ops

M. Name & Address of Informant

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N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

None

O. Other Witnesses

Wife

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

182155Z JUL 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks: Informant managed to video the object when he saw it for
the second time.

Section 40

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 18 Jul 88

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ROUTINE 170735Z JUL 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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(SIC AMENDED FROM ZGF)

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 111414Z JUL 88. 10 SECS

B. ONE VERY SMALL SILVER OBJECT. LOOKED LIKE A PAINT TIN LID

C. RIGHT HAND SEAT OF [REDACTED] APPROACHING BROOKMANS PARK BEACON AT

2400FT HEADING 130 DEGRESS Section 40

D. NAKED EYE

E. RECIPROCAL COURSE OF 130 DEGRESS M

F. SLIGHTLY BELOW.

G. VERY CLOSE

H. STEADY MOVING VERY FAST

I. GOOD VMC

K. N/A

L. LUTON AIR TRAFFIC. WHO SAW IT ON RADAR AND GAVE TRAFFIC
INFORMATION ON THE OBJECT

M. Section 40

N. PILOT OF Section 40 AND LUTON ATC

P. 161600Z JUL 88. (JUST RETURNED FROM OVERSEAS FLIGHT)

BT

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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Section 40

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- A Date, time and duration of sighting (Local times to be quoted)
14/7/88 0330 LOCAL
- B Description of object (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc).
2 OBJECTS 1 LARGE, 1 SMALL, BOTH STATIONARY. GREEN LIGHT PINK LIGHT. SILENT
- C Exact position observer (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving).
INDOORS
- D How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).
NAKED EYE, + BINOCULARS
- E Direction in which object was first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).
SOUTH TOWARDS CRAWLEY DOWN
- F Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable).
APPROX 45°
- G Distance (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).
FAIRLY DISTANT
- H Movements (Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).
STATIC CONSTANTLY
- J Meteorological conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc).
SKY CLEAR
- K Nearby objects (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting).
- L To whom reported (Police, military organisations, the press etc). NO
- M Name and address of informant
[REDACTED] TILGATE
- N Any background on the informant that may be volunteered
- O Other witnesses GRANDSON OF ABOVE
- P Date and time of receipt of report 0910
- Q Is a reply requested? YES

From:

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8 July 1988

UFO SIGHTINGS

You may find the attached article interesting,
alarming or incredible.

Its source is SHE magazine.

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I WAS ABDUCTED BY a **l** i e

**... claim some very down to
earth people. And now
scientists are beginning to
take them seriously.**

By Jenny Randles

The car engine fades to a spluttering halt. The familiar night sounds cease abruptly on the deserted roadway. And the twinkling lights in the sky begin their slow descent, bringing with them a dazzling ship from another world.

The ramp lowers. A silvery form is silhouetted against the glare. He beckons the car driver, now entranced by the spectacle. She moves in a rhythmic shuffle, to be consumed by the glow. The door slides ponderously shut and traps her inside. Then the ship climbs into the air and is gone, taking with it a cargo of one very frightened human being.

Hundreds of millions of viewers across the world watched in TV-eyed amazement as this climactic scene ended the 1987, and final, series of the American soap opera *The Colbys*. Fallon (played by Emma Samms) was taken for her ride into the sky, leaving programme makers to decide whether her adventure was for real or just a Pamela Ewing-style dream.

TV soaps seem cosily divorced from real life. We soak in their glitzy images, knowing all the time they are just make-believe. Yet this particular episode from the Hollywood dream machine is not entirely without foundation. In fact it is based on an incredible phenomenon that has swept across the USA and even now threatens the shores of Britain.

People by the saucer-load are claiming to have been kidnapped by those dazzling ships and carted off to pastures new and decidedly extra-terrestrial. They also say that dark and painful things are done to them aboard these UFOs; even maintaining that genetic experiments are carried out.

many puzzles and much confusion.

The next day a circular burnt patch appeared on Kathie's lawn. No one in the family knew where it had come from. Kathie felt ill and had inexplicable pains in her ear. And then the nightmares began.

The dreams plagued her because they were so real. In them she saw disturbing alien faces, white like a mushroom, with pear-shaped heads and large round eyes, but whose mouths and noses were almost non-existent. The heads topped bodies of unearthly creatures the size of a young child. More frighteningly still, Kathie's two small sons saw the beings too, claiming that they came into their bedroom at night and placed probes up their noses.

To cope with her terrors Kathie Davis turned to Budd Hopkins, a celebrated modern artist living in New York City. Together with psychologist, Dr Aphrodite Clamar, he has studied a number of similar complex stories. Often the memories stretch back into the childhood of the witness (frequently a woman in her 20s), forming a lifelong pattern of contact with other-worldly beings.

Dr Clamar uses hypnosis to regress the troubled person. Reliving the periods of confusion a partial memory is gradually pieced together that seems real. Yet it also sounds impossible. These women tend to claim that they have been "chosen" by small thin creatures for bizarre experiments. They say that ova are extracted, taken in a test tube to an alien laboratory, then replanted back into the human womb until a hybrid foetus is old enough to survive off Earth. These women allegedly give birth to *extra-terrestrial babies*. Hopkins also has cases where men have reported that sperm samples have been taken. "We know this is

The staggering implications of his earth-shattering conclusions gained publicity in the USA. TV dramas to be followed up by two major which will dramatise the terrifying Kathie Davis) due for release

Could such extraordinary events rather less excitable British Isles

at two o'clock in the morning three young women were taken to Shrewsbury night-club. A strange disc-shaped object was drained from their cars as a "beam" and it took a substantial break free from the hypnotic object. Then time became cloudy and hazy as they drove to a police station they had seen. They had not been

Stephen Banks, from the British Association, discovered the women about 20 minutes of that evening their car was held in the grip of

In 1983 (before Kathie Davis's counter in the USA) under the aegis of ufologist Harry Harris, the women with a doctor, a psychiatrist and a hypnotist. Eventually they each wrote memories of what had taken place

Viv Hayward, then 27, was described as being inside a room with "ugly... deep-set dark eyes, very and about four feet tall." The situation later described by Kathie Davis



She feels certain that something of a gynaecological nature took place on the UFO. All this was reported three years before Budd Hopkins first described the incredible results of his own abduction research.

The British UFO Research Association has details of about 12 other British abductions, but the witnesses are usually afraid to talk in public, for fairly obvious reasons. Merely to suggest that you saw a UFO can lead to disbelief and questions about your sanity. To claim that you were kidnapped by one, then examined by its grotesque occupants and possibly subjected to genetic experiments, seems a good way of booking your ticket to the funny farm.

Karen, who comes from Merseyside, found herself pregnant in 1979 after a UFO encounter. Then she began to have strange dreams in which the baby (which had great intelligence) was born but was not human. "I knew something was not right with that baby," she says. The pregnancy was spontaneously aborted. "When I saw the blood, I was relieved," she admits. In early 1984 she had the first of what was to be a long series of experiences involving aliens and lights in her bedroom. On the first occasion she was visited by a young child, about three years old, who came into her room late at night. Had Karen's own baby survived, it would have been the same age.

Budd Hopkins has found an identical pattern in American cases. "I call them 'wise baby dreams'," he says. "The woman becomes pregnant, dreams that it is not human, aborts the foetus and sometimes is later taken back on board the UFO to be shown her own baby now growing up in alien hands."

Backing his theory, of the relatively few women known to have undergone an abduction in Britain, three miscarried not long after the kidnap.

Dr Eddie Bullard is a folklore expert from Indiana

perience, the chances are you will be safe. One man of 77 was taken on board in Hampshire, but when the entities asked his age, they said, 'You are too old and infirm for our purposes', and he was released."

Mrs Elsie Oakensen who comes from Daventry, Northamptonshire, is another apparent "alien reject" whose encounter took place shortly before she reached retirement age. She had been travelling in her car when the engine died and she found herself surrounded by flashing lights outside the picturesque village of Church Stowe.

Elsie suffered a terrible pain in her head and cannot account for 15 minutes. When she was put under hypnosis by psychologist, Graham Phillips, she recalled alien shapes beside the UFO and knew that she had been "selected, scanned, promised a return visit, then ultimately rejected."

Just over an hour after Elsie's experience, four younger women, who were driving to a Women's Institute meeting in Northampton, saw an almost identical UFO in a village only four miles away. Their engine also failed as they tried to make their escape. On this occasion, no evidence was found of any time loss. The two stories were reported completely independently of each other and they do seem amazingly coincidental.

It is tempting to imagine that Elsie Oakensen did not fit the requirements of that particular night's mission and so the aliens went on the lookout for a new victim who was of child-bearing age.

Naturally there will always be sceptics. Clinical psychologist, Dr John Dale from Cheshire, has studied two women who claim to have had abduction experiences and says, "I believe there is likely to be a

the Atlantic. And in New York, Dr Clamar thinks she has scuppered that theory once and for all.

She arranged for nine abductees to be sent to one of her colleagues, Dr Elizabeth Slater, but did not prepare her for the meeting in any way, giving her no information about them. None had reported their experience in public.

Dr Slater believed she was testing the personality of these people to gauge their suitability for stressful and sensitive work. Her written profiles on each abductee professed no significant psychological problems. Then she was told the truth. After thinking carefully about the outcome of what had been very extensive tests, Dr Slater said: "The first and most critical question is whether our subjects reported experiences could be accounted for strictly on the basis of psychopathology; ie mental disorder. The answer to each of the cases is a firm no."

Dr Slater has also noted that there is something that seems to link these witnesses together. They all had an increased fear of social relations, a tendency to keep things to themselves and other symptoms which reminded her of another group of women: "The closest analogy might be the interpersonal alienation of the rape victim," she concluded.

The difference being that at least the rest of humanity is willing to accept that rape can happen and may begin to appreciate the awful problems in coming to terms with it. But if you believe you have been kidnapped by a UFO, who do you turn to for comfort and support? It must be one of the loneliest feelings in this world...

If you think that you might at some time have been abducted by an alien, you may get in touch with the author (in strictest confidence if you prefer) for help and advice by writing to: Alien experience, SH

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	Saturday 7th July 1968 1900 hours 1/2 hour.
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	In possession of the high level an RAF model. 30 ft diameter. It flashed, came in and out of sight.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Roughly 400 ft west of the well, between Rosecroft and Wincobury, during a the week 4272.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye.
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	westward and facing North.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	On ground.
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Separated by the escarpment 350 feet below.
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	None.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Raining all day but clear at the time of incident
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Trees - cannot find.

* outer rings smaller about 1-5 meters diameter. Sharp edges to the wires.



← description

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	TS Ops (AS)2
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	informant (AS)2 not known.
O.	Other witnesses	none - passengers on the car.
P.	Date, Time of receipt	12 July 1983
Q.	Any unusual Meteorological conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	Take photographs of the accident.

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Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date. 12/7/83

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A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. (Local Times to be Quoted)

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B. Description of Object. (Name of object, size, shape, colour, etc.)

3 Brown ^{LIKE} ~~Sun~~ ~~spots~~

So. 155 like a comet

C. Exact Position of Object. (Co-ordinated location. Inland or outdoors, etc.)

W. S. No Home Address

D. Eye Observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or video camera, etc.)

Naked eye

E. Direction in which Object was First Seen. (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).

West

F. Angle of Sight. (Estimated heights are unreliable).

60°

G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).

UNKNOWN

H. Movements. (Changes in B, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).

Very Quick to West in Straight Line

I. Meteorological Conditions during Observations. (Moving clouds, haze, etc.)

Clear Sky

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J. Nearby Objects. (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting).

Houses.

K. To Whom Reported. (Police, military organisation, the press etc).

Police HQ

House.

L. Name and Address of Informant.

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House

M. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

Former Member of UFO Spotting Group
6 Members of Psychic Studies.

N. Other Witnesses.

No.

O. Date and Time of Receipt of Report

0900(L) 8/7/88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 061140Z JUL 06

FROM R61 REGI DIVISION
TO HOPUR AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
A. 052016L JUL, 5 MINUTES

B. ONE LARGE SIGAR SHAPED OBJECT, LIGHT SILVER IN COLOUR WITH SMOKE
COMING FROM REAR PORTION

C. INCOCS LOOKING THROUGH LARGE PICTURE WINDOW, FACING SOUTH,
OVERLOOKING INL GLA

D. BAREE EYE

E. SOUTH

F. COULD NOT HOBBLE

G. W/TC 3 KILLE

H. STRECH LABS TO WEST

I. BAREE STRECH

K. ALL

L. BRISBANE POLICE

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H. COVER

G. CERTAIN STUNTS, VICTOR

F. 061131Z JUL

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RAF GAI J 5001

FROM: ... RAF WITTERING

Reference:

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TO: MOD SEC(AS)2B
ROOM **Section 40**
MAIN BUILDING
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1. Details of complainant

- a. Name Section 40
- b. Address [Redacted]
- c. Nearest large town PETERBOROUGH
- d. Telephone No _____

2. Details of Incident

- a. Date 2 JUL 88
- b. Time (Local or GMT) 0130Z
- c. No of Ac involved ONE UFO
- d. Height N 50'
- e. Direction HOVERING

3. Details of aircraft (Tick as appropriate)

Jet ac	Propellor ac	Military ac	Civil ac	Fighter
Bomber	Helicopter	Light ac	Other Markings ✓	Camouflaged
Silver ✓	Red and White	Other colours/		
		Special markings		
		(specify)		

UFO - VERY LARGE, ROUND, WHITE AND SILVER WITH PULSATING LIGHTS

4. Location of Complaint - LFA 6 AVOIDANCE AREA YES

- a. Address as 1b above ✓
- or
- b. _____

5. Claims (do not prompt complainant. Is there any injury to persons and/or livestock or damage to property which will result in a claim? If so is complainant owner of the property? (Details)

NO INJURY OR DAMAGE CAUSED - JUST FRIGHT.

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6. Full details of complaint It was the niece of the complainant that
first saw the UFO hovering above trees a short distance away. The complainant
was only sorry that he didn't fetch his camera to record the event.

7. Date and time report received 0900Z 02 JUL 88

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Signature _____

Name: _____

Date: 2 JUL 88

Rank: FG OFF

Tel No: _____

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Aeronautical Information Section [Military]
London Air Traffic Control Centre
Royal Air Force West Drayton
Porters Way
West Drayton
Middx UB7 9AU

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Tel:

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING SATURDAY 2 JULY 88 AT 2320. LASTED FOR 2 TO 3 MINUTES. 250
(Local times to be used)

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT A single large bright yellow/orange object was seen falling straight down, becoming very bright as it exploded, after which it faded in colour and intensity, trailing smoke and appearing to spin. No sound or smell ~~was~~ was reported
Number
Size
Shape
Colours
Brightness
Sound
Smell

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER 1/2 mile from the RAF DISFORTH camp on Geographical location the BEROUNG BRIDGE to DISFORTH Road. The Indoors/Outdoors
Stationary/Moving observer was in a car slowing down for a junction. He stopped the car and got out for a better look.

D. HOW OBSERVED
Naked eye It was seen through the naked eye, but later with Binoculars binoculars after he stopped.
Other optical device
Still or cine camera

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN Falling straight down in the (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) vicinity of the RAF ~~beaming~~ overhead. He estimated

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) its height to be approx 10000 feet seen at an angle of 45°

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) He estimated the distance at 8 to 10 miles but wasn't sure

H. MOVEMENT
Steady The movement was straight down, spinning after Changing
Erratic it exploded.

J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION
Moving clouds Met conditions had a few clbs in the area
Haze but the sky was clear with no haze or mist.
Windy THERE WAS A LIGHTNING RISK 2 OR 3 TIMES PERIOD.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC It appeared to fall behind Disforth buildings and was lost from sight.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED
Police
Military Organisation Initially reported to the SDO RAF HARRINGTON who informed the police a PC [Section 40] TO [Section 40]
The Press HE THEN INFORMED ME AND I PHONED THE VIEWER

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT [Section 40]

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED HELPERBY, N. YORKS
[Section 40]

O. OTHER WITNESSES THE WINDS SEEMED VERY RELIANT, and gave a clear and detailed description of events. There were no other witnesses.

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT SATURDAY 2 JULY 88 2358 Local.

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	012330A JUL 88 30 Secs
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One object, golf ball shape, very bright white light
	Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Stationary inside house
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	West over Blackheath
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Not known
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Not known
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Moving West to East, going towards Estuary
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Dry and clear
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

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M. Name & Address of Informant

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Blackheath
SE3

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

None

O. Other Witnesses

None

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

012255Z JUL 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

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Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 2 Jul 88

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Telephone Doncaster **Section 40**

MOD D/SEC/AS2(Air)
Main Building
Whitehall
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SW1

Your reference

Our reference FIN/2286/Org

Date 28 Jun 88

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT (UFO) - 24 JUN 88

1. The enclosed report refers to the sighting by **Section 40** of a UFO on 24 Jun 88 to RAF Finningley.
2. We have replied to **Section 40** report.

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Enclosure:

1. UFO Report - **Section 40**.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 12.40am 24/6/88 6mins
- B. Description of Object. QUADRANT SHAPED OBJECT.
- C. Exact Position Observer. NORTH WESTERN SKY.
- D. How Observed. NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen. STATIC.
- F. Angle of Sight. TURNED ON SIDE AND DISAPPEARED
- G. Distance. NO IDEA.
- H. Movements. AS FOR 'F'
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation. FINE AND CLEAR.
- K. Nearby objects. NOTHING
- L. To whom reported. ROTHERHAM POLICE
- M. Name and Address of informant.
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- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
- O. Other witnesses. NONE.
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 0056 24/6/88 (TO ROTHERHAM P.O.)
TOUS. (14.50 24/6/88).
- Q. Is a reply requested. NONE.

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Signed

Name

Rank

Tel No

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Date

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 230640Z JUN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 0055-0120

B. VERY BRIGHT, SMALL OVAL SHAPED RED LIGHT WITH FLASHING GREEN BLUE
ORANGE AND WHITE LIGHTS

C. HOME ADDRESS

D. BINOCULARS

E. WEST

F. 5-7 MILES HIGH.

H. SLOWLY MOVED FROM SIDE TO SIDE

J. CLEAR

K. NONE

L. DORSET POLICE. Section 40

M. Section 40 NR BRIDPORT Section 40

N. N/A

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	221130A JUN 88 4-5 Mins
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Shaped like an air bed
	Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outside-standing still
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye - no glasses
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Drifting West over Milton Keynes
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Not Known
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Looked about 1 mile away
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Just floating Westward
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Cloudly sky
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

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M. Name & Address of Informant

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N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

O. Other Witnesses

None

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

261145Z JUN 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

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Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 26 Jun 88

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT (RECEIVED AT RAF COTTESMORE)

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING:

(Local time to be used) 20 June / 2211A / Duration not known.

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B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT:

Number: ONE

Size: N/K

Shape: CIRCULAR

Colours: BLUE TONE LIGHT COMING FROM CENTRE - APPEARED TO BE

Brightness: A JET LIKE VAPOUR

Sound: SILENT

Smell: N/K - (did not say)

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER:

Geographical Location:

Indoors/Outdoors
Stationary/Moving

travelling from the village of
STOUGHTON downhill towards
GARTREE RD., DADSBY.

D. HOW OBSERVED:

Naked Eye: - Yes

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN:

Coming up out of a field

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT:

N/K

G. DISTANCE:

N/K

H. MOVEMENT:

Rising

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS:

Overcast

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS:

no

L. TO WHOM REPORTED:

Leicestershire Force Ops Room (Police) via
a 999 call.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT:

Remain's 'Anon' - see N

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N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED:

Reporter - had been at a Pub. wishes to remain anon as his wife is on holiday and she would not approve of him being out so late drinking.

O. OTHER WITNESSES.

N/K

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT:

Received by Leicester force Ops Room at 2211A 20 Jun 88

Reported by Sgt Section 40
Leicestershire Police

Section 40

at 1044 A 21 June 88

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To be sent to:

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Room 8247
Ministry of Defence
Main Building
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting.
00 15 SUNDAY 19 JUNE 88
- B. Description of Object.
DIAMOND SHAPE & LIGHTS. SILENT. APPROX 40 FEET OFF THE GROUND
- C. Exact Position Observer.
IN OWN HOUSE
- D. How Observed.
NORMAL SIGHT
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
LOOKING TOWARDS WEST (GOOSEBURY AREA OF ROTHERHAM)
- F. Angle of Sight.
N/K
- G. Distance.
CLOSE
- H. Movements.
TRAVELLING EAST TOWARDS DONCASTER
- I. Metereological conditions during observation.
N/K
- J. Nearby objects.
N/K
- K. To whom reported.
ROTHERHAM POLICE (THEY CONFIRMED THAT THEY HAD BEEN CONTACTED AND CHECKED TELEPHONE NUMBER OK.)
- L. Name and Address of Informant.
Section 40
- M. Any background on the Informant that may be volunteered.
HAS PHONED ON PREVIOUS OCCASION (APPROX 5 MONTHS AGO) ABOUT A SIMILAR SIGHTING. ALSO CONTACTED ROTHERHAM UFO SOCIETY.
- N. Other witnesses.
WIFE OF INFORMANT
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
00:25 SUNDAY 19 JUNE 88
- Q. Is a reply requested.
No.

Signed

Section 40

Name

Rank

CL

Tel No

Section 40

Date 19 JUNE 88

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REPORT OF A SUSPECTED BOMBING OFFENSE

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF BOMBING
(Local time to be used)
19 JUN 0740 3 MINS

B. DESCRIPTION OF OFFENSE
Number 1
Type CRACK AND ROUNDS
Location KATCC GUY TOWN (NAME AIRCRAFT THE CRACK)
All

C. LOCATION OF BOMBING
KATCC GUY TOWN (NAME AIRCRAFT THE CRACK)
All

D. WEATHER
Clear
Temperature
Wind direction
Wind speed

E. DIRECTION OF WIND (If wind is from a variable direction, specify the direction which may be more useful than a variable direction.)
WINDY WEST TO EAST

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (If direction of sight is variable, specify the angle of sight.)
20 DEG TO RIGHT

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible)
OF PERPENDICULAR

H. HEIGHT
2 MILES HIGH 2 TO 3 THOUSAND FT

I. SMOKE
Steady STERDY AND SMOKE
Thick
Explosive

J. AIR CLOUDS/WEATHER OBSERVATION
Moving clouds CLEAR
Haze
Mist

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K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC TV MAST

L. TO WHOM REPORTED
Police KATCC CIVIL
Military Organisation
The Press

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT [Redacted] SHEEN SWIG

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

O. OTHER WITNESSES [Redacted] SISTER SAME ADDRESS

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT
19 JUNE 0750.

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REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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- A DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING 182115
(Local times to be quoted) less than one second
- B DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT white curved object
(Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc)
- C EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER Inside Section 40
(Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationery or moving) Broomfield
- D HOW OBSERVED Naked eye
(Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera)
- E DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN South easterly about 1000
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) mostly clear towards horizon
- F ANGULAR ELEVATION OF OBJECT Near horizon
(Estimated heights are unreliable)
- G DISTANCE OF OBJECT FROM OBSERVER Near horizon
(By reference to a known landmark wherever possible)
- H MOVEMENTS OF OBJECT Slightly curved
(Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)
- J METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS Clear
(Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc)
- K NEARBY OBJECTS None
(Telephone or high-voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting)
- L TO WHOM REPORTED Business partner
(Police, military organisations, the press, etc)
- M NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Section 40 address withheld
- N ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE INFORMANT None
THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED CV available
- O OTHER WITNESSES None
- P DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT 2138 18/6/88

Details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC Extn Section 40
 Completed report is to be sent to the Ministry of Defence (AFOR) - RAF Main Bldg
 22 JUN 1988 Whitehall, London SW1 14.4.87

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 22 JUN 1988

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used)

18 Jun 2032

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number
Size Small
Shape Triangular shaped with no wings.
Colours Blackish.
Brightness Very bright.
Sound No sound
Smell No smell

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

Geographical location on the Uxbridge Road moving towards Hayes.
Indoors/Outdoors outdoors
Stationary/Moving moving slowly

D. HOW OBSERVED

Naked eye Yes
Binoculars }
Other optical device } no
Still or cine camera }

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN observed from left to right in the direction of Hayes
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) about 20° above the horizon

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) At least 2 miles away.

H. MOVEMENT.

Steady }
Changing } Dead straight left to right.
Erratic }

J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds }
Haze } No cloud good vis.
Mist }

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

Domestic dwellings either side of road.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police }
Military Organisation } Only to AIS (D.O)
The Press }

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40 [Redacted] HAYES, MIDDX.

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

(Tele No Section 40 [Redacted])

O. OTHER WITNESSES

NONE

P. - DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

18 Jun 2032

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used)

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number
 Size Small - like a large fireworks rocket from a tall building
 Shape *teardrop shaped*
 Colours *greyish*
 Brightness *very bright*
 Sound *none*
 Smell *none*

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

Geographical location *Weymouth, Dorset*
 Indoors/Outdoors *outdoors*
 Stationary/Moving *stationary*

D. HOW OBSERVED

Naked eye
~~Binoculars~~
~~Other optical device~~
~~Still or cine camera~~

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN *from West Kensington to Weymouth*
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) *low*

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) *not very far*

H. MOVEMENT

Steady
 Changing
 Erratic

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J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds *Little cloud with good view*
~~Haze~~
~~Mist~~

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC *Weymouth power plant*

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police
 Military Organisation *Dorset to AFB*
 The Press

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED Section 40

O. OTHER WITNESSES *Informant familiar Heathrow airfields and helicopter flight paths object appeared to be below where he would expect to see them. No other witnesses.*

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

18 Jun. 2025Z

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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	182107A JUN 88 2 Secs
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Ball with fiery tail very bright
	Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Section 40 Danbury Outside - standing still
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye - no glasses
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Towards Malden area
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	45 upwards
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Looked ABOUT 3-4 miles
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	very quickly from left to right
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Cloudless sky - good visibility
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Police and AFOPs

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Married Lady

O. Other Witnesses

Section 40

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

182045Z JUN 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

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Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 19 Jun 88

Distribution:

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	182110A JUN 88 Seconds
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B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Large Silver ball leaving a vapour trail
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	Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors, walking
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D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
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E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Roughly N - S headings
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F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	N/K standing roughly W
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G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	reasonably low
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H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	travelling at very high speed
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J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear and bright
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K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Sighted over open field Trees and power lines visible
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L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Hemel Hempstead Police who reported it to AFOPs

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Hemel Hempstead

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Well spoken Gentleman who was out walking his dog

O. Other Witnesses

NIL

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

182017Z JUN 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

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to hall
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Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 19 Jun 88

Distribution:

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REPORT OF AN IMMEDIATELY FLYING OBJECT

DATE, TIME, LOCATION OF SIGHTING
Local time 0100Z

18 June, 1963, 30 sec ± 237
1-1/2 mins

APPROXIMATE OBJECT

1
white
no
no
white
bright reflecting sun, in
no

APPROXIMATE POSITION

3 1/2 miles west of ... of 27.2 ...
in back garden
situation almost ...
facing it.

APPROXIMATE BEARING

NNE heading SSW

(This bearing is more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

HEAVENLY COORDINATES (Estimated but are unreliable) 80 from horizontal

DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) 100 miles!!

CHARACTER

Steady Slow + Steady, Covered an arc of 40°

HEAVEN CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Clear blue sky, 5/8 cumulus around

NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

nil

TO WHOM REPORTED

Police
Military Organisation
The Press

D + D Direct

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23 June 1963
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NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

P.T.O.

OTHER WITNESSES

DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT 1900(4)

REPORT OF AN IMMEDIATELY RECEIVED REPORT

NAME, TITLE, DIVISION OF REPORTER
(PRINT NAME OF THE REPORTER)

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DATE AND TIME OF REPORT

1
1/4"
of length to eyes recognize shape
bright blue
conspicuously bright

no
Farmyard measure sheep or cows.

Highgate Hill going towards Holmsey Rd.
(bleeding, South) N 7

LOCATION OF INCIDENT

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

CHARACTER OF INCIDENT

REPORT MADE AT

REPORT MADE BY

NAME AND ADDRESS OF WITNESS

left to right (SW!)

(bearing more exact than a roughly estimated bearing)

WITNESS (if reported not to be available). Started in center of
windscreen at top, heading to right, going away. Librally
by reference to a known landmark if possible) - disappeared

make bright +

WITNESS

WITNESS

WITNESS

NAME AND ADDRESS OF WITNESS

deep blue sky, broad daylight

NAME AND ADDRESS OF WITNESS

nil

NAME AND ADDRESS OF WITNESS

Police ✓
Military Organisation No
Fire Dept No

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40
LONDON NI

ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

builder DON'T DRINK, Section 40 old. 2 children

OTHER WITNESSES

Wife + child, 2 cars in front (must have seen it)

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• appeared spherical or disc shaped.

Ex. Grand ^{Safety} operations officer at
Heathrow. 2 yrs ago.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used) 18. 2025 (L) 3500s Max.
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT
 Number 1 initially ^{seen} by husband. followed 1-2 secs another object
 Size large appeared like aeroplane (over large) 747
 Shape C-99 orange/red markings plus plume
 Colours dark grey light emanating from windows
 Brightness green/whitely flashing light at either end like welders
 Sound No. dark torch light
 Smell No. Moving immensely quickly
- C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER
 Geographical location Settling at home, in lounge, with curtains
 Indoors/Outdoors open
 Stationary/Moving
- D. HOW OBSERVED
 Naked eye
 Binoculars
 Other optical device
 Still or cine camera
- E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN towards Bangalore. Heading South E
 (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)
- F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) from behind straight ahead
- G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) overhead top 1/2 mile. appeared possibly to be descending.
- H. MOVEMENT.
 Steady
 Changing
 Erratic
- J. MET CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION
 Moving clouds Clear blue sky.
 Haze
 Mist
- K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC Trees in way. disappeared behind trees.
- L. TO WHOM REPORTED
 Police To Godalming Police.
 Military Organisation No
 The Press Daily Telegraph / who did not appear too interested.
- M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT [Redacted] Section 40
- N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED Godalming Surrey
- O. OTHER WITNESSES Husband [Redacted] Section 40
- P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT [Redacted] Section 40

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING

18 June 2015 2-3 hrs

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

- Number 1
- Size
- Shape
- Colours
- Brightness
- Sound
- Smell

Small ball shaped object with bright yellow tail

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

- Geographical location
- Indoors/Outdoors
- Stationary/moving

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BIRMINGHAM

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D. HOW OBSERVED

- Naked eye
- Binoculars
- Other optical device
- Still or cine camera

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

NORTH EAST OF HA

(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) VERY LOW IN SKY

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible)

H. MOVEMENT

- Steady
- Changing
- Erratic

FAIRLY UDESCENT

J. HEAVY CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

- Moving clouds CLEAR CLOUDLESS SKY
- Haze
- Mist ALMOST GETTING DARK

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

- Police
- Military Organisation
- The Press

Chelmsford

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M. NAME AND ADDRESS OR INFORMAT

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N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

O. OTHER WITNESSES

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FROM

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P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

18 2147h

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	182110A JUN 88 3 Secs
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B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Large round object with Brilliant Ice Blue light and Green to White tail
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	Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors
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D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
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E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Roughly N - S headings in Direction of Bromley
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F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	30° from Horizon
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G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	10-15 miles
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H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	travelling very fast with slight downward direction -disappeared from sight over horizon
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J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear and bright
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K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Sighted over a built-up area.
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L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

AFOPS

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Upper Norwood
SE19

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N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

NIL

O. Other Witnesses

Neighbours and son

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFDR)

182051Z JUN 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

Section 40

on behalf
Section 40

~~K HENDERSON~~

Sqn Ldr

Duty Ops Officer

AF Ops

Date: 19 Jun 88

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED WITNESS ON A

DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING: 1st September 1956 2100-2130, 1 sec. Max.
(Local times to be used)

DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number 1
Type BUS (Double decker)
Shape Bullet with a tail
Color Blue orange with. All side windows covered with object
Light very bright (beautiful to look at)
Sound No
Height 1000 ft approx with very sulphurous pungent smell

PLACE WHERE SEEN

Front garden of own house

REPORT MADE AT

[Signature]

DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS SEEN

From NW towards Chelham

ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated bearings are unreliable)

Head across sky

DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible)

No

MOVEMENT

Steady Initially steady, ~~steady~~ then stopped, rocked slightly left (floated) slightly down words, shot up vertically (without acceleration) total

WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds None clear evening
None
None

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NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

Nil

TO WHOM REPORTED

Police Rochford airport who told civil.
Military Organisation
The Press

NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

[Redacted] Rochford Det *[Redacted]*

ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

OTHER WITNESSES

Next door neighbours. *[Redacted]* don't know Sir name

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used)

1 minute - 2 mins after after the first one about 2 secs long.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number
Size
Shape
Colours
Brightness
Sound
Smell

Everything same as first.
except no tail

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

Geographical location
Indoors/Outdoors
Stationary/Moving

D. HOW OBSERVED

Naked eye
Binoculars
Other optical device
Still or cine camera

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable)

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible)

H. MOVEMENT

Steady
Changing
Erratic

J. MET CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds
Haze
Mist

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police
Military Organisation
The Press

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OR INFORMANT

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

O. OTHER WITNESSES

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

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Operations Wing Headquarters
Royal Air Force Coltishall
Norwich
Norfolk
NR10 5AF

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Ref: Colt/31/5/Air

MCD (attn: DS SA)
Main Building
Whitehall
SW1A 2HB

15 Jun 88

REPORT OF AN INVESTIGATED PHYSICAL CASE

Enclosed please find a UFO report recieved at RAF
Coltishall on 13 June 88 from Section 40.

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Op1 (W)
for CC

Enclosure:

1. UFO report

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. (Local times to be quoted).

13 JUN 88, 1300 - 1320.

B. Description of Object. (Number of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell, etc).

ONE OBJECT, SMALL, SILVER, SOUNDED LIKE A JET ENGINE,

C. Exact Position Observer. (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors, Stationary or moving).

OVER NURSICH, OUTSIDE, STATIONARY.

D. How Observed. (Naked eye, Binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).

BYE.

E. Direction in which Object was first seen. (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).

OVERHEAD

F. Angle of Alt. (Estimated heights are unreliable).

OVERHEAD

G. Distance. (If reference to a known landmark wherever possible).

NOT KNOWN.

H. Movements. (Changes in 1, 2 and 3 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).

NONE

I. Meteorological Conditions during Observation. (Overcast, clouds, haze, mist etc).

EXCELLENT CLEAR SKY.

J. Nearby Objects. (Telephone lines; High voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; tall chimneys, steeples; spires TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting).

BUILDINGS

K. To Whom Reported. (Police, Military organisations, the Press etc).

RAF COLTSHALL
CPL Section 40
NCO IC WG OPERATIONS EXT 419.

L. Name and Address of Informant.

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M. Any background on the Informant that may be volunteered.

WORKS IN NORWICH.

N. Other Witnesses.

3 PEOPLE

O. Date and Time of receipt of report.

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P. Is a reply requested.

NO

File all PSE

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, time and duration of sighting (Local times to be quoted)

14 Jun 88 0210G 5 minutes

B. Description of object (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc). LARGO WHITE OVAL LIGHT WITH 7-12 OTHER LIGHTS. THE MAIN LIGHT WAS VERY BRIGHT OTHERS SLIGHTLY DIMMER. NO SOUND AT FIRST BUT THEN A DISTINCTIVE BUT LOW RUMBLING NOISE. NO SMELL

C. Exact position observer (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving). LIANTWIT MAJOR SS 979658^N SCHOOL PLAYING FIELDS OUTDOORS IN MOVING VEHICLE

D. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera). NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which object was first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing). NORTH, BEHIND SCHOOL PLAYING FIELDS

F. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable). 15°

G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible). NO MORE THAN 150m FROM OBSERVER

H. Movements (Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed). FIRST SEEN AT LEFT HAND END OF BACK OF 4 DETACHED HOUSES (SOUTH EAST) TO THE GAP BETWEEN THE WEST 2 HOUSES THEN TO OTHER GAPS EACH TIME STATIONARILY FOR APPROX 20 SECS THE OBSERVER ALLOWED VEHICLE TO GOST BACKWARDS FOLLOWING OBJECT.

J. Meteorological conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc). PATCHY HIGH CLOUD.

K. Nearby objects (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or other night lighting). RAF ST ATHAN APPROX 2 KM ESE - AIRFIELD CLOSED CARDIFF WALES AIRPORT APPROX 8 KM ESE

L. To whom reported (Police, military organisations, the press etc). OCGD FLT, RAF ST ATHAN, BY TELEPHONE, 1345 HRS 14 JUN

M. Name and address of informant. Section 40

N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. Section 40 YR OLD, LIVED AT PRESENT ADDRESS FOR 7 1/2 YRS OF RAF FAMILY FATHER Served IN RAF FOR 38 YRS.

O. Other witnesses. NIL

P. Date and time of receipt of report 1345 14 JUN 88

Q. Is a reply requested?

YES, INFORMANT IS PREPARED TO ANSWER

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OBSERVER STOPPED CAR ABENTLY AND WATCHED FOR 20 SECONDS. LIGHT THEN MOVED V. RAPIDLY RIGHT

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FROM: RAF MAFSAB
TO: HQBR 411

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RE: [Section 40] [Section 40]

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NO RPT

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TO: HQBR 411

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ROUTINE 061100Z JUN 88

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FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 041230L 5 MINS
- B. ONE DARK OVAL OBJECT SURROUNDED BY A RING OF LIGHT
- C. GARDEN OF HOME ADDRESS
- D. VIDEO CAMERA
- E. ABOVE THE THAMES
- F. 1500FT
- H. STEADY DISAPPEARED INTO CLOUD
- J. OVERCAST
- K. THAMES
- L. ALISON
- O. SON AND WIFE

M. **Section 40** [REDACTED] ABINGDON MARINA OXON. **Section 40**
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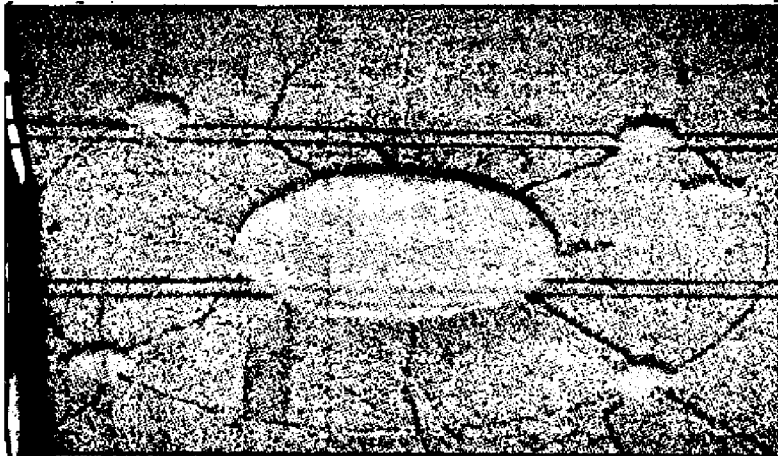
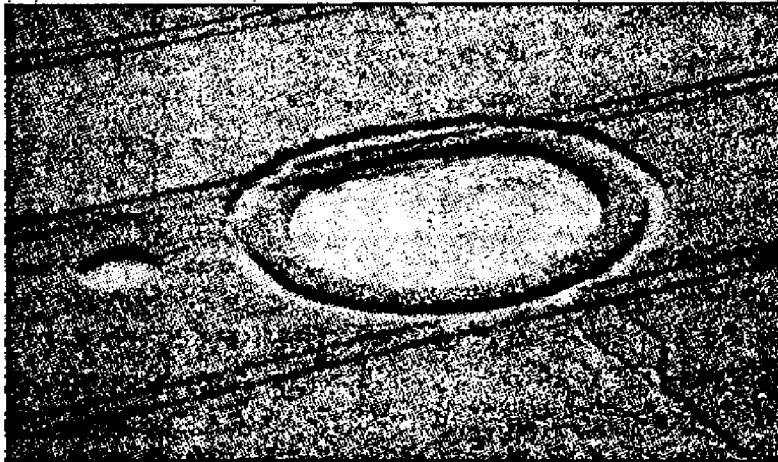
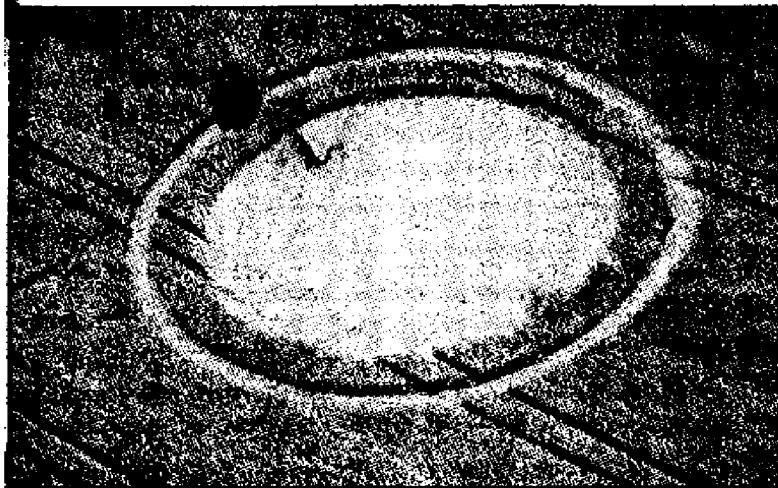
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Seen from the air: Puzzle patterns in three cornfields.

Secret of the crop circles

SCIENTISTS believe they have uncovered the secret of crop circles — mysterious rings of flattened grass or wheat that have been linked with flying saucers, ghosts and other supernatural phenomena.

After carrying out a national survey of the circles, Dr Terence Meaden, a British tornado expert, has discovered they are caused by rare meteorological events called stationary whirlwinds.

More than 50 crop circles are reported every year, and share some remarkable properties. They consist of flattened circles of vegetation (occasionally snow) with diameters ranging from 10 to 100 feet. Some even have second, outer rings of crushed crops outside the main circles.

There are no tracks leading up to them, while the crops within are flattened in spirals that emanate outward.

These startling features have led to endless speculation about possible causes. Some people claim they are the landing marks of flying saucers, while others have blamed deliberate hoaxes, downthrusts from helicopter blades, rutting deer or even hordes of rampant hedgehogs.

'Crop circles look artificial,' said Dr Meaden. 'They have a symmetry and a neatness which make it difficult not to believe some form of intelligence is behind them. However, I am afraid the cause comes from inner — not outer — space.'

Dr Meaden, who works for the Tornado and Storm Research Organisation based at Bradford upon Avon, has surveyed 150 crop circles reported over the past eight years — and is now convinced that freak weather is the cause. He pres-

ROBIN McKIE explains how scientists cleared 'spacemen' of causing a farmland mystery.

ented details of his findings at a meteorology conference at Oxford yesterday.

Most crop circles are found near hills and Dr Meaden believes these are crucial to their formation. 'Wind usually blows round both sides of a hill and merges smoothly round the other side,' he said.

'However, sometimes there is a sudden gust on one side but not the other which creates vortices or sudden whirlwinds. These sink to the ground and flatten crops in a spiral. However, they only last for a few seconds which is why they only do relatively little damage.

'They are a bit like the whirlpools you briefly get in rivers when water flows past a bridge or pier.'

He admitted that he could not account for some of the more bizarre, geometric patterns of circles that occasionally occur. 'They are more difficult to explain. I think we will need a bit more help from theoretical physicists to understand them.'

Last year, Dr Meaden investigated more than 60 crop circles round Britain, but there are probably hundreds of stationary whirlwinds each year. Only those in June, July, and August — when there are crops on the ground — have their imprints preserved for posterity and investigation by scientists. Others in winter fall on barren ground and go unnoticed.

including at least two rare white-tailed sea eagles, are feared to have been killed by the illegal use of poison bait in Scotland.

Official Government figures in the possession of *The Observer* show that, since 1975, 427 birds — including 152 birds of prey — have been confirmed as poison victims. The true figure is believed to be many times higher. At least 26 golden eagles, which are a protected species, are known to have been killed by poison, two of them last weekend on the Hebridean island of Islay.

The poisoning of the two sea eagles has generated particular outrage. The species was extinct in Britain and has only been reintroduced in the last few years as a result of a project by the Nature Conservancy Council estimated to have cost £750,000. A Council official described the deaths last week as 'appalling'.

Now a competition is being organised on Islay to encourage gamekeepers to kill hooded crows — regarded as pests because they eat the eggs of game birds. Although the killing of crows is entirely legal, environmentalists have

almost certain to lead to the increased use of illegal poison bait.

Mr David Stroud of the Nature Conservancy Council's Chief Scientist's Directorate in Peterborough, who lived on Islay for five years, said: 'Clearly the risk is that, if you are doing that, you could encourage all sorts of things. If you are just having a beak count at the end of the year, there is no evidence of how the birds met their end.'

Gamekeepers on the island were reluctant last week to discuss the contest, and some denied it even existed. But a document seen by *The Observer*, on the headed notepaper of Islay Estates and headed 'Hooded crow destruction

Miss Mary Morrison, sister of Energy Minister Mr Peter Morrison and Conservative MP Mr Charles Morrison — the owners of the estate — will provide prize money totalling £370 to the contest's winners.

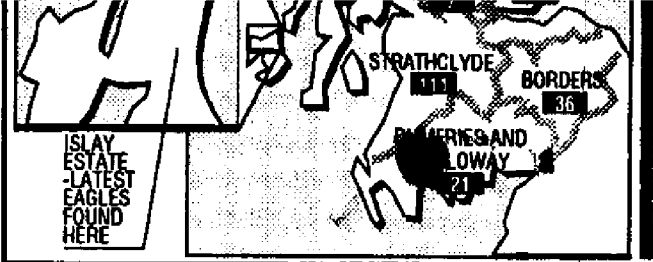
Entrants must have killed at least 100 hooded crows between August last year and August this year and provide the dead birds' beaks for counting at the Islay Estates office. The document ends: 'David Boyd at Islay Estates office will answer any queries you may have.'

But Mr Boyd, factor (manager) of the Islay estate and a local magistrate, denied all knowledge of the competition when we approached him last week. He also refused to

MURDO MACLEOD



Head keeper Brian Wiles: 'Get off the estate.'



Unfair game: Details of what has died in Scotland

comment on the finding of the two poisoned golden eagles on the estate last weekend but suggested that someone could be trying 'to fit someone up'.

'I don't think the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds would get involved in framing someone, but there are more extreme elements involved in conservation who might feel inclined so to do,' he said.

Other keepers were equally reluctant to discuss the matter. Mr Brian Wiles, the head keeper, would only say: 'Get off the estate. I have nothing to say.'

Mr John Law, a keeper who lives in Balaclaven to the south of Margadale Hill, where the eagles' carcasses were found, suggested the bait could have been left by an 'amateur taxidermist'. He insisted he used only approved traps to catch hooded crows.

Among the rare birds known to have died as a result of the use of poison bait in Scotland are two goshawks, a hen harrier, a marsh harrier and a falcon.

Friends of the Earth Scotland, which has also acquired the Government figures on poison deaths, warned that some of the baits used, such as Phosco-drin, could be lethal for ma-

Good sn

CALLING all dormice... It's so come out now, and that's official.

Furry-footed in their grassy the ever-snoozing rodents have joined the ranks of Britain's endangered species. And it all happened they were asleep, writes John Me

The Department of the Environment announcement, just made up the Wildlife and Countryside coincides with the end of the big sleep — a that's lasted since September.

The bug-eyed creatures, wait until dusk before they ve

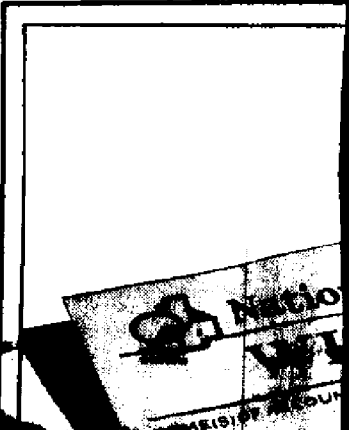
Hidden Britain that the map makers ignore

A RAILWAY which crosses one of Britain's busiest motorways is not on Ordnance Survey maps — because it is a secret. The mysterious line, which is clearly visible from the M5 south of Bristol,

by MARTIN BAILEY



what to exclude from its maps. 'We take guidance from land owners, and in the case of military establishments and prisons we only show as much as they want,' Mr Weston explains.



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ROUTINE/RUBTINS 002230Z JUN 68

FROM RAF HEATHROW
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- REPORT AN INCIDENT OF 01 100
- A. APPROX BETWEEN 2115 0012 LOCAL 4 JUL 68
- B. LARGE BLUE BANG 7 FEETLES FROM CONCRETE W/ 3 DR 3 HURT AND
- YELLOW SMOKE, NO AMBULANCE SOUND
- C. ON BICYCLE HEAR MACHINERY FOR TOWN
- D. HEARD 5-1
- E. NOT KNOWN
- F. 12 DEGREE OF
- G. NOT KNOWN
- H. NO INCIDENT OR IDENTIFICATION OF EFFORT KNOWN
- I. VERY CLEAR EVIDENCE
- K. 001

PAGE 2 RAYONL 014 W E B T R I C T E R

- L. THIS STATION
- M. **Section 40**
- N. INFORMANT MEMBER OF 600
- O. 0015
- P. 002230Z JUN 68
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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS

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- A. Date, time and duration of sighting. (Local times to be quoted)
 6 JUNE 1988 2215
- B. Description of object. (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)
 ONE. 1. LIG. SPHERE. ORANGE. VARY.
 QUIET. - NO. SMELL
- C. Exact position observer. (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors stationary or moving)
 INSIDE LOUNGE AT AMPERS IN SGT. M
- D. How observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera)
 NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)
 SE OF HEACHAM
- F. Angle of sight. (Estimated heights are unreliable)
 20°
- G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible)
 50 YDS FROM HOUSE
- H. Movements. (Changes in E, F, and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)
 SOUTH TO ARMS. SWIFTLY - FAST
- J. Meteorological conditions during observations. (Moving cloud, haze, mist etc)
 SKY CLEAR + 10 KMS. VIS
- K. Nearby objects. (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, tv or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting)
 OVER THE TOP OF A BUNGALOW 50 YDS AWAY
- L. To whom reported. (Police, military organisations, the press etc)
 COC (CS) RAF. MARHAM ONLY.
- M. Name and address of informant.
 Section 40 [REDACTED] HEACHAM, NORFOLK
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
 NIL
- O. Other witnesses. (name and address)
 Section 40 [REDACTED] SAME AMPERS
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
 6 JUNE 23 22 (L) 1988

1. Reports received of unidentified flying objects are to be sent as quickly as possible to MOD (Air) using the above format.
2. Details for transmitting reports see Ops Order Book, Section C, Order No. 17.

Signal sent to MOD (AIR)

Photo copy of Report to S/Lt OAS.

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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE Sec.(A.S)12 14 JUN 1988

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT PROFORMA

FC (25) 10/7/88

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From: HQ Poss (v)

Reference:

1. Details of Complaint.

- a. Name: Section 40
- b. Address: Section 40

2. Sighting:

- a. Date/Time of Sighting and Duration: 00:15 approx 5/6/88
- b. Position of Observer: [redacted]
- c. How Observed: NAKED EYE
- d. Direction Object first Seen: NORTH EAST →
- e. Angle of Elevation: N/A
- f. Distance of Object from Observer: 500M approx
- g. Movement of Object: VERY SLOW
- h. Met Conditions: Clear High Cloud Base
- i. Nearby Objects: NIL
- k. To Whom Reported: SGT Section 40 FCF RAF RUOME MANE
- l. Other Witnesses: NIL
- n. Comments: Section 40 OBJECT SIZE OF MEDIUM PORTLAND, GLASSING BRIGHT THEN FADEING BEFORE GLOW. BRIGHT AGAIN STAFF VEHICLE PARKER WHO DID NOT SEE AN OBJECT

3. Date and Time Received: Section 40

Date: 3.6.88

RECEIVED BY
 SECTION 40
 - 8 JUN 1988
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Signed: [redacted]
 Name: JABO
 Rank: SGT

Tel No: Section 40

Please file

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CAV035 05/1357 15700600

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 051325Z JUN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 050010L JUN 88 MWS

B. TWO STAR SHAPED BRIGHT OBJECTS

C. Section 40 SALFORD

D. NAKED EYE

E. FW TO SE

F. DIRECTLY ABOVE

J. CLEAR

H

K. OPEN COUNTRYSIDE

L. SALFORD POLICE Section 40 SGT

Section 40

M. Section 40

N. GYPSY. NOT DRINKING

O. 15 RELATIONS

P. 050043L JUN 88

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CAS132 03/1251 15502223

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 031105Z JUN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 022140L JUN
- B. ONE LARGE ELLIPTICAL SHAPED OBJECT, BRIGHT WHITE AND GREY IN COLOUR
- C. LITTLE HULTON PARK, MANCHESTER
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. FROM THE NORTH ON A SW HEADING
- F. VERY HIGH
- H. VERY FAST
- J. CAVOK
- K. NONE
- L. MANCHESTER AIRPORT
- M. **Section 40**
- O. FOUR 022250L JUN 88

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ROUTINE 020730Z JUN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC 26F

SUBJECT. AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 020119 JUN

B. ONE LARGE TRIANGULAR FLYING OBJECT RED AND YELLOW LIGHTS
FLASHING DOWN EACH SIDE OF TRIANGLE

C. Section 40 [REDACTED] ST COLUMB NEWQUAY

D. NAKED EYE

E. WEST TO EAST

F. VERY LOW

G. OVERHEAD HIS HOUSE

H. NO INFO

J. CLOUD BASE 2000 FT

K. NO INFO

L. LAUNDESTON POLICE CONTROL ROOM TEL Section 40 [REDACTED] LOG NO 6

M. Section 40 [REDACTED]

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TEL Section 40 [REDACTED]

N. CHECKED THAT NO FLYING AT RAF ST MAWGAN

O. NIL

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RAF Kinloss

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ANNEX A TO
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	30 May 88 2345 hours No details of duration.
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Brilliant white light No definite shape due to intensity of light. No sound
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	No idea!
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Binoculars, eyes.
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	South west direction
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Below cloud level
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	No more than 4 miles away
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Flaw over Burdonnell. Travelling from SW → NE. Less than 100 knot speed.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear still night
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	NOT KNOWN

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Letter to RAF Kinloss and spoke to ATC Kinloss / last remarks
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 [Redacted] Rosshine
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	NOT KNOWN
O.	Other Witnesses	None
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	09 1400Z JUN 88
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	NONE
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	Not near Kinloss AFB. Second one seen in recent years.

Section 40
[Redacted]

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SAC (AS) 2A

Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date. 09 Jun 88

Copies to:
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by Jeli p3e

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 261010Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT. AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 232300L, 45 MINS
- B. BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT WITH A SERIES OF WHITE LIGHTS UNDERNEATH
- C. HOME ADDRESS
- D. BINOCULARS
- E. OVERHEAD WINSFORD
- F. 35 DEGREES
- G. SEE E
- H. MOVED STEADILY TOWARDS CREWE
- I. WHEN OBJECT WAS OVERHEAD CREWE LIGHT SWUNG IN A PENDILUM MOTION
- J. PATCHY CLOUDS
- L. RAF STAFFORD, CRO
- M. Section 40 [REDACTED] CREWE Section 40 [REDACTED]
- N. HUSBAND IS A MEMBER OF THE BRITISH UFO CLUB

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Section 40

National Air Traffic Services
Edinburgh Airport
Turnhouse Road
Edinburgh EH12 0AL
Telep [Section 40]
Telex [Section 40]



24 May 1988

MOD (AFO)
RAF Main Building
Whitehall
London SW1

Dear Sirs

UFO REPORT RECEIVED BY EDINBURGH AIRPORT ON 19 MAY 1988 at 1100HRS

- A 19 May 1988 at 0003.
- B Numbers of Bright Orange lights, maximum 3. Size and shape not given.
- C At home address.
- D Naked eye and binoculars.
- E South of observer, beyond Cramond Island but West of Ski Slopes.
- F Approximately 20 degrees but definitely above Pentland Hills.
- G Unable to estimate.
- H Movement was in vertical plane both ascending and descending with slight easterly drift.
- J Good visibility and no low cloud.

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K Objects were beyond south bank of River Forth,
therefore observer's view was over open water.

L 'Dunfermline Press' newspaper.

M Section 40 Dalgety Bay, Fife.

N Nothing given.

O Section 40 at same address.

P 19 May 1988 at 1100 hours.

In addition Edinburgh Airport ATC Watch log records that at 2300Z a Police Mobile patrol unit reported seeing 1 static white light and 4 occulting yellow lights in the sky in the vicinity of the Ski Slopes but above the Pentland Hills.

Section 40

General Manager-ATS

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CAS126 23/1807 14403521

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 231345Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 221230(A) MAY 88 FOR 2 MINS

B. SILVER SHINING BALL FLASHING YELLOW LIGHTS, NO SOUND

C. FROM CAR IN STREET

D. SOUTH TO NORTH

E. NAKED EYE

F. OVERHEAD VERY HIGH

G. NOT KNOWN

H. STEADY

J. CAVOK

K. N/A

L. TO LOCAL POLICE TO LUTON AIRPORT ATC

M. Section 40 LUTON

N. NO

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O. NONE

P. 221930 LOCAL

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AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL UNIT

FORM OF REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

NUMBER	REFERENCE
E	12/2/216

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

Local times to be quoted

22nd May
1230 - for 3 minutes as if
to be fixed in sky.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc.

5 bright points, shining, flashing up & down & lights as seen

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.

from car, parked on street

D. HOW OBSERVED

Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.

naked eye

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.

from S end of road, with road on either side

F. ANGULAR ELEVATION OF OBJECT

Estimated heights are unreliable.

very high

straight up in the sky, seemed

G. DISTANCE OF OBJECT FROM OBSERVER

By reference to a known landmark wherever possible. see above

H. MOVEMENT OF OBJECT

Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course

and speed. straight line about the same speed as a jet

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc. clear blue sky

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

Telephone or high-voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; chimneys; steeples; spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting. Nothing - observed over open fields

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police military organisations, the press, etc. Police

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40 [redacted]

Luton

N. ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

at night and no one been drinking

O. OTHER WITNESSES

none

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

22nd May 1930 local

Section 40 [redacted]

Air Traffic Control Officer

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FOR DAV

ROUTINE 211815Z MAY 82

FROM Rm 6101 DAVY 71
TO HQUS AF

U N C L A S S I F I E D
BTZ 267

SUBJECT: ACHLHLMHURHWA

- A. ELISASA MAY OF YR 1 TO 2 FINS
- B. ONE COMPLETELY BLACK CIGAR SHAPED OBJECT NO COLOUR, SOUND OR SMELL
- C. OUTDOORS STATIONARY NEAR CANYON CINEMA LONDON ROAD DROYTON
- D. BAKED EYE
- E. CLOSE TO HEAVY PLATE
- F. 75 DEGREES APPROX 200FT HIGH
- G. NONE GIVEN
- H. STATIONARY
- I. OVERCAST HEAVY RAINING
- K. BLOCK OF PLATE
- L. DROYTON POLICE STATION
- M. Section 40

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CAS079 19/1141 1400165Z

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 191035Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 190003L

B. 3 BRIGHT ORANGE LIGHTS

C. HOME ADDRESS

D. BINOCULARS

E. BEYOND CRAMMOND ISLAND AND WEST OF SKI SLOPES

F. ABOVE 20 DEGREES

H. STEADY ASCENT AND DESCENT

J. CAVOK

L. DUNFERMLINE NEWSPAPER

M. Section 40 BELLGETTY BAY, FIFE

N. NONE

O. WIFE

P. 191100L BY EDINBURGH ATC ALSO SEEN BY A MOBILE POLICE PATROL

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AT 182359L

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAV042 17/0826 13800866

FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 170800Z MAY 88

FROM RAF STAXTON WOLD
TO MODUK AIR
INFO UKRADC
HQ 11 GP

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. 162200Z MAY 88 PLUS OR MINUS 5 MINS
- B. ONE OBJECT, NO SIZE/SHAPE/COLOUR. 2 LIGHTS SEEN SEVERAL YARDS APART WITH SOUND SIMILAR TO A LARGE FAN
- C. FROM WINDOW OF HOUSE AT PARA M
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. TRAVELLING FROM SLEIGHTS TO PICKERING
- F. NOT KNOWN, ESTIMATED HEIGHT 3000 FT
- G. OVER VALLEY OPPOSITE HOUSE AT PARA M
- H. SLOW SPEED
- J. CAVOK
- K. NIL

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L. PC Section 40 WHITBY POLICE, WHO NOTIFIED THIS UNIT

M. Section 40

N. Section 40

O. NIL

P. NO

Q. 162258Z MAY 88

R. BY

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 CAB 1 Sec (AS) ACTION (CXJ 1 AFDD)
 CYD 1 DD GE/AEW
 CAV 1 DI 55
 CAV 2 DGSTI

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAV033 170650 1380603

FDR CAV

ROUTINE 170612Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 162130A MAY 88. 15 MINS

B. ONE, INDETERMINABLE, UMBRELLA SHAPED, YELLOW AND GREEN, QUITE BRIGHT, NIL, NIL

C. BACK GARDEN OF HOUSE, OUTDOORS, STATIONARY

D. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

E. NORTH WEST FROM LUDLOW

F. 30 TO 40 DEGREES

G. UNKNOWN

H. CHANGING

J. SKY CLEAR

K. HOUSES AND TREES

L. DANDD

M. Section 40 [REDACTED] LUDLOW

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N. NIL

O. Section 40 [REDACTED]

P. 162143A MAY 88

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CAV 1 DI 55

CAV 2 DGSTI

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CAS021 1770648 1380598

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 170610Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 162145A MAY 88 FOR 2 MINS

B. TWO FAN SHAPED OBJECTS WITH VERY BRIGHT GREEN, RED AND AMBER
COLOURS. LOW DRONING SOUND

C. OUTDOORS STATIONARY AT Section 40 BROMSGROVE

D. NAKED EYE

E. FROM BROMSGROVE TO KIDDERMINSTER

F. 45 DEGREES

G. NONE GIVEN

H. STEADY

J. SKY CLEAR

K. HOUSES TREES AND LAMPPOSTS

L. WEST MERCIA POLICE

M. Section 40

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N. NIL

O. Section 40

P. 162210A MAY 88

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DISTRIBUTION Z6F

F

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CYD 1 DD GE/AEW
CAV 1 DI SS
CAV 2 DGSTI

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

17 MAY 1988

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS

ROYAL AIR FORCE

A. Date, time and duration of sighting. (Local times to be quoted) 1055(L) FOR ONE MINUTE 16 MAY 1988

B. Description of object. (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness sound, smell etc) GROUND SHOCK. LARGE RUMBLE. ORANGE LIGHT EXPLODED INTO A FLARE

C. Exact position observer. (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving) IN GARDEN OUTSIDE

D. How observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera) NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) OVER WELLS GOING TOWARDS KINGS LYNN

F. Angle of sight. (Estimated heights are unreliable) UNKNOWN, BUT HIGH

G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible) UNKNOWN

H. Movements. (Changes in E, F, and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) UNKNOWN

J. Meteorological conditions during observations. (Moving cloud, haze, mist etc) CLEAR NIGHT

K. Nearby objects. (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, tv or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting) NONE

L. To whom reported. (Police, military organisations, the press etc) KINGS LYNN POLICE STN

M. Name and address of informant.

N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. LOUD RUMBLE BEFORE SIGHTING

O. Other witnesses. (name and address)

P. Date and time of receipt of report. 0910(L) 17 MAY 1988

1. Reports received of unidentified flying objects are to be sent as quickly as possible to MOD (Air) using the above format.

2. Details for transmitting reports see Ops Order Book, Section C, Order No. 17.

SIGHTED BY

ALSO

Section 40 [Redacted]

Section 40 [Redacted] of

SNETTERSHAM

SAME ADDRESS

WORK

K/L

Section 40 [Redacted]

REPORT FORM

12/2

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. 16/05/88 2150 10 MIN
- B. TRIANGULAR IN SHAPE. TWO OBJECTS IN FORMATION, WHITE LIGHT AT FRONT OF EACH ONE. THE TWO OTHER CORNERS OF THE OBJECTS WERE REDDISH ORANGE IN COLOUR.
- C. OUTDOORS Section 40 CANNOCK. STATIONARY.
- D. NAKED EYE.
- E. IN THE DIRECTION OF PENKRIDGE FROM POSITION OF THE OBSERVER
- F. 30°
- G. UNCERTAIN
- H. THE TWO OBJECTS MOVED IN FORMATION KEEPING SAME DISTANCE APART HEADING NORTH TOWARDS CANNOCK CHASE
- J. CLEAR, FINE AND DRY.
- K. HOUSING ESTATE

L. CANNOCK CHASE POLICE.

M. Section 40 AND HER TWO SONS Section 40 AND Section 40
Section 40

N. NONE.

O. Section 40 AND Section 40

P. 16/05/88 2325 UTC.

Q.

Copy sent to MAIS 17.00.25 £ date/time

from ATC Civil Watch Supervisor.

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REPORT FORM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. 16/05/88 2239 UTC. 12/2
- B. Two BRIGHT WHITE LIGHTS (LIKE VERY BRIGHT STARS). DESCENDED FROM ABOUT 1000 FEET TO GROUND LEVEL. THEN TURNED VERTICALLY AND LEFT AT FAST SPEED.
- C. TRAVELLING ON M6 WEST OF CANNOCK.
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. TRAVELLING FROM NORTH TO SOUTH TOWARDS CANNOCK.
- F. SEE B
- G. NOT KNOWN.
- H. SEE B.
- J. CLEAR - GOOD VISIBILITY
- K. NONE
- L. WEMBOURNE POLICE STATION, STAFFS.
- M. PC Section 40, PENKRIDGE POLICE STATION, STAFFS.
- N. NONE.
- O. Section 40
- P. 16/05/88 . 2345 UTC.
- Q.

Copy sent to MAIS 17.00.25Z date/time

from ATC Civil Watch Supervisor,

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAV084 16/1221 13701768

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 161100Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 150030L OVER 60 MINS
- B. RED AND GREEN FLASHING LIGHTS
- C. Section 40 LATCHFORD WARRINGTON
- D. BINOCULARS
- H. STATIONERY UNTIL DAYLIGHT
- L. POLICE
- M. PC Section 40, WARRINGTON POLICE STATION
- P. 151055Z MAY 88

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 CYD 1 DD GE/AEW
 CAV 1 DI 55
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CAS083 15/1710 13600713

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 150925Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

UNCLASSIFIED

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 150925L, 5 MINS
- B. TWO WHITE OPAQUE HEMISPHERES
- C. HOME ADDRESS
- D. BINOCULARS
- E. OVERHEAD CLAPHAM COMMON FLEW TOWARDS FOOTING BECK
- G. 1 MILE-4 MILE
- H. SLOWED DOWN AND SPEEDED UP AND THEN SPED OFF AT HIGH SPEED
- J. CAVOK
- K. PASSED OVERHEAD OUTBOUND 747 FROM HEATHROW (CHECKED WITH ATC AND NOTHING WAS SEEN)
- L. DIRECT TO AIS(H) LATCC
- M. Section 40
- N. N/A

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P. 150955Z MAY 88

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 131330A-1430A May88
3 Mins

B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) Front end of a fly with 2 eyes (Glass) Black

Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving 16 Floors Up in Portland House Victoria Facing Big Ben

D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked Eye

E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) Towards Big Ben coming towards.

F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) Straight ahead

G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) Not Known

H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) Coming towards straight and level, past building - disappeared

J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) Grey and Hazy

K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting) Nil

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

AFOPS

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Works for American Airlines

O. Other Witnesses

Section 40 - same office

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFDR)

141710A May 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Looked like an enormous
insect, no wings - no means
of visible support. Had
legs which moved

Section 40

Date: 15 May 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

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DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1



WEST
YORKSHIRE
POLICE

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Your Ref:

ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
P.O. BOX 9, WAKEFIELD, WEL 30P

Our Ref: A21/GSGK/SAW/
BP

Telephone: Wakefield Section 40 Extension Section 40

12 May 1988

Dear Sir

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Enclosed for your information are copy statements of an incident which occurred in the Huddersfield Sub-Division of this Force on 21 April 1988.

Yours faithfully

Section 40

Senior Administrative Officer

Sec (As) distn.

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DI 55

Section 40

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The Ministry of Defence
Duty Controller
Aeronautical Information Service (Military)
Royal Air Force
West Drayton

MINUTE SHEET

Station Huddersfield

Date 23rd APR. '88

THE DIVISIONAL OFFICER

Sir: At 8.30 p.m. on the afternoon of Thursday the 21st of April 1988 I attended at Section 40

Section 40 Huddersfield regarding an alleged sighting of an unidentified flying object, by Section 40

A full statement outlining the details of the sighting was taken from the informant and is attached hereto.

According to the informant the following people also witnessed the same object:

1/ Wife

Section 40

2/ Son

3/ Daughter

Section 40

all of Section 40

4/

Section 40

Huddersfield

Section 40 describes himself as a 'seasoned' astronomer and has recorded sightings earlier. He also has access to radio receiving equipment and apparently monitors aircraft V.H.F. transmitters.

The informant has previous military service having served in the R.A.F. 1954-58. He states that he was a corporal and ~~served~~ served with aircraft crash rescue. During his R.A.F. service he says that he saw U.F.O's at Cullinstown Plain.

The (Subject) was seen somewhere

ALLEGED
U.F.O.
SIGHTING
NEEDS READ.

in Huddersfield. The complex lies near the main Leeds Road from Huddersfield which itself is located in the valley of the River Colne, which runs in a north easterly direction from the town centre. The east side of its valley rises steeply from the valley floor to heights of about 200' above it. The valley side lies immediately to the west of the chemical complex. Within the confines of this locality are 4 canals which hold the floodlighting for the adjacent Huddersfield town football ground and electricity transmission lines traverse the area both on the valley floor and its sides.

I request that this report and the accompanying statement be forwarded to The General Administration Department at Home Control for disposal to M.O.D. Duty Controller Aeronautical Information Services (Military) R.A.F. West Drayton

Section 40

WEST YORKSHIRE POLICE

Section 40

STATEMENT OF:

AGE/Date of Birth: 16/6/36

OCCUPATION: Section 40

ADDRESS: Section 40

Tel: Section 40

LUDDERSHEAD

WEST YORKSHIRE

POSTCODE: Section 40

This statement (consisting of Four pages signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have stated in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

Dated the 21st day of APRIL 1988

Section 40

I am Section 40

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

(C.J. Act, 1967, s 9, M.C. Act, 1980, s 102, M.C. Rules, 1981, r 70)

I live at the 'above address with my wife, daughter and son.

At 8.55 p.m. on the evening of Wednesday the 20th of April 1988 I was in the front sitting room of the above address with my wife and my daughter

At this time my daughter said to me "Come here dad! look at this. I think it is one of your UFOs" I immediately got up from my seat and went to the ground floor front window of the house, which over looks Leeds Road, Bradley Mills and the escarpment which is Rawthorpe.

As soon as I looked out of the window I saw about a mile in the distance and at a bearing of ~~SE~~ south south west an object in the sky at an altitude which I would estimate to be 2000'. This object I can describe as being a stationary rectangle containing five lights from which was emanating a very intense white light. The five lights were positioned horizontally and the two on the extreme right hand side of the object appeared to be pivoting upwards and downwards. I would like to mention that it was possible

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Statement taken by:

Section 40

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STATEMENT OF:

Continued:

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with that of a medium sized passenger aircraft

After first sighting this object I immediately went and got my binoculars which I always keep next to the chair I then went out of the front door and took a position up about halfway down the garden path

I was now able to use the binoculars to gain a more detailed view of object. I could now see that it was in fact a wedge shape with the thicker end towards Huddersfield town centre and tapering to a point which was facing towards the I.C.I. chemical works on Heeds Road. The white lights which I had seen earlier had now apparently changed position. There positioning now was as follows two on the underside at the pointed end and one light above. Immediately behind the two underneath lights were 3 red lights which I could describe as being of high intensity and possibly of a fluorescent type, these were smaller than the white lights but I would say that they larger than an aircrafts navigation lights. Further behind these 3 red lights was another white light and a fifth white light was located on the upper side of the wedge approximately mid-way along its length. I was also able to gain some idea of its colour and

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STATEMENT OF:.....
Continued:

saw that it began to move in an easterly direction towards the I.C.I complex. After about a period of a minute and a half the object had reached the complex I stood and watched this with both my wife and daughter. The object appeared to move very slowly but smoothly over the half mile which is the distance from its original position and the I.C.I. complex. The object also maintained its altitude and at no time did I hear any engine or other noise coming from it.

* I then came back into the front sitting room and watched this object from my sitting window. I was now looking in a south-easterly direction } Section 40

Section 40
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My wife and daughter now returned to the sitting room but I remained outside and kept the object in view. The object now veered towards the south-east and its speed increased. It headed off in a steady speed towards Cooper Bridge and appeared to me to be following the electricity transmission lines. As I watched the object seemed to fade away into the distance until eventually lost sight of it.

I would say that the duration of the sighting was between five and seven minutes. The weather conditions were high altitude but

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STATEMENT OF:.....
Continued:

* I would say that visibility was
good x

Section 40

WEST YORKSHIRE POLICE

STATEMENT OF: Section 40

AGE/Date of Birth: 3/5/42 OCCUPATION: Housewife

ADDRESS: Section 40

HUDDERSFIELD

WEST YORKSHIRE POSTCODE:

This statement (consisting of ONE pages signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have stated in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true

Dated the 21st day of APRIL 1988 x Section 40

I am Section 40

of the above address where I live with my husband, son and daughter

At 8.55pm on the evening of Wednesday the 20th of April 1988, I was at home with my husband and daughter Section 40 when I saw an object which I am unable to identify.

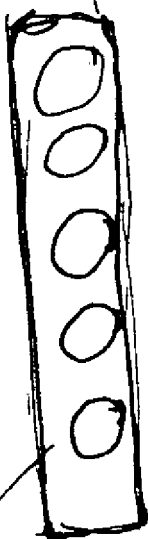
My husband has reported this matter to the police and has given a statement outlining the incident. I can confirm that what my husband has said was the same as that which I also saw. x Section 40

STATEMENT OF WITNESS (C.J. Act, 1967, s 9, M.C. Act, 1980, s 102, M.C. Rules, 1981, r 70)

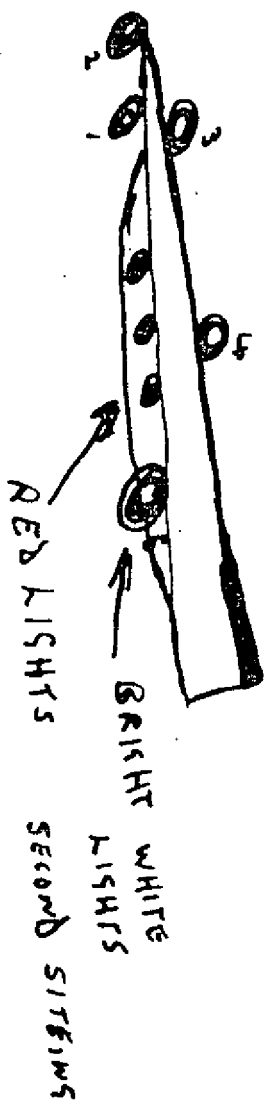
Statement taken by: Pz Section 40

DRAWING OF ~~ALUATO~~ U.F.O.
SUBMITTED BY

Section 40



FIRST SITTING
BRIGHT WHITE
LIGHTS



RED LIGHTS
BRIGHT WHITE
LIGHTS
SECOND SITTING

● WITH COMPLIMENTS

Sec (AS)cc :

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DI 55

Section 40

23/5

Aeronautical Information Section (Military)

London Air Traffic Control Centre

Royal Air Force West Drayton

Porters Way

West Drayton

Middx UB7 9AU

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23 MAY 1938

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Pir,
2 separate reports:
1 from RAF Wyton
1 from LATCC (CIV)

Tel:

Section 40

To

A.I.S.

From

Ops
RAF WYTON

Date

10 MAY 88

Tel

Section 40

Your Ref

Our Ref

Subject REPORTING OF UFO

1. Enclosed is a copy of a UFO report actioned by this unit 10th May 1988.
2. The informant Section 40 seemed to be sensible + quite aware of what he observed.
3. I suggested to him that it may be a stray met balloon which he was inclined to believe.
4. Regards from all at Happy Wytton Ops.

SGT
WISBEACH POLICE STATION

← 1st Part Of Report

RESTRICTED UNCLASSIFIED

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Date, time and duration of sighting.

10th May 1988 - 11am 2/3 mins

Description of object.

VERY SMALL, PARTIAL WRAPPED BALLOON / MET BALLOON

Exact position observed.

JUNCTION 1101, A17 → 300 YARDS AWAY ON THE
WISBEACH SIDE

How observed.

FROM PRIVATE CAR

Direction in which object was first seen.

BEHIND HEDGE TO SIDE OF CAR (RIGHT) FROM

WITHIN A FEET

Angle of sight.

ROSE 75° FROM BEHIND HEDGE

Distance.

UNKNOWN

Movements.

FLEW BEHIND WINDMILL, LOST SIGHT OF OBJECT

Meteorological conditions during observations.

CLEAR, NO BREEZE, CLOUDY

Nearby objects.

CONTRACT BURGERS - WORKING ON BANS

1. To whom reported.

WISBEACH POLICE

2. Name and address of informant:

Section 40

Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.

NIL / APPEARANCE SOBER + SENSIBLE

b. Other witnesses.

WIFE, SISTER - IN LAW ALSO IN CAR.

Date and time of receipt of report.

10/14 SA. MW/88.

In a reply requested?

No.

UFO SIGHTING

Reference MATS 1. PART 6 CHAPTER 4. 3.

- A 15/5/88 20⁵⁰ 3 TO 4 MINUTES.
- B ONE OBJECT. SHAPED LIKE HALF AN EGG (VERTICAL) WITH 4 LEGS EXTENDING FROM THE BASE. COMPLETELY BLACK. NO LIGHTS.
- C STANDING ON THE GROUND, STATIONARY - WASHING CAR.
- D NAKED EYE THEN BINOCULARS.
- E FROM THE DIRECTION OF CUSHAM MOVING TOWARDS GUILDFORD
- F POSITIONED AHEAD OF OBSERVER IN THE SKY.
- G ONE MILE AWAY. (OVER M25)
- H MOVING MUCH SLOWER THAN A JET AIRCRAFT.
- J CLEAR SKY, NOT YET DUSK.
- K NIL.
- L REPORTED TO POLICE.
- M Section 40

LITTLE BUCKHAM

SURREY Section 40

- N DRIVING INSTRUCTOR
- O WIFE + NEIGHBOURS WHO WERE ARRIVING IN THEIR CAR (1 OR 2 PEOPLE)
- P 15/5/88 2230.

(Received by Section 40

AREA I. D WATCH.)

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAS042 07/1159 12801245

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 071100Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST BRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 062230 MAY, 20 MINS

B. ONE VERY BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT SEEMED TO REFLECT LIGHT OFF ITSELF

C. Section 40 ABERDEEN INDOORS

D. NAKED EYE

E. NORTH

F. LOW

G. ABOUT MILE SIMILAR DISTANCE TO AIRCRAFT LANDING AT ABERDEEN

H. FAST THEN STOPPED FOR 15 TO 20 MINS THEN MOVED OFF FAST TO NORTH EAST

J. CLEAR

K. TV MAST 30FT ACROSS ROAD

L. ABERDEEN POLICE

M. Section 40

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N. NONE GIVEN

O. HUSBAND SISTER BROTHER IN LAW

P. RECEIVED AT AISC(M) 071130 MAY 88

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CYD 1 DB GEM/NEW

CAV 1 DI 55

CAV 2 DCSI

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CAV097 06/0721 12700599 CORRECTED VERSION

FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 060512Z MAY 88

FROM MOD TELEX REFILE
TO RAF WEST DRAYTON
MODUK AIR
INFO HQRAFSC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

FROM CC GWENT POLICE

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

RAF WEST DRAYTON ATTN A.I.S.M MODUK AIR ATTN S4F(AIR)

HQRAFSC ATTN CF SYD

1417 88-05-06 05:12

FOR A.I.S.M. RAF WEST DRAYTON

RETRANS FORM OPERATIONS ROOM

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT.

- A. 6.5.88. 02.15.HRS. SHORT TIME.
- B. ONE OBJECT, APPEARED TO BE LARGE , THE SIZE OF A MOTOR CAR
A BALL OF FLAME.
- C. SAT IN CANTEEN AT SPENCER WORKS, LLANWERN

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- D. SAW OBJECT IN THE SKY.
 - E. TRAVELLING UP THE SEVERN ESTUARY.
 - F. FALLING AND TRAVELLING TOWARDS THE SEVERN BRIDGE.
 - G. SPENCER WORKS TO SEVERN BRIDGE
 - H. WEST TO EAST.
 - J. COULD POSSIBLY BE A METEORITE.(SUGGESTED BY COASTGUARD)
 - K. NIL.
 - L. P.C. Section 40
 - M. Section 40
 - N. NOT KNOWN.
 - O. NIL.
 - P. 3.0.A.M. 6.5.88.
 - Q. NIL.
- BT

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 CYD 1 DD GE/AEW
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- R. TRAVELLING OF THE SEVERN BRIDGE.
- S. FALLING AND TRAVELLING TOWARDS THE SEVERN BRIDGE.
- T. SPENCER WORKS TO SEVERN BRIDGE
- U. WEST TO EAST.
- V. COULD POSSIBLY BE A METEORITE. (SUGGESTED BY COASTGUARD)
- W. NIL.
- X. P.C. Section 40
- Y. Section 40
- Z. NOT KNOWN.
- AA. NIL.
- AB. S.C.A.M. 0.5.88.
- AC. NIL.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 6 MAY 88
0036 - 45 MINS
- B. Description of Object.
BRIGHT OBJECT
- C. Exact Position Observer. (HOME ADDRESS)
Section 40 [REDACTED] ROTHERHATH
- D. How Observed.
NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
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- F. Angle of sight.
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- G. Distance.
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- H. Movements.
MOVED 1 MILE IN 45 MINS
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
CLEAR
- K. Nearby objects.
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- L. To whom reported. RAWMARSH POLICE STN (C2)
- M. Name and Address of informant.
Section 40 [REDACTED]
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. OBSERVER IS
EX-MEMBER OF ASTRONOMY CLUB - SO CONVINCED
NOT AN AIC OR SHOOTING STAR
- O. Other witnesses.
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 6 MAY 88 0845 (AT RAF)
- Q. Is a reply requested. REPLY HAS BEEN SENT BY CRO
FINNINGLEY

Section 40 [REDACTED]

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 020715Z MAY 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC 26F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

H. 012200Z MAY B. ONE OBJECT, SHAPED LIKE A CAR JACK WITH LEGS
C. INDOORS D. NAKED EYE E. WENT OVER HOUSE TOWARDS BOXHILL F. N/A
G. N/A H. N/A J. RAIN K. N/A L. SUSSEX HQ LEWIS, SS PC AINSWORTH M.

Section 40 [REDACTED] BEXHILL, SUSSEX, TELEPHONE NO. Section 40

Section 40 - Section 40 WAS EXCITED AND AGITATED WHEN CALLING POLICE

N. N/A P. 020000Z MAY

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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
26 APR 1988
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PRIORITY 261915Z APR 88

FROM UKRAOC
TO MODUK AIR

R E S T R I C T E D
SIC 13F/IBJ

- MODUK AIR FDR AFDD SUBJECT UFO REPORT
- A. 25 APR 88 1135 LOCAL 4 MINS DURATION
- B. 1 OBJECT. SMALL CARAVAN SIZE. ROUND WITH BLUE LIGHT
- C. ALDRIDGE - WARSALL - MIDLANDS. OUTSIDE. IN COUNTRYSIDE WINDING ROAD. DRIVING
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. BEHIND CAR
- F. 30 TO 40 FEET
- G. 20 TO 30 FEET BEHIND CAR
- H. N/A
- I. CLEAR
- J. FIELDS. WINDING COUNTRY LANES. A SMALL FARM BUILDING
- K. POLICE AND LOCAL UFO SOCIETY IN BIRMINGHAM
- M. Section 40

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BIRMINGHAM
H. NIL
I. NIL
P. 261610Z APR 88
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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAS085 26/1256 11702465

FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 261030Z APR 88

FROM RAF MANSTON
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC
HQ 11 GP

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC SIF/Z6F

REPORT OF UFO SIGHTING

- A. 20 APR 88 0930 FOR 2 MINUTES
- B. SILVER CIGAR SHAPED
- C. TURNING FROM M2 MOTORWAY ONTO A249 AT STOCKBURY
- D. NOT KNOWN
- E. OVER M2
- F. APPROX 500 FEET ABOVE GROUND
- G. APPROX 500 FEET ABOVE GROUND
- H. MOVED OFF ALONG LINE OF M2 TOWARDS LONDON RISING AT ANGLE OF 45 DEGREES MADE OFF AT HIGH SPEED
- J. CLOUDY
- K. NOT KNOWN

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L. MAIDSTONE POLICE

M. Section 40

N. NO

O. NOT KNOWN

P. NOT KNOWN

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ROUTINE/ROUTINE 261015Z APR 88

FROM RAF MANSTON
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC
HQ 11 GP

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC SIF/Z6F

REPORT OF UFO SIGHTING

- A. 25 APR 1988 MIDNIGHT
- B. APPROX 300FT DIAMETER COVERED WITH RED GREEN WHITE WITH LARGE SEARCH LIGHT AT ONE END
- C. DRIVING ALONG A2 WESTBOUND 12MLS FROM M25 JUNCTION NEAR GRAVESEND
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. WEST OF POSITION STATED IN C
- F. APPROX 50 TO 60 DEGREES
- G. NOT KNOWN
- H. TOWARDS LONDON
- J. CLEAR SKY

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K. THAMES ESTUARY HIGH VOLTAGE LINES AND INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS NORTH OF A2

L. SWANLEY POLICE

M. Section 40

N. NONE

O. WIFE AND DAUGHTER

P. 26 APR 88 0930 FROM SGT Section 40 SWANLEY POLICE

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Official communications to be addressed:- "The Chief Constable" (address as below).

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STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

Telep **Section 40**
Telex **Section 40**

Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.

Our Ref. E:1:2:1.



Your Ref.

25/ April, 1988.

Dear Sir,

I enclose herewith a report of an unidentified flying object from a **Section 40** 15 years, of **Section 40** **Section 40**

Should you require any further information you will no doubt correspond with **Section 40** direct.

Yours faithfully,

Section 40

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Chief Constable.

Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON.
SW1H 0ET.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(A3)2
- 9 MAY 1988
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The person dealing with this correspondence is.

Chief Inspector **Section 40**

STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

Telephone: Stafford 57717 Ext.
Telex: 36107

Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.

Our Ref. RT/JP

Your Ref.



12TH APRIL, 1988.

Dear Sir,

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

THURSDAY, 17TH MARCH, 1988 AT 19.45 HRS. FOR ABOUT 2 MINUTES.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

A PAIR OF VERY SMALL BRIGHT WHITE LIGHTS, CLOSE TOGETHER. NO INDICATION OF ANY SMELL OR SOUND.

C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED

FROM THE AREA OF POOL ROAD, CHASETOWN AND WAS OBSERVED BY WITNESSES WHO WERE ON FOOT IN THE AREA AND WHO HAD A GOOD VIEW OF THE INCIDENT.

D. HOW OBSERVED

NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

TOWARDS THE GENERAL DIRECTION OF BROWNHILLS. NONE OF THE WITNESSES WERE ABLE TO GIVE AN ACCURATE DIRECTION.

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT

ONLY DESCRIBED AS BEING LOW AND QUITE CLOSE TO THE GROUND.

G. DISTANCE THE DISTANCE OF THE OBJECT IS VERY VAGUE AS IT WAS DESCRIBED AS BEING VERY CLOSE BUT THIS WAS ONLY AN OPINION AND THERE IS NOTHING TO VERIFY THIS.

H. MOVEMENTS
THE OBJECT IS DESCRIBED AS MOVING SLOWLY TOWARDS THE DIRECTION OF CANNOCK BUT WITH RAPID BUT SMALL CHANGES IN ITS HEIGHT OR ANGLE OF ELEVATION.

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS
AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING IT WAS DARK AND THERE WAS GENERAL LOW EXTENSIVE CLOUD COVER, HOWEVER THERE WERE FREQUENT BREAKS IN THE CLOUD COVER.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS THE SIGHTING OCCURRED IN THE AREA OF CHASEWATER AND THE LAND IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY CONSISTS OF ROUGH SCRUBLAND. THERE ARE NO INSTALLATIONS IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY WITH NIGHT LIGHTS OR SIMILAR.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

P.C. Section 40

CHASEWATER POLICE STATION.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NONE KNOWN.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

Section 40

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

THURSDAY, 17TH MARCH, 1988 AT 20.20 HRS.

Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

No.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

Yours faithfully

Section 40

Chief Constable



Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 251540Z APR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 242210Z APR 88 FOR 2 HRS

B. ONE EXTREMELY BRIGHT BRILLIANT WHITE LIGHT WITH AN INTERMITTENT GREEN LIGHT EITHER SIDE AND AT ONE TIME A NARROW RED LIGHT UNDERNEATH

C. INDOORS AND OUTDOORS STATIONARY

D. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

E. SOUTH WEST OF THE CRYSTAL PALACE

F. NONE

G. UNABLE TO TELL

H. STEADY STATIONARY AND TOWARDS END OF SIGHTING IT MOVED VERY SLOWLY

J. CLEAR NIGHT

K. CRYSTAL PALACE

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L. REPORTED TO SOUTH NORWOOD POLICE STATION

M. Section 40 ANERLEY Section 40

N. NONE

O. BOTH DAUGHTERS

P. 251530Z APR 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 242125Z APR 88

FROM RAF MANSTON
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC
HQ 11 CP

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

REPORT OF UFO SIGHTING

A. 24 APR 88. 2125-2155 LOCAL

B. 2 OBJECTS ONE ABOVE ANOTHER. 4 LEGS PROTRUDING DOWN. OBJECTS
LOOKED LIKE SAUCERS. SAUCERS WERE ORANGE COLOUR, LEGS WERE WHITE

C. A26 ROAD AT WATERINGBURY 0.25 MILES FROM MAIDSTONE. BESIDE
TRAFFIC LIGHTS

D. NAKED EYE

E. APPROX SE

F. APPROX 30 DEGREE

G. NOT KNOWN

H. SEEN TO BE HOVERING

J. FINE CLEAR NIGHT WITH STARS/MOON-SLIGHT BREEZE

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CAV 1 DI 55
CAV 2 DGSTI

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	11.45 24/4/88 20 MINS
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	CONICAL POINT UPPERMOST INTENSE ORANGE GLOW ROUND BOTTOM. EDGE NO POINT
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	MAVERLING - ATTE - BOWER. NORTH OF ROMFORD 1ST FLOOR IN HOUSE.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	NAKED EYE & BINOCULARS
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	WESTLY FROM HOUSE MOVING UP & DOWN HOVERING
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	30%
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	UNABLE TO SAY
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	HOVERING. STILL THERE WHEN I WAS HE WENT TO BED
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	VERY CLEAR.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	RURAL AREA FARMLAND

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	M00. DIRECTARY OF ENQUIRY → M00
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	
O.	Other Witnesses	WIFE
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	25TH APRIL 1988 0930
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	TOO LOW TO BE A CIVIL AIRCRAFT NO NAVIGATION LIGHTS SHOULD NOT HAVE BEEN THERE? THOUGHT IT SHOULD BE REPORTED TO SOMEBODY. PHONED DIRECTARY OF ENQUIRY WHO GAVE HIM M00 NUMBER.

Date. 25/4/88.....

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Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Copies to:
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DI 55
File AF Ops/1/11
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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAV140 24/2337 11501257 CORRECTED VERSION

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 241255Z APR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 230744L, 1 MIN
- B. ONE WHITE CRESCENT SHAPED OBJECT
- C. HOME ADDRESS
- D. BINOCULARS
- E. OVERHEAD BURY ST EDMUNDS MOVING NORTH TO SOUTH
- F. NOT KNOWN
- H. STEADY
- J. 4/8 CLOUD CLEAR VISIBILITY
- G. ABOVE CLOUD LAYER
- K. TOWN OF BURY ST EDMUNDS
- L. AIS(M) WEST DRAYTON

Section 40

GT BARTON, BURY ST EDMUNDS

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 N. EX SQN LDR PHOTO INTERPRETER RETD
 O. WIFE
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WEST
YORKSHIRE
POLICE

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Your Ref:

ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
P.O. BOX 9, WAKEFIELD WF1 3QP

Our Ref: A21/GSGK/SAW

Telephone: Wakefield Section 40

28 APR 1988
12/2

19 April 1988

Dear Sir

Enclosed for your information is a copy statement of a incident which occurred in the Dewsbury Sub Division of this Force on the 12 April 1988.

Yours faithfully

Section 40

Senior Administrative Officer.

Please file these on UFO

Section 40

TA



- The Ministry of Defence
Duty Controller
Aeronautical Information Service (Military)
R.A.F West Drayton.

MINUTE SHEET

Subject

Station

Dewsbury

Date

13th April 1988

UFO SIGHTING.

Sub Divisional Officer, Dewsbury.

A report was received from [redacted] aged 17 years b. [redacted] regarding the sighting of an unidentified flying object at 3.15 a.m. on Tuesday 12th April 1988.

The informant who suffers from Asthma was unable to sleep and was spending the night on the sofa in the lounge of her home. At 3.15 a.m. the family dog became agitated and began barking. A sound could be heard which she described as being like a railway locomotive only yards away. The nearest railway line running from Huddersfield to Wakefield is approximately 1 mile away. There were no vehicles in sight outside the house which is in a small quiet cul-de-sac.

On looking through the lounge window the informant saw an object in the sky some distance away, probably between the Rectory Park and Combs Road area. She could not describe a shape but saw that it displayed a round red and a round white light, similar to those displayed by aircraft. The object was observed for several minutes and did not move. Her angle of sight from the lounge window was between 30 and 40 degrees. Stars could clearly be seen as the sky was clear.

When the informant closed the curtains after several minutes the lights were still visible and had not moved, the sound was still continuing. She was sure that the sound was with the lights. The sound continued for at least 30 minutes before she fell asleep.

The object was observed from indoors and by the naked eye only. There are no large buildings nearby but other dwellings are on higher levels than the informants home.

[redacted] was the only person to see the object but next door neighbour [redacted] b. 1 [redacted] of 57 Mountain Crescent, heard what she described as a humming noise above the houses at 3.15 a.m. the same morning. She was awoken by the noise but on looking outside could see nothing. She will verify that the noise continued for some 15 or more minutes, and could clearly be heard indoors, [redacted] works for the local newspaper (Dewsbury Reporter), but has made no mention of the incident at work.

Section 40 [redacted] has made no mention to the press. She has not had any involvement with any of the armed services or with any UFO agency. She did however ring Leeds/Bradford Airport and was told that a similar report had been received from Leeds that morning.

WEST YORKS.
POLICE
14 APR 1988
DEWSBURY
SUB-DIVISION

I ask that a copy of this report be forwarded to the Ministry of Defence, Duty Controller, Aeronautical Information Services (Military), RAF West Drayton.

Section 40

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Headquarters Administration

Submitted as above

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DEWBURY
18-4-88

WORKS.
18 APR 1988
HEADQUARTERS
MAIL ROOM

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FOR CXJ

PRIORITY 191934Z APR 88

FROM UKRADC
TO MODUK AIR

R E S T R I C T E D

SIC 13F/IBJ

MODUK AIR FOR AFDD. SUBJECT UFO REPORT

A. 18 APR 88 2345 LOCAL 4 MINS DURATION

B. 1 OBJECT SIZE. SMALL CARAVAN SIZE RECTANGULAR BUT CURVED CORNERS
LIKE CRESCENT MOON ON GROUND BLUE VERY BRIGHT

C. OUTDOORS. STATIONARY. 150 YDS AWAY

D. NAKED EYE 4 PICTURES

E. 1 MILE BARR BEACON. SOUTH OF BEACON

F. NIL

G. NIL

H. NO MOVEMENT

I. CLEAR HAZY CLOUD

K. IN FRONT OF PYLONS 1 MILE AWAY

L. BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT, MR HURLEY

M. Section 40

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N. COMPUTER ANALYST. OBJECT ROSE FROM GROUND AND DISAPPEARED

O. Section 40

P. 191527Z APR 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 180835Z APR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAGON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENON

A. 172210 TO 172342A APR 88

B. ONE EXTREMELY BRIGHT OBJECT WITH A HAZY EXTERIOR WHICH FADED SLOWLY NO COLOUR GIVEN NO SOUND OR SMELL REPORTED

C. OUTDOORS STATIONARY AT PARKSTONE QUAY HARWICH

D. NAKED EYE

E. WEST OF HARWICH

F. 45 DEGREES FROM HORIZONTAL

G. NOT KNOWN

H. STATIONARY

J. CLEAR NIGHT

K. FLAT LANDSCAPE HOLBROOK SCHOOL

L. REPORTED TO TRANSPORT POLICE AT PARKSTONE QUAY

M. Section 40

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N. MR Section 40 SAID THAT THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THAT HE HAS SEEN THIS OBJECT ON A SUN NIGHT HE HAS PREVIOUSLY SEEN IT ON A FRI NIGHT

O. NOT KNOWN

P. 180830Z APR 88

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REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

17th APR 88

- A DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING ... 2210 UNTIL 2342 ... LOCAL TIME
(Local times to be quoted)
- B DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT ... EXTREMELY BRIGHT, THEN FADED.
(Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc) ... WITH HALY EXTERIOR
- C EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER ... PARKESTON QUAY
(Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationery or moving)
- D HOW OBSERVED ... NAKED EYE
(Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera)
- E DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN ... WEST OF HARWICH
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)
- F ANGULAR ELEVATION OF OBJECT ... 45°
(Estimated heights are unreliable)
- G DISTANCE OF OBJECT FROM OBSERVER ... NOT KNOWN
(By reference to a known landmark wherever possible)
- H MOVEMENTS OF OBJECT ... STATIONARY
(Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)
- J METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS ... CLEAR NIGHT
(Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc)
- K NEARBY OBJECTS ... FLAT LANDSCAPE,
(Telephone or high-voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting) ... OVER HOLBROOK SCHOOL
- L TO WHOM REPORTED ... TRANSFER POLICE, PARKESTON QUAY
(Police, military organisations, the press, etc)
- M NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT ... Section 40
- N ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE INFORMANT ... Section 40 ... SAID THAT THIS WAS THE FIRST TIME HE HAD SEEN THE OBJECT ON A SUNDAY NIGHT, PREVIOUSLY HE HAD SEEN IT ON A FRIDAY NIGHT !!!
- O OTHER WITNESSES ... NOT KNOWN
- P DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT 1704 2335

Details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC Extn 2153

Completed report is to be sent to the Ministry of Defence (AFOR) - RAF Main Bldg
Whitehall, London SW1

14.4.87

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TO: A.I.S. (MILITARY) LONDON AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL FOR
ONWARD TRANSMISSION TO RAFAN NET EGWDYO
COPIES FOR: N/A
FROM: CHIEF CONSTABLE AVON AND SOMERSET, COMMUNICATIONS DEPT
AUTHORITY: Section 40
DTPO: 170488/1954/SQ

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)1
22 APR 1988
FILE 12/2

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REPORT OF SIGHTING OF U.F.O.

Go (AS) dir 4

AT 1841HRS ON 170488, A REPORT WAS RECEIVED AT THIS STATION OF THE
SIGHTING OF A U.F.O. DETAILS ARE AS FOLLOWS .

M 83
GE 3
D/SC 30 (Air)

INFORMER : Section 40

DETAILS : AT 02.40HRS 170488, THE INFORMER WAS IN THE WHITCHURCH
AREA OF BRISTOL. HE SAW ABOVE WHITCHURCH SPORTS CENTRE, AT
A DISTANCE OF ABOUT HALF A MILE, THREE WHITE FLASHING LIGHTS.
A RED LIGHT THEN APPEARED IN THE CENTRE OF THE
WHITE LIGHTS. ALL LIGHTS THEN MOVED OFF TOWARDS BRISTOL AND
DISAPPEARED. NO NOISE WAS HEARD.

NO POLICE ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN ON THIS INFORMATION.
THE ABOVE INFORMATION WAS REPORTED DIRECT TO HEADQUARTERS,
BRIDEWELL STREET, BRISTOL. TELEPHONE 0772 - 267999.

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FM GWENT POLICE 498338

TO RAF WEST DRAYTON

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FLX REF 033 08-04-14 10:32

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. 13/4/88. 8:30 PM AT APPROX 10:30 PM. **Section 40** BLACKWOOD

B. DESCRIBED A VERY LARGE STAR WITH BEAMS OF LIGHT, BLEEPING NOISE COMING FROM OBJECT. BEAMS OF LIGHT STATIC

C. REAR GARDEN OF A/A

D. NAKED EYE

E. N.E. DIRECTION

F. FAUT KNOW

G. SEVERAL MILES AWAY

H. STATIONARY

I. FINE CLEAR NIGHT

K. NIL

L. BLACKWOOD. POLICE STATION

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probably means photons!

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M. **Section 40**

N. COMPLAINANT IS A STABLE MARRIED PERSON. IN FULL POSSESSION OF HER FACULTIES

O. **Section 40**

P. **Section 40**

P. 12.30 AM 14/4/88

Q. WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF EXPLANATION COULD BE GIVEN

MESSAGE ENDS REF HQ/1440/140388/OPS: **Section 40**

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ROUTINE/ROUTINE 140511Z APR 66
FROM UKRABO
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC

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SID 13F/18J
MODUK AIR FOR AFOS, HQSTC FOR WG CDR GE
SUBJECT UFO REPORT
A. 132200A APR. 3 MINS
B. ONE TIMES VERY BRIGHT ORANGE LIGHT
C. OUTDOORS STATIONARY
D. NAKED EYE
E. ON APPROACH TO BIRMINGHAM INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
F. 40 DEGREES ELEVATION
G. SEVERAL MILES
H. FOLLOWED CIVIL AIRCRAFT, BUT ABOVE IT, ON APPROACH TO AIRPORT
THEY DEERED OFF RAPIDLY TO ONE SIDE AND DISAPPEARED
I. CLEAR SKY, VERY GOOD VISIBILITY

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K. NONE
WEST BROMWICH POLICE THEN CITY POLICE

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Civil Aviation Authority
Glamorgan (Rhoose) Airport
Rhoose BARRY
South Glamorgan CF6 9BD

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Ministry of Defence S4f (Air)
Room Section 40
Main Building
Whitehall
LONDON SW1 2HB

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT -

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting 13-4-88 1915-2015 z
- B. Description of Object STARLIKE. ROUND SPARKLING.
- C. Exact Position of Observer BLACKWOOD TOWN GWENT.
- D. How Observed NAKED EYE.
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen NORTH.
- F. Angular Elevation of Object BETWEEN
- G. Distance of Object from Observer - UNSURE. "TOO CLOSE"
- H. Movements of Object
- J. Meteorological Conditions During Observations SK. CLEAR (CAVOK)
- K. Nearby Objects
- L. To Whom Reported POLICE GWENT (BLACKWOOD)
- M. Name and Address of Informant Section 40
- N. Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered
- O. Other Witnesses YES
- P. Date and Time of Receipt of Report 15-4-88 0904 z.

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CAA CHIEF OFFICER
SCR. 1/0/4/9

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Sec.(AS)2
10 MAY 1988

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	132140Z Apr 88 6 - 8 Mins
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Very bright orange light
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outside in Amersham
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Due South
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	High
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Hard to estimate
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Changing Direction quickly.
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nil

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

AFOPS

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Nil

O. Other Witnesses

Nil

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

132205Z Apr 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Section 40

Date: 13 Apr 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	121200A Apr 88 2 Mins
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B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Orange and very bright
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C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outside Wormwood Scrubs Jail.
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D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
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E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	North
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F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	High
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G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Long way away
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H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Suddenly there and then gone.
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J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear
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K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Just in sky
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L. To whom reported. (Police,
military, press etc)

AFQPS

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Housewife

O. Other Witnesses

Friend

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFQR)

132005A Apr 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

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Date: 13 Apr 88

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Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
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FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 092242Z APR 88

FROM RAF NEATISHEAD
TO MODUK AIR
INFO UKRAOL
ZEL 11 GP

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC 13F/26F

REPORT OF SIGHTING OF A UFO

- A. 092205Z APR-1 HR
- B. ONE VERY BRIGHT LIGHT, 2,9 23-1, TOO BRIGHT FOR NORTH STAR
- C. INDOORS AT WICKLING NORFOLK IN DIRECTION OF STALHAM, NORFOLK STATIC
- D. NAKED EYE FOLLOWED UP BY HIGH INTENSITY BINOCULARS
- E. AS FOR PARA C ABOVE
- F. IN SKY LOOKS HIGH
- G. UNKNOWN
- H. STATIC, HOVERING WITH NO NOISE
- J. VERY CLEAR OTHER STARS ~~COULD~~ BE SEEN
- K. NIL

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L. RAF NEATISHEAD

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- N. NIL
- O. OTHER MEMBERS OF FAMILY
- P. 092205Z APR 88
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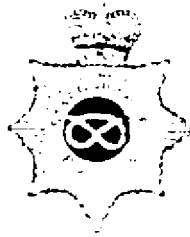
STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

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Telephone: Section 40
Telex: [Redacted]

Chief Constable's Office.
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.

Our Ref. RT/JP



Your Ref.

8TH APRIL, 1988.

Dear Sir,

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

THURSDAY, 31ST MARCH, 1988 AT 23.15 HRS. FOR 10 MINUTES.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

ONE OBJECT RESEMBLING A VERY BRIGHT STAR (GLOWING WHITE) SIZE NOT DISTINGUISHABLE. NO BEAM OF LIGHT OR SILHOUETTES SEEN.

C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED

WHILST TRAVELLING IN A MOTOR CAR ALONG WOODCOCK ROAD, RUGELEY TOWARDS PECKS ROAD AND AGAIN WHEN STATIONARY ABOUT 2 MINUTES LATER A FEW HUNDRED YARDS AWAY FROM INITIAL SIGHTING.

D. HOW OBSERVED

NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

STATIONARY IN THE SKY. NO LANDMARK TO GAUGE POSITION.

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT

APPROX. 45°

Sec (As) distn :

8155'
GES

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The person dealing with this correspondence is:

P.C. Section 40
[Redacted]

G. DISTANCE

NOT DISCERNIBLE.

H. MOVEMENTS WHEN FIRST SEEN OBJECT WAS STATIONARY AND REMAINED STATIONARY FOR ABOUT 5 MINUTES. IT THEN SLOWLY MOVED BACKWARDS IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION BEFORE STOPPING AGAIN FOR ABOUT 3 TO 4 MINUTES. IT THEN MOVED OFF VERY FAST IN THE SAME DIRECTION.

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

CLEAR UNINTERRUPTED NIGHT SKY WITH STARS CLEARLY VISIBLE.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

NONE.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

P.C.

Section 40

RUGELEY POLICE STATION.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

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N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NONE KNOWN.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

Section 40

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

FRIDAY, 1ST APRIL, 1988 AT 10.23HRS.

Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

YES.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

Yours faithfully.

Section 40

Chief Constable

Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

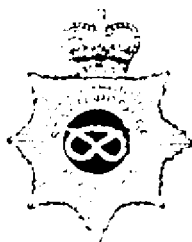
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Telephone: Section 40

Telex:

Our Ref. RT/JP

Your Ref.



Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.

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8th April, 1988.

Dear Sir,

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

MONDAY, 29th FEBRUARY, 1988 AT 19.30 HRS. FOR
3 MINUTES.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT TWO OBJECTS WERE ROUND AND

BRIGHT ORANGE IN COLOUR, SIMILAR TO AIRCRAFT
LANDING LIGHTS, POSITIONED CLOSE TOGETHER AS IF
ATTACHED TO EACH OTHER.

C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED

OVER THE JUNCTION OF THE A52 AND THE A522
AT KINGSLEY MOOR NEAR CHEADLE.

D. HOW OBSERVED

NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

TRAVELING ALONG THE A52 TOWARDS CHEADLE DOWN A
GRADIENT KNOWN AS RICHMOOR HILL TOWARDS KINGSLEY
MOOR.

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT

APPROX. 45°

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Sec.(AS)2
20 APR 1988
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The person dealing with this correspondence is:

P.C. Section 40

G. DISTANCE

SHORT UNKNOWN DISTANCE

H. MOVEMENTS

STRAIGHT LINE.

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

WEATHER WAS FINE, CLEAR AND DARK.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

LISTENING CENTRE, OAKMOOR ROAD, CHEADLE; STAFFS.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

P.C. Section 40

CHEADLE POLICE STATION.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NONE KNOWN

O. OTHER WITNESSES

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P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

MONDAY, 29TH FEBRUARY, 1988 AT 19.45 HRS.

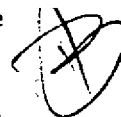
Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

No.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

Yours faithfully,
Section 40

Chief Constable



Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air-Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

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WEST
YORKSHIRE
POLICE

Your Ref:

ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
P.O. BOX 9, WAKEFIELD WF1 3QP
Telephone: Section 40

Our Ref: A21/SAW

7 April 1988

Dear Sir

Enclosed for your information are copy statements about two incidents which occurred in the Pontefract Sub Division of this Force on the 24 and 25 March 1988.

Yours faithfully

Section 40

Senior Administrative Officer.

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The Ministry of Defence
Duty Controller
• Aeronautical Information Services (Military)
R.A.F.
West Drayton.

WEST YORKSHIRE POLICE

STATEMENT OF: Section 40

AGE/Date of Birth: 24. 29. 8. 63 OCCUPATION: TAXI DRIVER

ADDRESS: Section 40

POSTCODE:

This statement (consisting of pages signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have stated in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

Dated the 26th day of MARCH, 1988 Section 40

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

(C.J. Act, 1967, s 9, M.C. Act, 1980, s 102, M.C. Rules, 1981, r 70)

I am Section 40 of the above address. I work as a taxi driver for Section 40 Taxi. We are based at Section 40 Hemsworth.

At 11.50 pm on Thursday 24th of March 1988 I was driving a taxi on the Brewery Road towards Great Houghton on the way to pick up a fair at Middlecliffe. Section 40

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I was about 3/4 of a mile out of Great Houghton travelling at about 25 miles per hour as I was in no rush. As I looked in my wing mirror a bright light caught my eye off to my right. As I looked up to my right I noticed a very bright white ~~light~~ ^{Section 40} ~~light~~ ^{light}. At first I thought it was an ~~air~~ ^{Section 40} ~~air~~ ^{airplane} in trouble as it looked to be very low in the sky and I noticed two red lights to the side of the big light. I then slowed down to gain a better view of it at this point I could see a vague outline and more lights became visible.

At this point the lights had crossed enough curiosity for me to stop the car and wind down my window to gain a better view. I turned off the engine and switched off my lights by this time it was virtually level with me so I got out of the car at this point I'd say what I saw was about 200 yards away from me travelling in the direction of Thurnscoe, South Yorkshire. As I watched the craft hover past me I made a diagram on a piece of 5000 note and I had with me

Statement taken by:

P. Section 40

STATEMENT OF: Section 40
Continued:

The craft was a silver green metallic colour and was in my sight for about 10 minutes before fading away. The sky was clear with a slight breeze. I could hear a very slight low toned humming sound which faded as the craft passed over me.

The next day on Friday 25th of March 1988 I was back at taxi base on Lowfield Crescent Hemsworth. At about 8.50 pm that night I went out to my car to pick up a fare.

As I went out the car the same bright white green light caught my eye again. I looked up and watched it for about 2 or 3 minutes as it grew larger.

At this point I went inside the house and got my aunt. Section 40
I went out to look at what I'd seen. About 2 minutes later she came outside and saw about 1/4 of a mile away a form of elongated spinning top about the size of 3 times the size of a hot air balloon at this point my aunt ran back inside the house and I observed it for a further 10 minutes before again it faded away over towards South Mearnsby. Again the night was cold, there was nothing obstructing my view of what I saw.

I have not seen anything since and I worked until about 2 o'clock am today.

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WEST YORKSHIRE POLICE

Section 40

STATEMENT OF:

AGE/Date of Birth: 47, 15: 8: 40... OCCUPATION: Store Supervisor.

ADDRESS: Section 40

POSTCODE:

This statement (consisting of TWO pages signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have stated in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

Dated the 27 day of March, 1998

Section 40

STATEMENT OF WITNESS

(C.J. Act, 1967, s 9,
M.C. Act, 1980, s 102,
M.C. Rules, 1981, r 70)

I am a full time store supervisor working at Section 40 at Alderworth.

At 8.50 pm on Friday 25 March 1998, I was inside my house at Section 40 Hemsworth, when I heard my nephew Section 40 shouting loudly for me to come outside. When I went outside, he said "look up in the sky". I looked up into the sky in the direction of Hemsworth High school and I saw a brilliant white light in the sky, the light was slightly higher than an electricity pylon from the ground, although I was not able to estimate how far away the light was.

After watching the light for approximately two minutes, during which time the light appeared to be floating, I went into the house to phone up my sister, Section 40 who lives just around the corner, to tell her to look at the light.

Approximately one minute later, I went outside to see the light still in the same position in the sky, at this time I noticed that the light appeared to be attached to the base of a round object which was just visible below the level of the clouds, the object appeared to make no noise at all and the light did not throw a beam in any direction, I am unable to state the colour of the body of the object.

I watched the object hover in the sky for a further 2 or 3 seconds whereupon the object appeared to drop slightly down in the sky, before the object climbed higher into the sky before disappearing from my sight in the direction of Hemsworth High School.

I can say that at the time of the incident, the night was cold and clear, there was a slight breeze, and the cloud base was quite low, there was no obstruction in my line of sight of the object, and I observed the object for a total of approximately

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STATEMENT OF:
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to 8 minutes, during which time the object did not move and was not obstructed in any way. It is very difficult to estimate the size of the object, but I would say that the part of it I saw was very big.

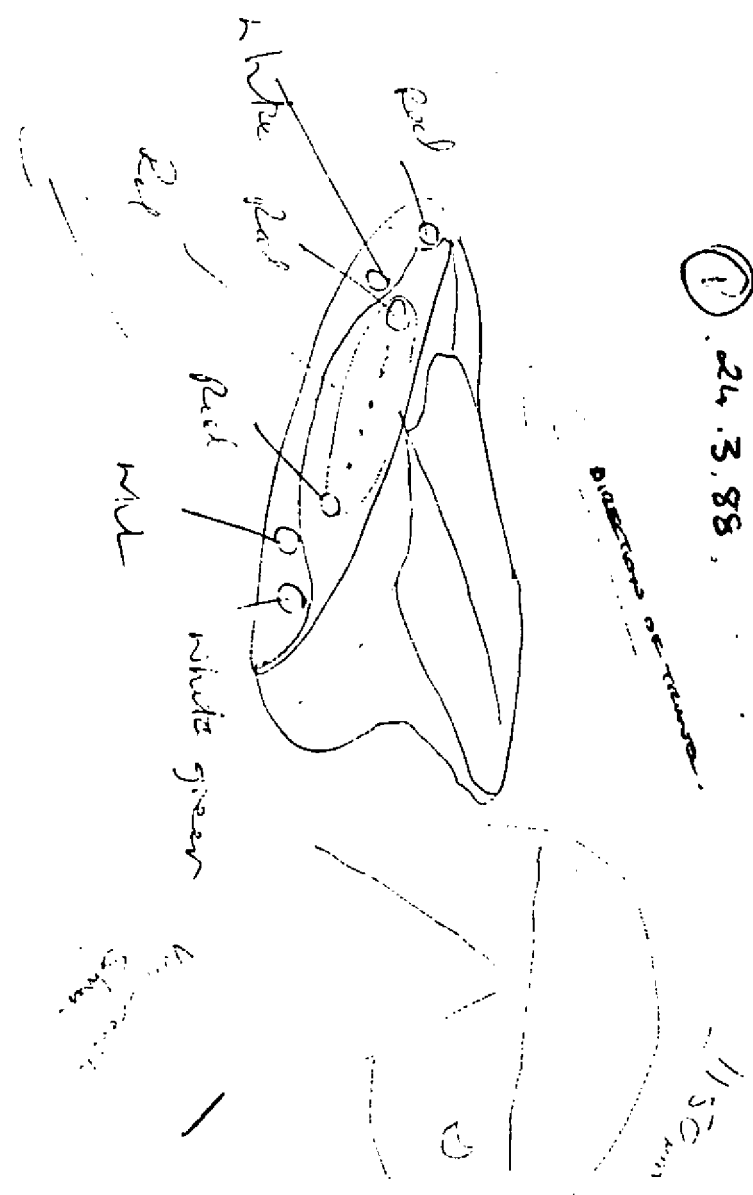
I have never seen anything like the object before or since and at the time of the incident I was very frightened. I can also say that I have no interest in any such matters and do not belong to any clubs or organisations which do.

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① SICHTSO 11.50 am THURS 24.3.88

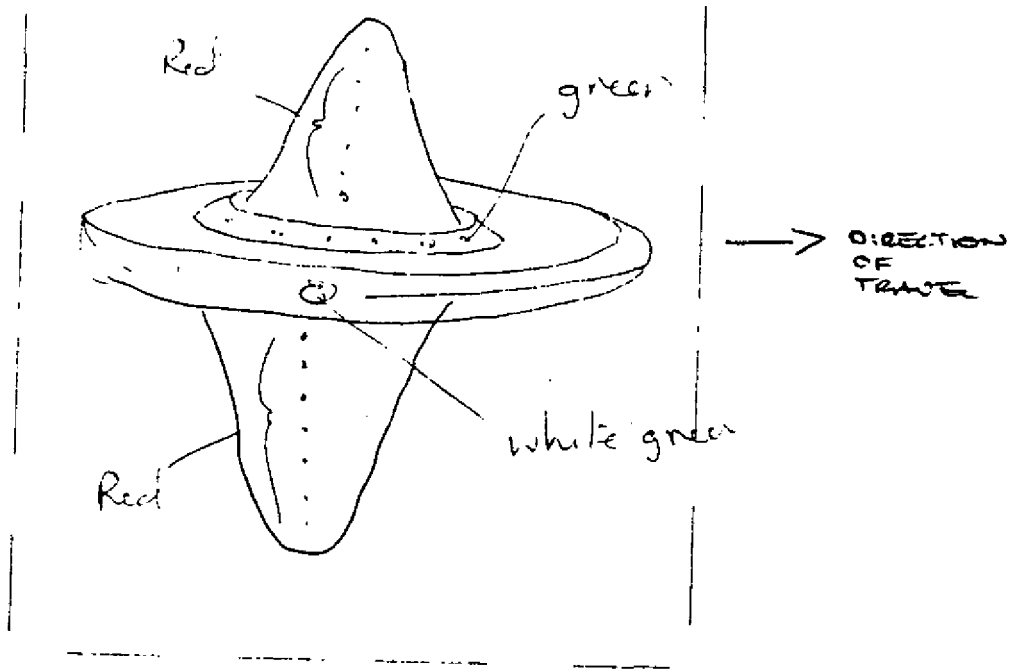
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② SIGHTED 8.50 PM ~~25th~~ 25th 3. 88.



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ROUTINE/ROUTINE 061535Z APR 88

FROM RAF VALLEY
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQRAFSC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

HQRAFSC FOR CPSYD. REPORT OF UFO

- A. 042200A APR 88
- B. SIMILAR TO SHOOTING STAR BUT GREEN FRONT YELLOW REAR
- C. DWYRAN, ANGLESEY OS SHEET 115 GRID 4465. OUTDOORS STATIONARY
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. WEST
- F. ANGLE NOT STATED
- G. 0.5 MILES
- H. SMOOTH MOTION
- J. CLEAR SKY FULL MOON
- K. NONE
- L. RAF VALLEY
- M. Section 40

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N. NIL

O. NONE

P. 051930A APR 88

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FDR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 051700Z APR 88

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSI
UKRAOC

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MODUK AIR FOR AFOR(NAF). REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT
A. 011145L - 1215L APR 88, OBJECT SEEN 3 TIMES DURING THE PERIOD
EACH OF A FEW SECONDS DURATION

B. BRIGHT GREEN LIGHT, INITIALLY SEEN AS REFLECTION FROM A CLOUD
LATER SEEN AS A BRIGHT GREEN LIGHT TAPERING TO A TAIL. THIRD
SIGHTING WAS OF A BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT WITH A RED LIGHT BENEATH IT

C. ON THE ANSTRUTHER TO ST ANDREWS ROAD NEAR DUNINO

D. NAKED EYE, THROUGH THE WINDSCREEN OF A MOTOR CAR

E. WEST

F. 45 TO 60 DEGREES IN ELEVATION

G. 1 BY MILE FROM THE CAR

H. MOVED SOUTH AND CLIMBED

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JM OVERCAST WITH THICK CLOUD

K. TELEGRAPH POLES AT ROADSIDE, INFORMANT ESTIMATED HIS POSITION
DIRECT TRACK, TO BE 8 NMS SOUTH OF LEUCHARS

L. SAC(W) Section 40

M. Section 40

N. INFORMANT OF AGE Section 40

O. NIL

P. 02 APR AT 0015Z

Q. YES

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	4 April Twenty past one in the morning. 10 seconds
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	like a small light Football. Above the cloud level. orange colour. No shape noticed
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	In her car. Travelling towards Helicon Crest, coming near to Bryde. Moving.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye.
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Over the coast
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Not known
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Quite close.
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Straight line movements. Flashed across the sky.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Fairly clear but a few scattered clouds/haze/misty.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Trees & countryside. No industrial works/sites.

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	King Newcastle Airport. (said that a 47 came in at 1.40 pm)
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 Section 40
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	—
O.	Other Witnesses	None
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	1400 hours 5 April 1988
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	None

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 Sec (AS) 2a
 Squadron Leader
 Duty Operations Officer
 AF Ops

Date... 5 APR 1988

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From: RAF Lossiemouth LOS/9125/2/Ops Routine
To: MOD SEC(A5) 26, Room [Section 40] Main Building, Whitehall, London.

REPORT OF A TELEPHONED FLYING COMPLAINT

1. Details of Complainant - Full Postal Address

a. Name	<u>N</u>	[Section 40]
b. Address	<u>N</u>	[Section 40]
	<u>N</u>	BALLINDALLOCH
	<u>N</u>	BANFFSHIRE
c. Telephone No	<u>N</u>	[Section 40]

+ 5 other witnesses.

2. Details of Incident

a. Date	<u>N</u>	04/08/88 12/12
b. Time	<u>N</u>	21:30
c. No of a/c involved	<u>N</u>	1
d. Height	<u>N</u>	
e. Direction	<u>N</u>	SOUTH - SOUTHEAST
f. Grid Ref 4 fig OS	<u>N</u>	TRANSITING NEW PLOUGH.
g. LFA	<u>N</u>	????

Observer noticed bright light (similar to star) moving slowly but continuously (as if low for shooting star).

3. Details of Aircraft (Mark as appropriate)

Jet a/c	Propellor a/c	Military a/c	Civil a/c	Fighter
Bomber	Helicopter	Light a/c	Other	Camouflaged
Silver	Red and White	Other colours/special markings (Specify)		

4. Claims.

If information is given concerning a possible claim for damage to property or injury to persons/livestock, give brief details:

N

(Note: Claimants will be asked to apply direct to MOD, PL(LS)Claims, First Avenue House, High Holborn, London, WC1V 6HE.

5. Low Flying Bookings. ?

Any RAF Lossiemouth low flying sorties in the area?

12 Sqn	208 Sqn
237 OCU	226 OCU
202 Sqn SAR	Visitors
RAF Kinloss	

6. Date and time report received N

Date: N 3rd April 88

Signed... [Section 40]
Name... [Section 40]
Rank... [Section 40] Ext [Section 40]



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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 011420Z APR 88

FROM RAF WEST GRATTON
TO BOBOK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC ZRP

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH

A. 270015Z MAR 88 RE: AND 000000Z MAR 88 RE: MIBS

B. ONE, WHITE, STAR CHASE

C. HOME ADDRESS

D. HAYES EYE

E. BIRTH WEST

F. NOT KNOWN

G. 200 YDS

H. MOVED UP AND DOWN

I. MORE CLOUD

K. HOUSE AND A WOOD

L. LEIGH POLICE AND MANCHESTER AIRPORT

M. Section 40

NR LEIGH, LANCASHIRE

N. Section 40

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ROUTINE 011420Z APR 68

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MOBOK AIR

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SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 312219L MAB
- B. CLUSTER OF WHITE LIGHTS IN SKY
- C. HOME ADDRESS
- D. BINOCULARS
- E. NORTH OF CRYSTAL PALACE TOWER
- F. 350 BESREES
- H. STEADY
- J. HAZE
- K. CRYSTAL PALACE
- L. SCOTLAND YARD

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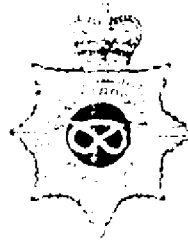
STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

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Teleph: Section 40
Telex:

Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.

Our Ref. RT/JP



Your Ref.

31st MARCH, 1988.

Dear Sir,

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

SATURDAY, 26th MARCH, 1988 AT 19.50 HRS. FOR 5 MINUTES.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

HALF FOOTBALL SHAPE, FLAT PART TO BOTTOM, WITH WHITE LIGHT IN MIDDLE, RED AND GREEN LIGHTS OPPOSITE SIDES WITH RED AND GREEN LIGHT BETWEEN AND 2 WHITE LIGHTS ON TOP. LIGHTS WERE PULSATING.

C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED

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RUGELEY, STAFFS.

D. HOW OBSERVED

BY NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

FROM THE DIRECTION OF STAFFORD.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec (AS)2
20 APR 1988
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F. ANGLE OF SIGHT

45°

The person dealing with this correspondence is:

P.C. Section 40

G. DISTANCE

APPROX. 1000 FT. AWAY.

H. MOVEMENTS

HOVERING, MOVED SLOWLY PAST WITNESSES TOWARDS HANDSACRE. NO NOISE HEARD.

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

CLEAR.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

NONE.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

P.C.

Section 40

RUGELEY POLICE STATION

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NONE.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

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P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

SATURDAY, 26TH MARCH, 1988 AT 20.08_{hrs.}

Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

No.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

THE MILITARY AERONAUTICAL INFORMATION SERVICE INFORMED

Yours faithfully,
Section 40

Chief Constable
Section 40

Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

M.O.D.
Main Building
Whitehall
SW1A 24B

STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

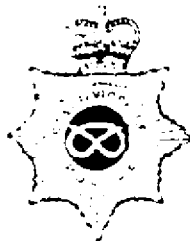
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Teleph
Telex:

Section 40

Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.

Our Ref. RT/JP



Your Ref.

31st MARCH, 1988.

Dear Sir,

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, 1988 AT 19.40 HRS. FOR APPROX.
2 TO 3 MINUTES.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

OVAL TYPE SHAPE BEING 6 FT. WIDE AND 2 FT HIGH
WITH RED AND GREEN LIGHTS ALL ROUND ITS CIRCUMFERENCE.

C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED

HOVERING OVER THE REDHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL, OPPOSITE
INFORMANTS HOME ADDRESS, ABOUT 60 FEET OFF THE
GROUND.

D. HOW OBSERVED

NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

NOT SEEN PRIOR TO 'C'.

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT

APPROXIMATELY 45°

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
20 APR 1988
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The person dealing with this correspondence is:

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G. DISTANCE

NOT DETERMINED.

H. MOVEMENTS

HOVERED OVERHEAD AND THEN MOVED OFF AT A FAST
SPEED IN A NORTH EASTERLY DIRECTION OVER Section 40
Section 40 TOWARDS RUGELEY.

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

FINE WITH A CLEAR SKY.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

NONE.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Section 40
P.C

CANNOCK POLICE STATION.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NONE.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

Section 40

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

THURSDAY, 17TH MARCH, 1988 AT 19.58 HRS.

Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

No.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

MARKET DRAYTON FLIGHT CONTROL INFORMED.

Yours faithfully,

Section 40

Chief Constable

Section 40

Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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FOR CKJ

PRIORITY 312020Z MAR 88

FROM UKRAOC
TO MODUK AIR

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MODUK AIR FOR AFDD. SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS:

- A. SIGHING MADE QUOTE A SHORT TIME BEFORE UNQUOTE TELEPHONE CALL TO POLICE AT 2020 LOCAL ON 31 MAR 88
- B. ONE ROUND RED OBJECT WITH YELLOW LIGHTS AND WINDOWS
- C. OUTDOOR: Section 40 DUDLEY, WEST MIDLANDS
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. TOWARDS ST JOHNS HILL DUDLEY
- F. NOT KNOWN
- G. NOT KNOWN
- H. HOVERING
- J. DUSK
- K. NOT KNOWN
- L. FORCE CONTROL ROOM, WEST MIDLANDS POLICE
- M. Section 40

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- N. FROM TONE OF VOICE, A YOUNG TEENAGER. POLICE DO NOT THINK IT A HOAX
- O. Section 40 WAS WITH FRIENDS, NO NAMES GIVEN
- P. 311945Z MAR 88
- BT

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 301200Z MAR 88

FROM RAF STAFFORD
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQRAFSC

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SIC Z6F

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT.

A. 300630Z SEEN FOR 5 MINUTES.

B. DESCRIBED AS INVERTED CUP AND SAUCER, SINGLE OBJECT OF BLUISH COLOUR WITH STEADY FLASHING LIGHTS.

C. OBSERVER OUTSIDE ADDRESS AT M

D. OBSERVED WITH NAKED EYE

E. FIRST SEEN IN SOUTH WESTERLY DIRECTION FROM M

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT NOT GIVEN

G. DISTANCE 4-5 KM

H. HOVERED THEN MOVED VERY QUICKLY TO THE SOUTH WEST.

J. WEATHER CLEAR AND BRIGHT

K. THERE WERE NO OBJECTS OBSCURING THE VIEW

L. REPORTED TO RAF STAFFORD ONLY

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M. Section 40 RUGELY STAFFS. TEL Section 40

BT

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Sec. (AG) 2
12 APR 1988

LUTON AIRPORT

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D. 55
D & 30 (AG)
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AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL UNIT

FORM OF REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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- A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING
Local times to be quoted: 900pm 30/3/88
20004 1ST 2ND
 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 1 SECOND MOVING 2MINS LATER $\frac{1}{2}$ - 1 SECOND STATIC
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT
Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc.
2 / PART ELLIPTICAL, BRIGHT ORANGE - WHITE., NO SOUND, OR SMELL
- C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER
Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
2ND stationary 1ST moving.
- D. HOW OBSERVED Section 40 LETCHWORTH.
Naked eye binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
- E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN
A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
TOWARDS A1 FOR LETCHWORTH.
- F. ANGULAR ELEVATION OF OBJECT
Estimated heights are unreliable. 1ST HIGHER THAN 50° 2ND 50° - 60°
~ 60° or 70°
- G. DISTANCE OF OBJECT FROM OBSERVER
By reference to a known landmark wherever possible. IMPOSSIBLE TO JUDGE.
- H. MOVEMENT OF OBJECT
Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed
TRAVELLING SOUTH (POSSIBLY AN ILLUSION)
- J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS
Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc. REASONABLY CLEAR, NEARLY FULL MOON.
STARS VISIBLY
- K. NEARBY OBJECTS
Telephone or high-voltage lines; resevoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings; chimneys; steeples; spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting.
- L. TO WHOM REPORTED
Police military organisations, the press, etc. NO-ONE ELSE.
- M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Section 40
- N. ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED
SEEMED PERFECTLY COHERENT & SANE.
- O. OTHER WITNESSES NO-ONE ELSE AROUND
- P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

2055Z 30/3/88

MEMORANDUM

MOD Form 4A

To D/SEC/AS/2

From CRO

Section 40

RAF FINNINGLEY 2 7/4
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Date 29 MAR 88

Tel. Section 40

Your ref.

Our ref. FIN/2286/ORG

Subject UFO REPORT

Kind enclosed one UFO report received at
RAF Finningley.

12/2
06 APR 1988

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 25 MAR 88 ; 2000 hrs
- B. Description of Object. MANY HIGH SPEED SWARMING OBJECTS.
- C. Exact Position Observer. -
- D. How Observed. IN SKY AT NIGHT
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen. -
- F. Angle of Sight. -
- G. Distance. -
- H. Movements. -
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation. -
- K. Nearby objects. M.
- L. To whom reported. Section 40 [REDACTED] SHEFFIELD POLICE, to DO
- M. Name and Address of informant. Section 40 [REDACTED] SALBOROUGH DERBYSHIRE.
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. -
- O. Other witnesses. MGR FAMILY AND ONE NEIGHBOUR.
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 26 MAR 88 ; 0955 hrs
- Q. Is a reply requested. No.

MEMORANDUM

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MOD Form 4A

To D 8A

From SATCO COSFOR

Date 29 Mar 88

Tel. Albrighta ¹⁰⁰ Section 40

Your ref.

Our ref. COS/422/24/2

Subject UFO REPORT

1. Enclosed is the report as taken by SAC Section 40, the Assistant Air Traffic Controller on duty at the time

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 Sec.(AS)2
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. (Local times to be quoted).

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B. Description of Object. (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc). one object appeared Square in shape all lit up Red light on one side (left) and green on the right side both steady. There was a dome on the top with a window partitioned into three short - long - short * Second page *

C. Exact Position Observer. (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving). outdoors three doors down from her house. Moved as though going to crash into her house but stopped in front of her.

D. How observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera). Naked eye.

E. Direction in which Object was First Seen. (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing). from where she was standing looking towards Walsall

F. Angle of Sight. (Estimated heights are unreliable). She would say 40ft as it was heights with her house

G. Distance. (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible). 5-6 yds.

H. Movements. (Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed). Moving down + towards her as if going to crash

J. Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc). Very Clear, No Clouds

K. Nearby Objects. (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting).

telephone wires, house

L. To Whom Reported. (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

family + here at RAF Cosford.

M. Name and Address of Informant.

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N. Any Background on the Informant that may be Volunteered.

- 40ys, Married, two children, unemployed

O. Other Witnesses.

none

P. Date and Time of Receipt of Report

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* there were three people in front two sitting and one standing (the inside was very well lit) all appeared to be wearing white suits. The object was quiet at first till it approached her but can't describe and there was also no smell. after she ran into house and looked out of window she saw it leave and from the back there were three sets of lights each set had four lights

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CAS009 28/0745 08800562

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 280730Z MAR 88

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK AIR
HQSTC
UKRAOC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F
MODUK AIR FOR AFORCAF)

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. 262300Z - 262330Z MAR 88
- B. SPHEROID-RED/ORANGE BASE AND YELLOW MIDDLE AND GREEN TOP. APPEARED TO BE ON ITS SIDE (IMPRESSION GIVEN)
- C. OUTDOORS, STATIONARY, FROM FRONT GARDEN
- D. BINOCULARS
- E. STATIONARY, WEST OF FORFAR ABOVE OPEN GROUND
- F. 75 DEGREES
- G. 2 - 3 MILES FROM HOUSE
- H. STATIONARY, WELL ABOVE CLOUDS
- J. MOVING CLOUDS OF 2 - 3 OKTAS

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- K. OPEN COUNTRY WITH HILLS
- L. SAC Section 40 WIND OPS LEUCHARS
- M. Section 40 NTH DRAFFIN, BY LETHAM, ANGUS
- N. NIL
- O. HUSBAND
- P. 262331Z MAR 88
- Q. YES
- BT

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	272130ZMar 88
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Very bright light
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors in moving vehicle then indoors from house
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	West
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Very high
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Well in the distance
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Stationary
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear night
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Telephone lines, trees and usual objects in a built up area

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Hayes Police Station
then AF Ops

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Hayes, Middx

Tel: Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Housewife

O. Other Witnesses

Daughter and Son-in-Law

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

272226Z Mar 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

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Venus and Jupiter are prominent at present

Section 40

Date: 28 Mar 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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CAV053 27/1415 087C0596

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 271130Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 261950Z MAR 88 FOR 5 MINS

B. ONE SEMI SPHERICAL SHAPED OBJECT WITH FLAT SIDE AT BOTTOM. IT HAD RED AND GREEN LIGHTS UP THE SIDES, TWO WHITE LIGHTS ON THE TOP PULSATING AND WHITE LIGHTS ON THE BOTTOM

C. OUTDOORS STATIONARY ON CRICKET GROUND, CHASELEY ROAD, RUGELY STAFFS

D. NAKED EYE

E. FROM STAFFORD

F. 45 DEGREES FROM HORIZONTAL

G. 1000FT

H. STEADY HOVERING

J. CLEAR EVENING

K. NONE

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L. REPORTED TO STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE AS A 999 CALL

M. Section 40 [REDACTED] AGED 17, Section 40 [REDACTED]

N. NONE

O. Section 40 [REDACTED] AGED 14, 12 Section 40 [REDACTED]

P. 271120Z MAR 88

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CAS029 27/1144 086C1628

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 261510Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

UNCLASSIFIED
SIC Z6F
SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. Section 40

TELEPHONE

Section 40 AN OBJECT WAS OBSERVED ON A CLIP OF FILM OF A CONCORDE
LANDING AT HEATHROW. THE FILM WAS FROM AN OPEN UNIVERSITY PROGRAMME
ON BBC2 ON SATURDAY 26 MARCH APPROX 1400. THE OBSERVER HAS THIS
RECORDED ON VIDEO CASSETTE. REPORT RECEIVED 261510Z MAR 88
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24 March 1988

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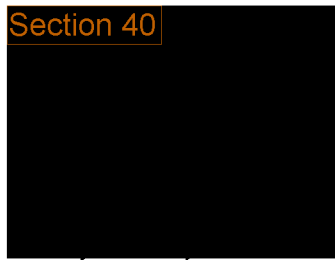
Reference:

A. DI55/108/15 dated 11 Mar 88

In view of reference A and earlier discussion with Sec(AS)2 it has become clear that there is no requirement for Science 3(Air) to undertake work on UFO sightings.

As of now the subject is removed from Science 3(Air)'s field of professional interest and the subject has been deleted from its task list.

Section 40



~~AD Science 3(Air)~~

Section 40

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	240022ZMar 88
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B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Very bright light rising and then moving downwards on numerous occasions.
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C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	In doors, in Newmarket
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D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye and attempted to video object.
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E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Not known
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F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	-
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G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	-
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H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Rising upwards and downwards.
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J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear
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K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	-
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L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

RAF Honnington RAF Police
Section 40 (at 220022Z Mar 88)
then
HQ P&SS Northern Region
Section 40 (at 220040Z Mar 88)

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

-

O. Other Witnesses

-

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

241330Z Mar 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

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Section 40

Date: 24 Mar 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

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AEW/GE
DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAV149 24/1518 08402237

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 241145Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 232330Z MAR 30 MINS

B. ONE SQUARE AND ONE OBLONG UPRIGHT OBJECT WITH VERTICAL STRIPS
OF LUMINESCENCE

C. HOME ADDRESS

D. NAKED EYE

E. TO THE EAST

F. NOT KNOWN

G. NOT KNOWN

H. NO MOVEMENT, OBJECT JUST FADED INTO HORIZON

J. CIRRUS AND CUMULUS CLOUDS

K. NONE

L. LYDD ATC

M. Section 40 CHILLHAM KENT

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N. NIL

O. NIL

P. 241100Z MAR

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 231615Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 232200Z MAR 88

B. ONE OBJECT, TWO RED FLASHING AND ONE WHITE FLASHING LIGHT

C. ENROUTE LANARK TO FORTH BY CAR

D. NAKED EYE

E. NOT KNOWN

F. 100 FT

G. HALF MILE

H. SIDE TO SIDE, THEN HOVERING

I. CLEAR AND DRY

K. TV MASTS IN DISTANCE

L. ATC EDINBURGH AIRPORT

M. Section 40

N. NIL

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P. 231130Z MAR

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STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

Telep. Section 40
Telex [Redacted]

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Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
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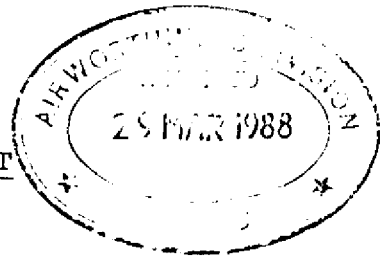
Our Ref. [Redacted] Section 40
Your Ref. [Redacted]



22ND MARCH, 1988.

Dear Sir,

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING
FRIDAY, 4TH MARCH, 1988 AT 20.00 HRS. FOR APPROX. 30 MINS.
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT TWO WHITE LIGHTS, THE ONE TO THE RIGHT BEING SLIGHTLY DIMMER. THE INFORMANT WAS UNABLE TO MAKE OUT THE SHAPE OF THE OBJECT BUT ESTIMATED THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE TWO LIGHTS TO BE APPROX. 40 TO 60 FEET.
- C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED
THE INFORMANT WAS TRAVELLING IN HIS CAR IN THE BURTON ON TRENT AREA AND THE OBJECT REMAINED IN VIEW AS HE TRAVELLED ALONG THE A38 AND A5 TRUNK ROADS AND HE WAS ABLE TO PICK IT OUT WITH THE USE OF BINOCULARS FROM HIS HOME ADDRESS. THE OBJECT WAS IN A WESTERLY POSITION.
- D. HOW OBSERVED
ORIGINALLY WITH THE NAKED EYE AND LATER WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF BINOCULARS. THE INFORMANT TOOK A NUMBER OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF IT FROM HIS HOME ADDRESS.
- E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN
THE OBJECT WAS FIRST OBSERVED TRAVELLING IN A NORTHERLY DIRECTION.
- F. ANGLE OF SIGHT
APPROXIMATELY 35°.

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GEZ
DISC 30 (AIR)

The person dealing with this correspondence is:

P.C. Section 40 [Redacted]

G. DISTANCE

NOT DETERMINED.

H. MOVEMENTS

NOT DETERMINED APART FROM SAYING THE OBJECT REMAINED AT A FAIRLY SLOW BUT CONSTANT SPEED.

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

IT WAS A CLEAR SKY AND VISIBILITY WAS GOOD.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

NO OBJECTS TO VISION.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

P.C. Section 40

CHASE TOWN POLICE STATION.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

INFORMANT IS A P.S.V. DRIVER AND ALTHOUGH HE WEARS SPECTACLES HIS SIGHT IS GOOD.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

INFORMANTS WIFE AND SONS.

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

FRIDAY, 4TH MARCH, 1988 AT 21.45 HRS.

Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

No.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

U.F.O. INVESTIGATION STUDIES

DEPARTMENT AT BIRMINGHAM AIRPORT INFORMED.

Yours faithfully,

Section 40

for Chief Constable

Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

CC (AR) C.C.:

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FOR CXJ

PRIORITY/ROUTINE 220120Z MAR 88

FROM UKRAOC
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC

R E S T R I C T E D

SIC 13F/10J

MODUK AIR FOR AFOS. HQSTC FOR WG COR GE

SUBJECT UFO REPORT

A. 212040Z 4 MINS

B. TRIANGULAR SHAPED SINGLE AIRCRAFT SIZED OBJECT WITH 12 TO 15 AMBER

LIGHTS, ROUND MEDIUM BRIGHT

C. OUTDOORS STATIONARY

D. NAKED EYE

E. TRAVELLING SOUTH EASTERLY

F. FORTY FIVE DEGREES

G. MEDIUM HEIGHT AS IF APPROACHING AIRFIELD

H. SLOW THEN INCREASED SPEED

J. CLEAR SKY GOOD VISIBILITY

K. NIL

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L. POLICE LONGBRIDGE POLICE, BIRMINGHAM

NORTHFIELD, BIRMINGHAM

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M. NONE

O. NEIGHBOUR, UNIDENTIFIED

P. 212123Z MAR

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Sec.(AS)2
23 MAR 1988
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CAV087 21/1259 08101666

FDR CAV

ROUTINE 211130Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 202140Z MAR 88 FOR 10 MINS
- B. BRIGHT LIGHT WITH A BRIGHT PULSING LIGHT AND EMITTING RAYS OF LIGHT FROM ONE OBJECT
- C. AT HOME FRONT WINDOW
- D. BY EYESIGHT
- E. WEST
- F. 30 DEGREES APPROX
- G. TWO MILES
- H. STATIONARY THEN DISAPPEARED BEHIND MOUNTAIN RIDGE
- J. FINE AND CLOUDY
- K. NOT KNOWN
- L. PC Section 40 CWMBRAN POLICE STATION
- M. Section 40 WEST PONTNEWYDD, CWMBRAN, GWENT

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N. NOT KNOWN

O. Section 40 ADDRESS NOT KNOWN

P. 202200 MAR 88

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CAV156 18/1803 078C1314

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 180930Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 171940 FOR 5 MINUTES

B. TWO OVAL SHAPED OBJECTS WITH RED AND GREEN LIGHTS AROUND THE
OUTSIDE

C. Section 40 CHADSMOOR, CANNOCK

D. NAKED EYE

E. OVER NEARBY SCHOOL FLEW OFF IN DIRECTION OF RUGELEY

F. 30FT ABOVE SCHOOL

G. 150FT

H. STEADY

J. CLEAR

K. SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND TREES

L. POLICE (PC Section 40 CANNOCK)

M. Section 40

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N. NONE

O. Section 40

P. 180700 MAR 88

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CYS052 17/0352 077C0159

FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 170015Z MAR 88

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC
UKRAOC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

MODUK AIR FOR AFOR: SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT

A 162227Z MAR 88. DURATION 30 MINS

B YELLOW WHITE, BRIGHT LIGHT JUST ABOVE THE HORIZON

C OUTDOORS STATIONERY

D, NAKED EYE

E NORTH-WEST

F 10 DEGREES ABOVE THE HORIZON

G 4 MILES

H NIL

J CLEAR SKIES

K TOO DARK TO SEE SURROUNDINGS

L DUTY OPS OFFICER RAF LEUCHARS

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N NIL

O NONE

P 162235Z MAR 88

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CAV 2 BCSTI

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SEC(AS) cc.

DI 55

D/ & 3c (Air)

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NEWCASTLE AIRPORT

Report on Unidentified Flying Object

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A. MARCH 16th 2155hrs

B. Round SHAPE WITH A 'POINTED TOP'

C. WEST ROAD, NEWCASTLE ON TYNE, DRIVING

D. NAKED EYE

E. WEST BOUND

F. 20° - 30°

G. SHORT DISTANCE

H. WESTBOUND, FAIRLY FAST MOVING

J. CAVOK (30KM NIL CLOUD)

K. BUSY BUILT UP AREA

L. ONLY A.T.C.

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M. [REDACTED]

N. [REDACTED]

O. HUSBAND

P. 2210 MARCH 16th 1988

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22 MAR 1988
AIR FORCE OPERATIONS

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
23 MAR 1988
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CYS013 17/0304 076C4625

FDR CAV

ROUTINE 161445Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR
RAF BRAWDY

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F
RAF BRAWDY FOR CRO. SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 092030Z TO 092214Z MAR
- B. SINGLE WHITE LIGHT WITH ANOTHER CLOSE BY. WHEN IT MOVED NORTHERLY A STREAK OF RED LIGHT WAS OBSERVED FROM THE LEFT HANDSIDE. NO NOISE HEARD
- C. TRIMSORN NR SWANSEA, TWO AND ONE HALF MILES SOUTH EAST OF KIDWELLY. OUTDOORS, STATIONARY
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. SOUTHERLY
- F. ABOVE VILLAGE
- G. N/A
- H. SOUTH TO NORTH. STOPPING. GETTING LOWER
- J. 5 OKTAS AT 10000FT

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K. HIGH GROUND WITH CAR HEADLIGHTS VISIBLE
L. RAF BRAWDY

M. Section 40

N. NIL
O. 6 TO 8 OTHER WORKERS
P. 092230Z MAR. REPORTED TO AIS(M) WEST DRAYTON 161430Z MAR
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Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.

STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

Teleph: **Section 40**

Telex: [REDACTED]

Our Ref. RT/JP

Your Ref.



14TH MARCH, 1988.

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Dear Sir,

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

SATURDAY, 5TH MARCH, 1988. AT 04.45 HRS. FOR APPROX. 30 SECONDS.

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

CIGAR SHAPED LIGHT APPROX. 35 METERS LONG BY 6 METERS WIDE. INTENSE LIGHT EMITTED THROUGHOUT ENTIRE LENGTH AND BREADTH OF THE OBJECT. NO MARKINGS. COMPLETELY SILENT.

C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED

APPROX. 800 METERS AWAY FROM THE INFORMANT, OBJECT ROSE UP FROM A COPSE OF TREES AND CAME TO REST JUST ABOVE THE TREE HEIGHT.

D. HOW OBSERVED

NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

SOUTH EAST FROM HAZEL SLADE TOWARDS BURNTWOOD

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT

THE INFORMANT WAS IN THE FRONT GARDEN [REDACTED] HAZEL SLADE LOOKING TOWARDS BURNTWOOD.

The person dealing with this correspondence is:

Section 40
P.C. [REDACTED]

G. DISTANCE FIRST SEEN APPROX. 800 METERS AWAY FROM THE INFORMANT, WAS STATIONARY JUST ABOVE THE TREE LINE FOR ABOUT 30 SECONDS AND THEN CREEPT FORWARD FOR A COUPLE OF METERS AND THEN DISAPPEARED FROM VIEW.

H. MOVEMENTS OBJECT WAS SEEN TO CREEP FORWARD AT A SLOW SPEED AND THEN TOOK OFF IN A HORIZONTAL DIRECTION AT A HIGH SPEED AND DISAPPEARED OUT OF SIG

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

WEATHER FINE. VERY CLEAR NIGHT. FULL MOON.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

NONE DEFINED.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

P.C. Section 40

CANNOCK POLICE
STATION.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NONE KNOWN.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

NONE.

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

SATURDAY, 5TH MARCH, 1988 AT 14.10 HRS.

Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

No.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

NOT INFORMED.

Yours faithfully,
Section 40

Chief Constable

Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

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DI55/108/15

11 Mar 88

DGSTI (Through DI(ST) and AD/DI55)

Copies:

- D Sc(Air)
- AD Sc3(Air)
- Sec(AS)2

UFOs - Sc3(Air) STUDY

1. There has been a major development in relation to the study Sc3(Air) were undertaking on UFOs and which was the subject of a discussion between yourself and DSc(Air). I understand that when Sec(AS)2 heard about the study, they decreed that all work should cease as it was in contravention of Ministerial statements to the effect that UFOs did not pose a threat to the UK, and that resources would not be diverted from more important work to investigate UFO incidents. I also understand that there was some concern about public reaction if knowledge of the work being undertaken emerged in the media.

2. As you know our hope was that the Sc3(Air) report would provide the definite UK position on the subject, and that it could be used for many years to respond to PQs and the like. However, it now seems that all work must stop. I do not believe that we should contest this position since no way could the work be described as essential; nevertheless, we will continue to log UFO events as and when they occur.

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CAV214 11/2325 07101139

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 110751Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 100229 MAR 88

B. 3 BRIGHT ROTATING BEAMS OF LIGHT NOT FLASHING

C. WALKING IN BRACKENDALE RD CAMBERLEY SURREY OUTDOORS

D. NAKED EYE

E. OVER HEAD

F. NOT GIVEN

G. NOT GIVEN

H. HOVERED AND SHUT OFF, NO NOISE

J. CLEAR NIGHT

K. HOUSES

L. CAMBERLEY POLICE

M. Section 40

O. NONE

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P. 110831 MAR 88

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REPORT ON UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

DC (A5) 15
 DISS
 GE (AEW)
 DC (A17)

Date, Time and Duration of Sighting 10th March, 1988, 2235, approx 30 seconds.

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Description of Object Bright light, 'fish' shaped.

Exact Position of Observer Out of doors, Houston Road, Bridge of Weir.

How Observed Naked eye, whilst out walking.

Direction in Which Object was First Seen To south of observer.

Angular Elevation of Object 40° approx

Distance Of Object from Observer He estimates half mile when first seen, disappearing when 2 or 3 miles away.

Movements of Object Straight line, from SW to NE, height about 2000' and speed about 400knots.

Meteorological Conditions During Observations Good visibility, partly cloudy, stars visible.

Nearby Objects Houses.

To Whom Reported Sgt [Section 40] and Constable [Section 40] Strathclyde Police.

Name and Address of Informant

[Section 40]

Any background Information that may be Volunteered Not a meteor. Informant was in Royal Observer Corps 30 years ago. The whole object was lit up. It was 'comet', ie bulbous with tapering tail, shaped.

Other witnesses None known

Date and Title of Receipt of Report 10th March, 1988. [Section 40] ATC Supervisor, NATS, Glasgow Airport, Paisley.

To: The Ministry of Defence (AFOR)
 Royal Air Force
 Main Building
 Whitehall
 LONDON SW 1

Phone: AIS Military
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CAS101 09/0842 069C0156

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 081530Z MAR 88

FROM RAF LEUCHARS
TO MODUK AIR
HQSTC
UKRAOC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

MODUK AIR ATTN AFOR(RAF)

REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT

A 020100Z MAR 88 FOR 10-15 MINS

B TWO RED LIGHTS FLASHING ALTERNATELY BUT SO FAR APART TO BE

OUTWITH THE REPORTERS IDEA OF ANY A/C SIZE SHE KNOWS

C O/HEAD VILLAGE OF KILRENNY FROM INSIDE MOVING CAR THEN FROM OUTSIDE

CAR IN FRONT GARDEN

D NAKED EYE

E HDG FROM ST ANDREWS TO OVERHEAD VILLAGE THEN TURNED TO HEAD

BACK TO ST ANDREWS

F 75-80 DEGREES

G HALF MILE AHEAD (ACROSS GROUND)

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H SLOW UNIFORM SPEED AND APPEARED CONSTANT HEIGHT. REPORTER COULD
NOT EXPLAIN BETTER THAN THAT

J CLEAR NIGHT SKY

K OPEN FIELDS AND A COUNTRY LANE WITH SMALL HEDGES

L SAC Section 40 WING OPERATIONS

M Section 40 KILRENNY, NR ANSTRUTHER, SCOTLAND

PHONE ANST-310679

N NIL

O HER HUSBAND Section 40

P TUESDAY 081300Z MAR 88

Q WOULD BE APPRECIATED

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From: Section 40 AD Science 3(Air)

Section 40

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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE Room Section 40
Lacon House Theobalds Road London WC1X 8RY

Telephone (Direct Dialling) Section 40
(Switchboard)

*the bottom of this. I have no record of rec. section of X1
attached and certainly did not refer to any thing of*

D = 2/F 214.

Section 40
D Science(Air)
Room Section 40
Main Building

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repeatedly since it is for use
need to speak with me*

Your reference
Our reference
D/DSc(Air)/61/4/1
Date
7 March 1988

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DSc(A)

SC 3 UFO STUDY

Ref: DI55/108/15 dated 25 Feb 88 DI55c to Sc3c(Air)

Please see Reference A which is probably the stimuli for the recent activity from Sec(AS).

DI55c's first paragraph implies that DSTI and yourself have agreed that Sc3 will continue with the feasibility study to look at the value of an interrogative database. Is this so?

I have met Section 40 of Sec(AS) and she remains firm in the view that we should not be doing anything about UFOs. We discussed alternative topics and these are being followed up with IFS.

Section 40

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25 Feb 88

Sc3c (Air) ←

Copy: Sec(AS)2a (Attn Mr **Section 40**)

UFO STUDY

1. Further to our conversation some months ago, and subsequent correspondence, I understand that DSTI and DSc (Air) have spoken about the study you are undertaking on UFO events; no further action is planned by either Director. For his part DSTI is content that the study is progressing as we envisaged, and that you will be producing a report later this year.

2. As we discussed I believe that the report should cover a significant number of UFO incidents (say 100 or more) and that some attempt should be made to correlate the sightings by geographical area and/or period of day/year, and to resolve some of the questions continually posed in Parliament and by members of the public. It would also be helpful to give some examples of 'explainable' events; eg the widely reported sighting earlier this year which in the end turned out to be VENUS.

Section 40

Wg Cdr
DI55c

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CAS051 08/0320 06704518

FDR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 071645Z MAR 88

FROM RAF MANSTON
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC
HQ 11 GP

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC SIF/Z6F

REPORT OF UFO SIGHTING

- A. 6 MAR 88 2120 TIL 2135
- B. SHAPED AND SIZE OF HOT AIR BALLOON WITHOUT A BASKET. WHITE WITH A BLACK STRIPE ON THE LOWER HALF WHICH INFREQUENTLY CHANGED ITS THICKNESS. NO FLASHING LIGHTS
- C. TRAVELLING WEST TO EAST ALONG THE A2
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. FOLLOWED ALONG THE A2 NO ESTIMATED HEIGHT OR BEARING
- F. NOT KNOWN
- G. 2 - 3 MILES
- H. MOVED SLOWLY BEFORE DISAPPEARING BEHIND A HILL
- J. SLOW MOVING CLOUDS

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- K. NOT KNOWN
- L. CIVIL POLICE

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 060845Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 060259Z MAR 88

B. ONE, UNKNOWN. LONG OBLONG WITH TWO OCCUPANTS, ORANGE/GREEN FLASHING LIGHTS, WHIPPING SOUND LIKE HELICOPTER BLADES, NO SMELL

D. NAKED EYE

E. NORTH EAST TOWARDS QUARRY

F. DOWN THEN UP INTO SKY

G. NOT GIVEN

H. STEADY UPWARDS THEN SHOT OFF AFTER HOVERING

J. COLD, ICY, GOOD VIS, NO LOW CLOUD

K. OPEN COUNTRY

L. BRADFORD, 999 CALL

M. Section 40 GREAT HORTON BRADFORD

N. MILITARY BACK GROUND EX PARA, SOBER

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P. 060405Z MAR 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 060825Z MAR 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

- SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA. 042045 AND 042055 MAR 88
- B. 2. STAR SHAPED, FIRST ONE HAD PULSATING WHITE LIGHTS, SECOND HAD STEADY DIMMER LIGHT. NO SOUND OR SMELL
- C. Section 40 PONTYPRIDD, FIRST SIGHTING ON DOORSTEP SECOND FROM LIVING ROOM WINDOW. STATIONERY
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. NORTHERLY DIRECTION
- F. NOT GIVEN
- G. ABOUT 200 YDS ABOUT 1000 FT ABOVE THE GROUND
- J. FINE, GOOD VIS, COLD TEMPERATURE
- K. HOUSES
- L. PONTYPRIDD POLICE. PC 314 WITNEY
- M. Section 40
- N. CLERICAL ASSISTANCE SOUNDS INTELLIGENT SOUNDER

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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5 mins

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 5 MAR 88 0300Z
- B. Description of Object. WHITE BRIGHT LIGHT
- C. Exact Position Observer. In the doorway of his house.
- D. How Observed. Naked eye.
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen. Moving overhead from Rotherham to sheffield - E to West.
- F. Angle of Sight. 45° from observer
- G. Distance. 1-2 miles
- H. Movements. Gradual movement ~~across~~ across the sky
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation. Full moon / clear sky.
- K. Nearby objects. Nil
- L. To whom reported. Rotherham Police Station
- M. Name and Address of informant. [Redacted] HOLMA
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. - [Redacted] WKS
letting his dog out of the house when he saw the object.
- O. Other witnesses. _____
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 5 MAR 88 0815Z
- Q. Is a reply requested. Yes

Signed [Redacted]
 Name [Redacted]
 Rank F/0 Tel No Finningley

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local time to be used) 4 MAR 83 1930-2110Z
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT
 Number 2
 Size LARGE
 Shape ROUND
 Colour WHITE
 Brightness BRIGHT
 Sound } NONE
 Smell }
- C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER
 Geographical location REIGATE
 Indoors/Outdoors
 Stationary/Moving
- D. HOW OBSERVED
 Naked eye
 Binoculars
 Other optical device
 Still or cine camera
- E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN WEST
 (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)
- F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) ESTIMATED 1000FT
- G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) UNKNOWN
- H. MOVEMENT
 Steady SLOW MOVING
 Changing
 Erratic
- J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION
 Moving clouds
 Haze CLEAR SKIES
 Mist
- K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC HOUSES
- L. TO WHOM REPORTED
 Police REIGATE POLICE REPORTED SEEING OBJECTS AT 2238
 Military Organisation
 The Press
- M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Section 40
- N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED NONE
- O. OTHER WITNESSES
- P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT 04 2110Z MARCH

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FROM : CHIEF CONSTABLE AVON AND SOMERSET FORCE COMMUNICATIONS

AUTHORITY : APS Section 40

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT- 'E' DIVISION

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A. 0635-0645 TUESDAY 010388

B. DESCRIBED AS BALLON SHAPED WHICH CHANGED TO A CIGAR SHAPE AS IT PROGRESSED STATED IT WAS LIKE A FIRE-BALL

C. STANDING INSIDE HILLVIEW WARD AT ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL BATH AND THEN FROM OUTSIDE THE BUILDING

D. OBSERVED WITH NAKED EYE

E. IN THE DISTANCE TOWARDS LANSDOWN BATH AND DISAPPEARED TO VIEW GOING TO THE LEFT OF BATH UNIVERSITY

F. SEEN ABOVE TREE-LEVEL

G. DESCRIBED AS BEING SLIGHTLY LARGER THAN HER THUMB IN THE DISTANCE AND WELL ABOVE TREE-LEVEL UNABLE TO REFER TO LAND MARK

H. MOVING FAIRLY SLOWLY AWAY FROM OBSERVER

I. DAYLIGHT AND VERY CLEAR. NO CLOUD

J. Section 40

K. REPORTED VIA TELEPHONE TO BATH CONTROL ROOM. INFORMANT SEEN BY PC Section 40

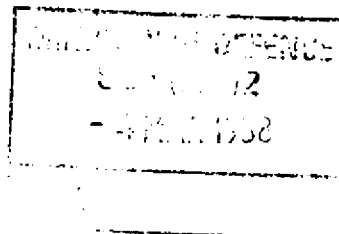
L. INFORMANT IS EMPLOYED AS A NIGHT NURSE AT HILLVIEW PSYCHIATRIC WARD AT THE ROYAL UNITED HOSPITAL WARD BATH.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used) 9 MAR 88 1990 - 2040 Z
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT
 Number 2
 Size LIKE LARGE STARS
 Shape ROUND
 Colours WHITE
 Brightness ONE BRIGHT OTHER NOT SO BRIGHT; RED/GREEN FL
 Sound } NONE
 Smell } LIGHTS ALSO REPORTED COMING FROM OBJECT
- C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER
 Geographical location RICHMOND WORTH POLICE STATION
 Indoors/~~Outdoors~~
 Stationary/~~Moving~~
- D. HOW OBSERVED
 Naked eye
 Binoculars
 Other optical device
 Still or cine camera
- E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN NORTH WEST
 (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)
- F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) 15°
- G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) LONG DISTANCE
- H. MOVEMENT
 Steady
 Changing
 Erratic
- J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION
 Moving clouds
 Haze CLEAR SKIES GOOD VIS
 Mist
- K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC NO
- L. TO WHOM REPORTED
 Police POLICE
 Military Organisation
 The Press
- M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT PC Section 40 RICHMOND WORTH POLICE STN
- N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED
- O. OTHER WITNESSES NUMEROUS SEE OVER
- P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT 9 MAR 88 2045 Z

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NORTH WATERFORD POLICE, WATERFORD, HERTS
WIMBORNE POLICE ALSO SAW OBJECTS

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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- A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used) 9 MAR 88 1951Z 1951-2006Z
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT 2009-2045Z
 Number 2
 Size BARRAGE BALLOON SHAPE
 Shape
 Colours WHITE
 Brightness DIM
 Sound } NOT KNOWN
 Smell }
- C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER
 Geographical location STAMORE
 Indoors/Outdoors OUTDOORS
 Stationary/Moving STATIONARY
- D. HOW OBSERVED
 Naked eye ✓
 Binoculars
 Other optical device
 Still or cine camera
- E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN OVER BELMONT
 (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)
- F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable)
- G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) NOT KNOWN
- H. MOVEMENT
 Steady STEADY MOVING LIKE A HELICOPTER GIVING OFF BEAMS OF LIGHT
 Changing LIGHT MOVING NORTH WEST TOWARDS OLD READING
 Erratic OLD MARCONI LIGHT
- J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION
 Moving clouds
 Haze CLEAR SKIES
 Mist
- K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC HOUSES
- L. TO WHOM REPORTED
 Police WINDSEN POLICE
 Military Organisation
 The Press
- M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Section 40
- N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED NOT KNOWN
- O. OTHER WITNESSES NEIGHBOUR + NUMEROUS OTHER MEMBERS OF PUBLIC INCLUDING LOCAL POLICE
- P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

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WILSDEN POLICE WERE INVESTIGATING REPORT FROM Section 40
WHEN THE POLICE PATROL WITNESSED THE SIGHTING.

NEW SCOTLAND YARD HAVE ALSO RECEIVED "NUMEROUS" SIGHTINGS
OF THE SAME TWO BARRAGE BALLOON SHAPED OBJECTS.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used)

04 MARCH 2105 Z

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number 2
Size UNKNOWN
Shape ROUND
Colours WHITE
Brightness BRIGHT
Sound NONE
Smell

CONVINCED THEY WERE NOT STARS OR PLANES

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

Geographical location
Indoors/Outdoors
Stationary/Moving

LIMCHESTER

D. HOW OBSERVED

Naked eye
~~Binoculars~~
~~Other optical device~~
~~Still or cine camera~~

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

WEST

(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) JUST ABOVE HORIZON

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) 3-4 MILES

H. MOVEMENT

Steady
~~Changing~~
~~Erratic~~

J. MET CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds
Haze
Mist

CLEAR SKIES

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

HOUSES, FLATS + CATHEDRAL

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police
~~Military Organisation~~
~~The Press~~

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

N/A

O. OTHER WITNESSES

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

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FROM UKRAOC
TO AFOR

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SUBJECT. UFO REPORT

- A. 290548Z FEB 68
- B. 3 RED LIGHTS, CENTRE LIGHT BRIGHTEST
- C. INDOORS LOOKING THROUGH EAST FACING UPSTAIRS WINDOW
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. WINDOW LOOKS OVER HEMEL HEMPSTEAD WITH A TREE LINE TO THE NORTH EAST WHERE OBJECT SEEN
- F. NIL
- G. APPROX OVER CADSTONE
- H. ROSE FROM THE TREE LINE, STATIONARY APPROX 3 SECS. THEN DESCENDED
- J. SLIGHT HAZE
- K. NIL
- L. DUTY CONTROLLER UKRAOC

M. Section 40

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N. NIGHT SHIFT WORKER

O. NIL

P. 290548Z FEB 68

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ROUTINE 281030Z FEB 88

FROM UKRAOC

TO AFQR

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SUBJECT. UFO REPORT

A. 290545Z FEB 88

B. 3 RED LIGHTS, CENTRE LIGHT BRIGHTEST

C. INDOORS LOOKING THROUGH EAST FACING UPSTAIRS WINDOW

D. NAKED EYE

E. WINDOW LOOKS OVER HEMEL HEMPSTEAD WITH A TREE LINE TO THE NORTH EAST WHERE OBJECT SEEN

F. NIL

G. APPROX OVER GADSTONE

H. ROSE FROM THE TREE LINE. STATIONARY APPROX 3 SECS. THEN DESCENDED

J. SLIGHT HAZE

K. NIL

L. DUTY CONTROLLER UKRAOC

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N. NIGHT SHIFT WORKER

O. NIL

P. 280070Z FEB 88

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FROM CC HUMBERSIDE POLICE
TO THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

REPORT OF U.F.O. SIGHTING
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- A. 0402, 26.2.88 - 5 MINUTES
- B. ONE-RED/ORANGE TOP SIZE OF HOT AIR BALLOON.
- C. OUTDOORS, MOVING, ROBSON WAY SUTTON HULL TOWARDS LEADS RD.
- D. EYESIGHT
- E. NORTH
- F. 45 DEGREES AT 200 FT
- G. ABOUT 800 YDS
- H. MOVING DOWN TO ROOF LEVEL
- I. SNOWING
- J. ROW OF TERRACED HOUSES
- K. PC **Section 40** B/L SUB DIVISION HUMBERSIDE POLICE
- L. **Section 40**
- M. TAXI DRIVER NO CRD
- N. PASSENGER NO OTHER DETAILS
- O. 0402 HRS 26.2.88
- P. NO

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-442641)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-158861) (P)

SUBJECT: MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.;

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	232010ZFeb 88
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Purple Ball like a vapour trail travelling downwards.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	In an Ambulance travelling along A45 on the Northampton to Wellingborough Road.
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	East to South
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	-
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Between Billing Aquadome & Cogenhoe Village.
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Floating downwards
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	-

To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Northampton Police
and then
MOD AFOR

M. Name & Address of Informant

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N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

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O. Other Witnesses

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P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

232146Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

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Date: 23 Feb 88

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Duty Ops Officer
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 221850Z FEB 88
DURATION 5 MINS
- B. Description of Object. VERY BRIGHT LIGHT - LIKE A FLASHGUN ABOVE TREELINE
- C. Exact Position Observer. OUTSIDE **Section 40** HILLSBOROUGH SHEFFIELD - **Section 40**
- D. How Observed. NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen. TOWARDS (CENTRE OF SHEFFIELD)
- F. Angle of Sight. NOT KNOWN
- G. Distance. NOT KNOWN
- H. Movements. STATIONARY THEN MOVED IN CIRCLE
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation. CLEAR NIGHT
- K. Nearby objects. NO
- L. To whom reported. HAMMERTON RD. POLICE STATION PC **Section 40**
- M. Name and Address of informant. ~~PC~~ **Section 40** CIVILIAN POLICE HAMMERTON ROAD
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. NONE
- O. Other witnesses. NONE
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 230920Z FEB 88
- Q. Is a reply requested. NO

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 16 FEB 1832 Z 88 5 MIN
- B. Description of Object.
BELOW PLANET VENUS (SE) ORANGE LIGHTS IN FIGURE '8' WITH
ORANGE LIGHTS FLYING OFF AT ANGLES
- C. Exact Position Observer.
OUTSIDE HOME ADDRESS
- D. How Observed.
NAKED EYE + BINOCULARS
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
S.EAST
- F. Angle of Sight.
450
- G. Distance.
NOT KNOWN
- H. Movements.
FIGURE OF '8' PATTERN, NOT GOING ANYWHERE
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
VERY CLEAR NIGHT
- K. Nearby objects.
NOT KNOWN - OPEN AREA
- L. To whom reported.
HECKINTHORPE POLICE STATION PC Section 40
PC
- M. Name and Address of informant.
Section 40 FRECHEVILLE, SHEFFIELD 12
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
NOTHING
- O. Other witnesses.
Section 40 DAUGHTER
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
171640 Z FEB 88
- Q. Is a reply requested.
NO

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 170515 FEB 88
- B. Description of Object. LARGE BRIGHT LIGHT WITH A LARGE WINDOW
IN IT 30' WIDE
- C. Exact Position Observer. Section 40
AT HOME LOCATION HONEYWELL
BARNSELEY
- D. How Observed. NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
'PROCEEDING IN A NEW DIRECTION TOWARDS WAKEFIELD'
- F. Angle of Sight. NOT KNOWN
- G. Distance. NOT KNOWN
- H. Movements. NOT KNOWN
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation. CLEAR NIGHT
- K. Nearby objects. NONE
- L. To whom reported. INITIALLY S. YORKS POLICE BARNSELEY WPC Section 40
PASSED TO OPS
- M. Name and Address of informant. Section 40
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. OLD LADY SUFFERS ARTHRITIS COULDN'T SLEEP, FOLLOWING
DAY ROAD ARTICLE IN SHEFFIELD STAR ABOUT OTHER SIGHTINGS
SO REPORTED IT TO POLICE.
- O. Other witnesses. NONE
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 181940Z FEB 88 CPL Section 40
- Q. Is a reply requested. NO

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 18 Feb 88, 1930Z
- B. Description of Object. Object had red and green lights, and made a "humming" noise.
- C. Exact Position Observer. Walking down a road near Sheffield (Section 40, Lowdale Crescent Millhouses).
- D. How Observed. Naked Eye
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen. Moving steadily North to South
- F. Angle of Sight.
- G. Distance.
- H. Movements. Flying
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation. Clear with a few clouds
- K. Nearby objects. Nil
- L. To whom reported. SHEFFIELD (Woodseat) Police stn
- M. Name and Address of informant. Section 40
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
- O. Other witnesses. Nil
- P. Date and time of receipt of report. 2120Z 18 FEB 88 (POLICE)
- Q. Is a reply requested. No.

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S.C.C. (AS) (A.C. 12.1.1)

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ATF 2 - can you explain what Gulf Air Ops do and
who they are?

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S.C.C. (AS) 2
M o D Main Building
Whitehall SW1A 2HB

Dear Sir,

Re-entry Sightings

The following is a description of a sighting made by four flight deck members, including myself, on the 19th February. The position was taken from the inertial navigation system and the subjective description of the phenomenon is from notes made by me at the time and agreed by the other three crew members.

date: 19. 02.88
position: N 29° 37.2' E 043° 29.9'
time: 2352 GMT
aircraft heading 290° flight level 310

I looked out of the window and saw on the horizon, bearing 210°M, what appeared to be a planet. It had the colour and magnitude of Venus but clearly could not be Venus. It then became apparent that it was moving towards me and I assumed that it was another aircraft showing landing lights flying along an intersecting airway. The light became too bright to be an aircraft and as it approached one could see trails behind it. (It is possible to see contrails by starlight). These trails however appeared to have yellow sparks in them and as it got closer several red lights, the size and colour of aircraft navigation lights, which kept station with the bright light and behind it.

The closing speed was greater than that of an aircraft one flight level above and the distribution of the lights much wider and longer than would have been possible had it been another aircraft but too close for a formation.

It passed overhead and appeared on the starboard side with the bright light unchanged and the red lights still keeping station. In other words it could not have been landing lights on another aircraft because it was far too bright and they do not shine backwards. As it receded to the horizon the "starlight" retained its colour but lost its intensity

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until, at the horizon. it turned yellow and disappeared. We were not sure if this was because it burned out or because it disappeared into the haze layer.

The total time from horizon to horizon was four minutes. The "trails" were visible only when it passed close overhead.

The descriptions in the press of the space laboratory which came down some years ago in Western Australia tally with what we saw on the night of the 19th.

I hope that this report is of interest and value. My crew and I would very much like to have an explanation if possible.

Yours faithfully,

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FROM CC HUMBERSIDE (GRIMSBY SUB DIV)
TO MINISTRY OF DEFENCE - UFO SIGHTINGS

DTG 1659 220288

U.F.O SIGHTING

AT APPROXIMATELY 21.45 HRS 21.2.88 THE FOLLOWING UFO SIGHTING
WAS SPOTTED -

- A) 21.45HRS/21.2.88 DURATION OF SIGHTING 45 MINS
- B) 2 OBJECTS, CIRCULAR LOOKED APPROX 4' IN DIAMETER, THEY WERE ONE BEHIND THE OTHER, ABSOLUTELY BRILLIANT WHITE LIGHT. AROUND THE EDGES WERE LITTLE LIGHTS AS IF PORTHOLES SOME LARGER THAN THE OTHERS. NO SOUND OR SMELL.
- C) IRBY TOP NEAR LACEBY STH HUMBERSIDE.
- D) SEEN WITH NAKED EYE.
- E) ABOVE IRBY TOP WHICH IS WEST OF LACEBY.
- F) 45 DEGREES
- G) THREE QUARTERS OF A MILE
- H) NO MOVEMENT
- I) CLEAR BRIGHT STILL NIGHT
- J) NONE
- K) POLICE - GRIMSBY HUMBERSIDE CONTROL ROOM
- L) AS ABOVE
- M) NOT KNOWN BUT APPEARED VERY SENSIBLE LOGICAL.
- N) HUSBAND OF INFORMANT.
- O) 1454HRS/22.2.88

A CHECK WITH RAF BINBROOK REVEALS THAT THEY HAVE RECEIVED OTHER
SIMILAR REPORTS OF UFOS RECENTLY BUT NOT AT THE SAME TIME.

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(a) DISS

From: Sec (AS) 20

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Date: 22 Feb 58

Tel. Section 40

Your ref.

Our ref. L/Sec (AS) 12/5

Subject: IFDC

1. Please find attached with some questions from the report. I would be grateful if you could send my light on the particular, especially - do we have any reports which come from the details? More specifically, please would you establish whether or not the RAF were exhibiting / operating over the line / installations on 23 Jan 58.
2. Please may I have replies by 2 hours.

Rank/ Appointment:

Name in Block Letters

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Signature

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19th February 1988.

To: Air Officer,

I am writing to ask if the Royal Air Force were involved in any military exercises between Leintworth, Cheshire and Whitnash, Cheshire on the night of Saturday 20th January 1988, at approximately 11.15pm. or any of the other Armed Forces for that matter.

Our organisation received a report of an unidentified object landing in a field between these two locations on this particular evening, that was seen by five witnesses. There were independent witnesses spread out between various villages between these two places and I have written statements from these. I have also photographed the area where this landing occurred and found damage to grass and trees in the area where this object landed, consistent with combustion damage.

The local RAF base at Stafford would only say that if any of their aircraft had been involved that any debris might be dangerous if touched by human hands. We have collected several pieces of metal which we believe to have been left from this object and we are keeping it in our possession for further analysis.

I would be grateful if you could deny or confirm if any military exercises were in motion during the time of this sighting, that might account for the observation by a number of witnesses.

Cheshire U.F.O. Studies Centre belong to the British U.F.O. Research Association and I will treat any information you provide me with, will be treated in the strictest of confidence. I am an ex - member of the Royal Navy serving fifteen years in the medical branch and am still subject to the Official Secrets Act, therefore I am bound to treat any information you might provide with strict confidence.

I look forward to receiving your replies to my questions with interest.

Yours faithfully,

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Commander Cheshire U.F.O. Studies Centre.
Regional Investigations Co-ordinator South Midlands
British UFO Research Association.

To: Ministry of Defence,
Royal Air Force Department,
Main Building,
Whitnash,
LONDON,
SW1 2HE.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
19 FEB 1988
FILE 12/3



REPORT FORM

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. 21-2-88. 1845Z - 1850Z 220°R TDMC DTY, VOR.

B. VERY BRIGHT RED LIGHT, FLASHING. INITIALLY APPERED TO BE SINTERINARY. PILOT THOUGHT IT COULD HAVE BEEN A MAST. BUT LATER, WHEN IT CAME CLOSER TO WITHIN 1/2 MILE IT APPERED TO BE 200-300 YDS LONG WITH RED + WHITE LIGHTS.

C. IN HELICOPTER AT 2000' ON SOUTHERLY COURSE.

D. NAKED EYE

E. IN THE SW IN HELICOPTERS 2 O'CLOCK.

F. 3-4000' DESCENDING TO 2200' WHEN IT SWERVED TO MID HELICOPTER.

G. INITIALY DIFFICULT TO SAY, MAYBE 15-20 MILES BUT CLOSED TO WITHIN 100'

H. MOVING DIRECTLY TOWARDS HELICOPTER, SPEED IN EXCESS OF 300-400 KNOTS. DID A 120° TURN TO ITS RIGHT TO AVOID HELICOPTER. THEN APPERED TO STOP, REMAINED STATIONARY FOR A WHILE, THEN ACCELERATED IN REVERSE ON A PARALLEL HEADING TO HELICOPTER.

J. EXCELLENT VMC

K. NOTHING

L. S. FIELD ATW II. FIR. LATCC

M. Section 40 [Redacted]

N.

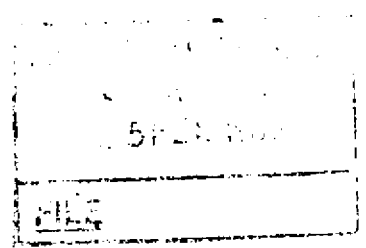
O. Section 40 [Redacted]

P. 1910Z 21-2-88.

Q.

Copy sent to ^{MAS/Sur} MAIS 21-2-88 1935Z date/time

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GFB
D/Sec Sec (210)



REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING 21 FEB 2300.
(Local times to be used)

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number
Size FLASHING RED + COLOURED
Shape
Colours
Brightness
Sound
Smell

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER

Geographical location SOUTH LOCHRANNONCH
~~Indoors/Outdoors~~
~~Stationary/Moving~~

D. HOW OBSERVED

Naked eye SOUTH
 Binoculars
 Other optical device
 Still or cine camera Fairly high

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable)

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) FAR.

H. MOVEMENT

Steady TRACK SOUTH, JUMPING
Changing
Erratic

J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds
Haze CLEAR
Mist

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC

middle hills

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police const.
Military Organisation
The Press

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(knows both persons, says they're reliable)

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT

O. OTHER WITNESSES

Section 40

P. DATE AND TIME OF REPORT

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 181730Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 172130Z FEB 88
- B. FOUR CIRCULAR, ORANGE, HAZY OBJECTS
- C. OUTDOORS STATIONARY
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. OVERHEAD NEW BARNES AREA OF BARROW-IN-FURNESS
- F. NIL
- G. NIL
- H. ERRATIC
- J. BROKEN CLOUD
- K. NIL
- L. REPORTED TO BARROW-IN-FURNESS POLICE STATION

M. Section 40

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N. NIL

O. THREE FRIENDS

P. 181400Z FEB 88

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- CYD 1 DI GE/AEW
- CAV 1 DI 55
- CAV 2 DSTI

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 181755Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 172145Z FEB 88
- B. ONE OBJECT WITH A WHITE LIGHT ON TOP AND GREEN AND RED LIGHTS FLASHING IN A CIRCULAR MOTION UNDERNEATH
- C. OUTSIDE OF HOME ADDRESS
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. OVERHEAD WOODSTOCK
- F. NIL
- G. ESTIMATED AT 20 MILES
- H. MOVING IN CIRCLES
- J. SKY CLEAR
- K. NIL
- L. REPORTED TO THAMES VALLEY POLICE
- M. Section 40 [REDACTED] STANFORD-ON-THAMES NEAR OXFORD TELEPHONE

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OXFORD Section 40 [REDACTED]

- N. NIL
- O. HUSBAND
- P. 181600Z FEB 88
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- F
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- CAV 1 DI 55
- CAV 2 DSTI

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FDR CAV

ROUTINE 191110Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. FROM 181830 TO 2015L FEB

B. LARGE OBJECT ABOUT 20FT HIGH WITH RED, YELLOW, WHITE LIGHTS

C. OUTDOORS

D. NAKED

E. N/A

F. OBJECT ON GROUND

G. CLOSE

H. STATIONARY

J. N/A

K. NIL

L. WEST MERCIA POLICE 182125Z FEB PASSED TO AIS(M) WEST DRAYTON
191055Z FEB

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HAREWOOD END, HEREFORDSHIRE

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Section 40 WAS PASSING A FIELD IN THE EARLY EVENING WHEN HE SAW THE OBJECT, WHICH AT FIRST HE THOUGHT WAS A TRACTOR, PARTIALLY OBSCURED BY SMOKE FROM A STUBBLE FIRE. ONLY LATER DID HE REALISE IT WAS A FLYING SAUCER WHEN HE AGAIN OBSERVED IT WITH OTHERS. HE EXPECTS TO GO BACK TO THE FIELD TODAY TO VIEW THE TRACKS LEFT BY THE MACHINE

O. OTHER PEOPLE AT THE FARM WITNESSED IT

P. 191055Z FEB

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	17 February 1600 hours ½ hour in total 1600-1630
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	White fibrous / disc like object. No noise. Round shape. Not very bright.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Walking towards Thonby along a road. Stopped when object seen.
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eyes.
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	From Nazeby direction from Thonby.
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Not very high up
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	—
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Zig-zag movements. Went towards Northampton
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Fine but broken cloud. Sun still up.
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Country same. Nothing special

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Lang Police [Warton Fawell Stn]
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 Northamptonshire. COM Adh by
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	Unemployed
O.	Other Witnesses	One friend
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	18 February 1988 1600 hrs
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	—

Date... 18 Feb 88

Section 40

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Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

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- Sec(AS)2
- AEW/GE
- DI 55
- File AF Ops/1/11
- Δ Sec 3c (Air)

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 172130ZFeb 88
60 Secs

B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) Bright white light, another light going round it. No sound-bigger than an airliner

C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving Indoor then outdoors. stationary in car.

D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked eye - moving in a Southerly Direction

E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) -

F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) Low altitude

G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) 1/2 a mile

H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) Straight line-Low speed

J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) Clear sky - Dry

K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting) Nearest airfield - Birmingham International Airport.

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

West Midlands Police.

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Kingsheath
Birmingham
Tel no: Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Not expert

O. Other Witnesses

Husband

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFDR)

182030Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Nil

Section 40

Date: 18 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

Sec(AS)2
AEW/GE
DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	17 February 06 15 hours 1 minute
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Initially like an aircraft but with headlights. Blue light, Red light & white light. Very large. Also four white lights. No visible shape.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	In a car driving into Huddersfield.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye out of car window
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Towards Huddersfield
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Very low in sky. Height of 4 houses
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Got quite close.
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Not moving. Then vanished
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Dark. Cloudy in part.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Open countryside with trees alongside road.

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Huddersfield police
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 [REDACTED]
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	—
O.	Other Witnesses	—
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	25 1030 Z Feb 88
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	—

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Sec (AS) 2a

Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date... 25 Feb 88

Copies to:

Sec(AS)2

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✓ DI 55

File AF Ops/1/11

✓ DC 3c (A)

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 171039Z FEB 88

FROM RAF SHAWBURY
TO MODUK ALK
INFO HQRAFSC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

FOR 54F AIR, HQRAFSC FOR (CSYD). SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT:

A 16 FEB 88 2130 HRS UNTIL 2300 HRS

B ONE ROUND SHAPED OBJECT, EMITTING SINGLE RED, GREEN AND WHITE LIGHTS

C VIEWED FROM HOUSE, BOTH INDOORS AND OUTDOORS

D VIEWED WITH NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

E EASTERLY DIRECTION, TOWARDS SHREWSBURY

F MEDIUM HEIGHT (30 DEG - 45 DEG FROM HORIZON)

G APPROXIMATELY OVER SHREWSBURY

H RANDOM MOVEMENT

J CLEAR SKY SLIGHT FROST

K NO KNOWN OBSTRUCTIONS IN THAT DIRECTION

L REPORTED ONLY TO RAF SHAWBURY

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M **Section 40**

NEWTOWN POWYS

N NIL

O 6 OTHER NEIGHBOURS

P 2300 HRS 16 FEB 88

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	172030Z Feb 88
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	2'-3' wide, white light on top. LHS under Red, RHS under Green. Look like corugated iron - went up.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Indoors - looking out of window
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	No landmark
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Level
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	close
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Straight up and then disappeared
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Dry and mild Clear sky
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Appeared to rise up out of the back garden. Houses behind back garden - object between houses over garden.

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

MOD AFOR

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Leyton E15
Tel Section 40
Son

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Schoolboy - wants to be a
Pilot - books and magazines
on A/C

O. Other Witnesses

Small Brother (6)

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

192030Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Drawing available

Section 40

Date: 20 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1



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FOR OKJ

PRIORITY/ROUTINE 171746Z FEB 88

FROM UKRAOC
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HOSTC

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SIC ISF/IBU

MODUK AIR FOR AFGS, HOSTC FOR HQ CDR CG.

A. 161710Z FEB 88, TWO MINUTES

B. ONE TIMES LONG SILVER OBJECT MUCH BIGGER THAN CIVIL PASSENGER AC, WHICH APPEARED INSTANTANEOUSLY IN CLEAR SKY BETWEEN CONTROLS OF TWO HIGH FLYING CIVIL AC WHICH HAD PASSED EACH OTHER ON OPPOSING FLIGHTPATHS. OBJECT FLASHED BRIGHTLY IN CONDITIONS OF LOW SUN

C. INDOORS LOOKING THROUGH WINDOW AT PASSING AC

D. BY NAKED EYE

E. NEAR YEADON LEEDS BRADFORD AIRPORT

F. VIEWED AT HIGH ANGLE, FORTY FIVE DEGREE OR MORE TO HORIZONTAL.

G. VERY DISTANT, AC WERE SPECKS ONLY, IDENTIFIABLE BY THEIR CONTROLS

H. OBJECT DISAPPEARED AS QUICKLY AS IT APPEARED. IT WAS STATIONARY

PAGE 2 R800VI 014 RESTRICTED

THROUGHOUT OBSERVATION AND APPEARED TO BE QUOTE HOVERING AND WATCHING UNQUOTE

IN CLEAR SKY, NO CLOUDS, LOW SUN MAKING NO GLINT

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LEEDS POLICE, LEEDS TEL UNIT, GUMS, BUT NOT

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

File all p 58
0500
(107)

A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING
(Local times to be used) 16/2/88

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

Number **THREE**
Size **SMALL**
Shape **DISC SHAPE**
Colours **NIL**
Brightness **SKY BRIGHT**
Sound **NIL**
Smell **NIL**

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER
Geographical location **IN GARDEN**
Indoor/Outdoor
Stationary/~~moving~~;

D. HOW OBSERVED

Baked eye
~~Binoculars~~
~~Other optical device~~
~~Still or video camera~~

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)
CAME FROM WEST - WENT TO EAST

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable) _____

G. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark if possible) **15 feet ??**

H. MOVEMENT

Steady
~~Changing~~
~~Erratic~~

J. WEATHER CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATION

Moving clouds
None **CLEAR SKY**
Mist

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS ETC **MOBILE HOMES**

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

Police
Military Organisation
The Press

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OR INFORMANT

Section 40 [Redacted]

N. ANY BACKGROUND OF THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NR ABINADON OXFORDSHIRE RADLEY
LIVES ALONG

O. OTHER RELEVANT

No

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

SEC (AS) cc
DISS
GE 3
O Sc 3c (Air)

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec (AS) 2
10 MAR 1988

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT PROFORMA

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From: Section 40 [redacted]

Reference:

RAF SEALAND.

1. Details of Complaint.

a. Name: Section 40 [redacted]

b. Address: Section 40 [redacted]

2. Sighting:

a. Date/Time of Sighting and Duration: 12 Feb 88 2130Z
Duration 30mins.

b. Position of Observer:
ELLESMERE Post.

c. How Observed: Naked eye.

d. Direction Object first Seen: due West

e. Angle of Elevation: /

f. Distance of Object from Observer: /

g. Movement of Object: STRAIGHT ACROSS SKY

h. Met Conditions: /

j. Nearby Objects: /

k. To Whom Reported: ORDNANCE OFFICER RAF SEALAND

l. Other Witnesses: /

m. Comments: YELLOW OBJECT NOT HELICOPTER

3. Date and Time Received: 150930 Feb 88

Sec (AS) cc

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D Sc 30 (Air)

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
17 FEB 1988

Signed: Section 40 [redacted]

Name: Section 40 [redacted]

Date: 15 Feb 88

FILE 12/2

Rank: MA

Tel No: Section 40 [redacted]

Reported to Stansted Airport

STANSTED AIRPORT

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REF: MATS PART 1

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

8SD/1/11

- A DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING *14.2.88. 1910. 5 to 10 secs* ¹⁰⁴
(Local times to be quoted)
- B DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT *ONE - N/A - BALL WITH LONG TAIL -*
(Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc) *BRIGHT WITH SPARKS - N/A.*
- C EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER *DUNMOW, ESSEX. OUTDOORS.*
(Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationery or moving) *STATIONERY.*
- D HOW OBSERVED *NAKED EYE.*
(Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera)
- E DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN *WEST TO EAST. OPEN*
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) *FIELDS.*
- F ANGULAR ELEVATION OF OBJECT *45 TO 50°*
(Estimated heights are unreliable)
- G DISTANCE OF OBJECT FROM OBSERVER *2 1/2 MILE AWAY.*
(By reference to a known landmark wherever possible)
- H MOVEMENTS OF OBJECT *STRAIGHT HORIZONTAL MOVEMENT.*
(Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)
- J METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS *CAVOK. 120/10 kts.*
(Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc) *T +05°C QNH 1021*
- K NEARBY OBJECTS *NONE.*
(Telephone or high-voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories; pits or other sites with floodlights or other lighting)
- L TO WHOM REPORTED *NONE.*
(Police, military organisations, the press, etc)
- M NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT *Section 40*
- N ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED *NONE.*
- O OTHER WITNESSES *NO.*
- P DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT *14.2.88. 1940.*

Details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC Extn 2153

Completed report is to be sent to the Ministry of Defence AFOP - RAF Main Bldg

Section 40

Wilton, London SW1

14.2.88

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	142000ZFeb 88 20 Secs
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Circular with cluster of white lights. No idea of size.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Mobile in car then stationary in car.
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Seemed to cross left to right. Not sure of direction.
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Medium Level - 45 degrees
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Difficult to estimate - no reference point.
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Appeared to travel in a straight line at very high speed.
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear sky
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing of note

To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Civil Police, Walsall
181910zFeb88 then
Duty Controller RAOC
at 1811920Feb88

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Bilston
Wolverhampton
Tel no: Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

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O. Other Witnesses

Nil

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

181920Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

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R. Remarks

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Section 40

Date: 18 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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FM TELEX RUDLOE MANOR
TO RAF WEST DRAYTON

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
19 FEB 1988
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REPLIES TO TELEX RUDLOE MANOR (RBDTCU) FIRST LINE OF TEXT FOR:

0700 SUSPOL G

GLB.NO: 0271 LOC.NO.TLX041 DATE/TIME: 130200/2342 OP: AD000F TERM:
ORIGINATOR PC M Section 40 000, BEXHILL, S/O. PRIORITY L
DESTINATION TLX COM

U.F.O. SIGHTING (UFOSIGHT1) MIN CIRC.TLX: COM FOR PRO
TO O.I.C. 449929 RAFRUD G. FOR RAF WEST DRAYTON

- A. DATE OF SIGHTING 110200 TIME 1930 TO ----
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT CYLINDRICAL, NO WINGS, NO NOISE, VERY DARK GREY.
(NUMBER, SIZE SHAPE, COLOURS, SOUND, SMELL)
- C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER IN CAR ON DRIVEWAY TO HOME ADDRESS.
(INDOORS, OUTDOORS, STATIONARY, MOVING)
- D. HOW OBSERVED PLAIN SIGHT. (BINOCULARS, CAMERA OR OTHER DEVICE)

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- E. DIRECTION OF 1ST SIGHTING SOUTH.
- F. ANGLE OF SIGHT 40 DEGREES. (ESTIMATED HEIGHTS ARE UNRELIABLE)
- G. DISTANCE AWAY U/K, BUT BELIEVED CLOSE
- H. MOVEMENT STEADY, FAST (STEADY, CHANGING, ERRATIC)
- J. MET. CONDITIONS AT TIME CLEAR SUNNY.

PAGE TWO FOLLOWS.

UFO SIGHTING CONTINUED (UFOSIGHT2)

- K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS/ETC CLOSE TO ROOF TOPS OF NEW HOUSES IN COWERAY PARK RD, BEXHILL.
- L. TO WHOM REPORTED POLICE. (POLICE, PRESS, ETC)
- M. INFORMANT'S NAME Section 40
ADDRESS Section 40
Section 40 BEXHILL, SUSSEX. TELE Section 40
- N. ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON INFORMANT NIL.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

P. DATE OF REPORT 130200 TIME 1930

MESSAGE ENDS

UFO Report
FLYING COMPLAINT FORM

15/2
Section 40

(DO NOT STATE THAT AN INVESTIGATION WILL ATTEND)

From: HQ F&SS (UK)

TO: MOD Sec (AS) 2b

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1. Details of Complaint.

a. Name & Initials Complaint made by Mother of
b. Address Section 40
TOPTON, chesterfield, Derbyshire
c. Nearest large Town
d. Telephone No with code

Section 40

2. Details of Incident.

a. Date 12 Feb 88
b. Time (Local or Zulu) 1930
c. No of ac involved ONE Perhaps UFO.
d. Height LOW
e. Direction

3. Identification of Aircraft.

like a star but bright.
Propeller Military Civil Fighter Bomber Helicopter Light ac
Colour Silver White Any noticeable Colours/markings

4. Location of Complaint (if Different from 1b) (with telephone No if applicable.)

Wig erworth

5. Remarks (Do not prompt complainant). Is there any injury/damage to persons/ livestock/property which will result in a claim? Complainants claiming injury to livestock should report the incident to their local NFU, producing a veterinary report. Or for any of the above claims that may occur they can write to MOD Claims, West Avenue House, High Holborn, London, WC1V 6HE. Tel 01 01430 ext 5622.

6. Full Details of Complaint. 2 young ladies (age 22, 14) had just left the corner shop (w/indoor stores) when a bright light hovered over head them and surrounded them in bright lights like lasers or dashes of light, husband of Section 40 had a similar experience at same place last week

Date/Time Report Received 130940 Feb 88

incident was reported to local police on 0246-220100.

Signed Section 40
Name
Rank Cpl Tel No Section 40

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GE (A&S) GE 3
D. S'S
D/SR 30 (Air)

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	121930 Feb 88 10-15 Mins
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	3 objects, very bright
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Indoors
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Not estimated
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	No estimation
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	No estimation
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	None
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear sky/dark
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Built-up area and open parkland adjacent to house

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Direct to Northampton Police (Weston Favell) who reported to Air Force Ops

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Northants
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N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

None reported

O. Other Witnesses

Wife & Child

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

121940Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Nil

Section 40

Date: 12 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

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DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	121859 Feb 88 10 Mins
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Yellow Star, very bright
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors and stationary
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	SE & travelling East
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	No estimation
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	No estimation
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	None
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear sky/dark
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Built-up area

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Direct to Northampton Police (Weston Favell) who reported to Air Force Ops

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Weston Favell
Northants

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

None reported

O. Other Witnesses

None

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

121930Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Nil

Section 40

Date: 12 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

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DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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- A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 122150 Feb 88
2 Mins
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- B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) 1 object. Red/white flashing lights. Stationary. Very bright.
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- C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving Ryde Hospital (IDW)
Stationary
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- D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked eye then binoculars
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- E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) NE of hospital
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- F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) 10 o'clock or 30 degrees above horizon
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- G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) No estimation
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- H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) Stationary then disappeared (did not move off)
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- J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) Very clear & cold
-
- K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting) Nothing of note
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L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Direct to AFOR

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Retired Merchant Seaman

O. Other Witnesses

Wife

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

122205Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Exceptionally bright red lights full length
of object.

Section 40

Date: 12 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

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ROUTINE 120815Z FEB 68

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMANA

- A. 111900Z FEB
- B. ONE VERY BRIGHT WHITE IN COLOUR
- C. WINTER HILL, BELMONT MOOR, BOLTON
- D. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS
- E. OVERHEAD
- F. 30000 FT
- H. MOVING LEFT TO RIGHT
- J. CLEAR THEN CLOUDY
- K. RADIO MAST AND 3 PYLONS
- L. MANCHESTER ATC
- M. Section 40
- O. WIFE PLUS ONE
- P. 112053Z FEB

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REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting Local times to be quoted	12TH FEBRUARY 1910L
B. Description of Object Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.	SPINNING TOP THAT APPEARED TO ENTER 'HAZE' AND APPEAR AS A BALL WITH LOTS
C. Exact position of observer Geographical location, indoors or out, stationery or moving.	INDOORS OF COLOURED LIGHTS
D. How Observed Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.	NAKED EYE
E. Direction in which Object was First Seen A landmark more useful than badly estimated bearing.	TOWARDS BACKWELL STATION
F. Angular Elevation of Object Estimated heights are unreliable.	UNABLE TO ESTIMATE
G. Distance of Object from Observer Ref. to known landmark when possible.	UNABLE TO ESTIMATE
H. Movements of Object Changes in E, F & G more use than est. course and speed.	LEFT TO RIGHT
J. Met. Condition During Observation Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc.	CLEAR SKY
K. Nearby Objects Telephone or high-voltage lines; dam, lake or reservoir; swamp or marsh; river; high building, tall chimney, steeples, spires or masts; airfields, generating plants; pits, factories or other lighted sites, or lighting.	BACKWELL LAKE, BACKWELL SCHOOL
L. To Whom Reported Police, Military org. the press, etc.	NONE
M. Name and Address of Informant	Section 40 [REDACTED] NAILSEA
N. Any Background Information on Informant that may be Volunteered	NAILSEA Section 40
O. Other Witness	NONE - HUSBAND ARRIVED TOO LATE TO VIEW.
P. Date and Time of Receipt of Report	12TH / 2005

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 Sec.(AS)2
 19 FEB 1988
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Signature [REDACTED] Section 40

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CAV188 11/1757 042C3147

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 111450Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 081704Z FEB 2 MINS

B. TWO PAIRS OF LIGHTS COLOURED ORANGE AND WHITE

C. PLYMOUTH COLLEGE OF FURTHER EDUCATION KINGS RD, DEVONPORT

D. NAKED EYE

E. NORTHERLY

F. NIL

G. NIL

H. STATIONARY FOR TWO MINS THEN DEPARTED QUICKLY

J. CAVOK

K. NIL

L. AISM RAF WEST DRAYTON

M. **Section 40**

O. NONE BUT REPORTED IN PRESS NEXT DAY

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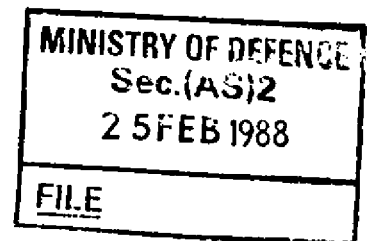
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Sec (AS) 2/4
 DISS
 GE 3
 DSc 3c (AIR)

1. Date, time and duration of sighting.
 11 1940~~2~~ FEB 88 5 MINS
2. Description of object. 2 FRONT WHITE LIGHTS, 2 BACK WHITE LIGHTS, UNDERNEATH A TRIANGLE OF WHITE LIGHTS, FLASHING RED CENTRE LIGHT, ONE GREEN LIGHT EITHER SIDE.
3. Exact position observed.
 WEST STREET, FARNHAM SU 835450
4. How observed.
 OBJECT OVERHEAD
5. Direction in which object was first seen.
 TOWARDS MEMORIAL HALL GROUND
6. Angle of sight.
 TOWARDS THE RIGHT OF THE OBSERVER, THEN ABOVE.
7. Distance. - CLOSE PROXIMITY, VERY LOW
8. Movements. NOT MUCH NOISE, FIRST OBSERVED STATIC THEN CONTINUOUS STEADY MOVEMENT.
9. Meteorological conditions during observation.
 MILD & CLEAR
10. Nearby objects.
 N/A
11. To whom reported. SAC Section 40
12. Name and address of informant. Section 40
13. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
 HER MOTHER SAW A UFO YEARS AGO, BUT DIDNT BOTHER TO REPORT IT.



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14. Other witnesses.

NIL

15. Date and time of receipt of report.

12 ~~1000~~ FEB 88

16. Is a reply requested?

Section 40

WOULD BE INTERESTED IN THE OUTCOME.

Note:

There were 3 helicopters airborne from Odiham
at the time but all were operating in the
vicinity of Salisbury Plain / SW of the field.
They are also considerably noisier than a silent UFO!

Section 40

Flt Lt

Low Fly Complaints Officer

Diss

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National Air Traffic Services
Airspace Utilisation Section
Hillingdon House
Uxbridge, Middlesex UB10 0RU



Tel: [Redacted] Section 40
GPT [Redacted]
Tele [Redacted]

Air Force Duty Officer
Room [Redacted] Section 40
Main Building
Whitehall

Our ref: AUS/30/13/1/0ps

10 February 1988

Dear Sir

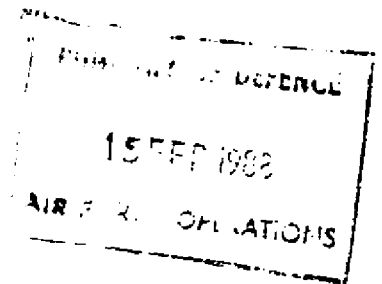
UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT MORETON-IN-MARSH

I enclose a letter from [Redacted] Section 40 of the British UFO Research Association regarding the above event. Also enclosed is a copy of my reply stating that there was no activity known to this section.

Yours faithfully

[Redacted] Section 40

ATCO II
for OC AUS



National Air Traffic Services
Airspace Utilisation Section
Hillingdon House
Uxbridge, Middlesex UB10 0RU

Tel: Section 40

GPT

Tele:

Section 40



Our ref: AUS/30/13/1/0ps

/0 February 1988

Dear Section 40

UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT MORETON-IN-MARSH

Thank you for your letter dated 7 February 1988 on the above subject.

There was no known aerial activity notified to this section on the relevant date, time or place,

I am passing on your letter to the appropriate department at the Ministry of Defence who will no doubt contact you in due course.

Yours sincerely

Section 40

ATCO II
for OC AUS

cc Air Force Duty Officer
Room 5245
Main Building
Whitehall

DEAR SIR OR MADAM, 7/2/88

I AM WRITING TO YOU TO ASK FOR YOUR HELP. I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW IF THERE WERE ANY AIRCRAFT, WEATHER BALLONS, ETC FLYING OVER THE GLOUCESTERSHIRE AREA ON THE 18TH DECEMBER 1987.

THE REASON I ASK FOR THIS INFORMATION IS, IT HAS BEEN REPORTED TO ME, OF A VERY BRIGHT OBJECT, SEEN OVER MORETON - IN - MARSH, GLOUCESTERSHIRE, AT 10.00 P.M. THE OBJECT WAS OBSERVED FOR FIVE MINUTES, BY A PERSON IN NEARBY BLOCKLEY. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS TAKEN FROM THE REPORT FORM FILLED IN BY THE WITNESS.

"THE OBJECT WAS STATIONARY AND VERY BRIGHT, AFTER A SHORT WHILE THE OBJECT SUDDENLY DISSAPPEARED BUT

P.T.O.

REAPPEARED WITHIN TWO SECONDS JUST
AS FAST, BUT BRIGHTER WITH BEAMS OF
LIGHTS SPREADING OUT."

IF YOU CAN HELP ME EXPLAIN THE
OBJECT TO THE WITNESS. PLEASE SEND ME
YOUR ANSWER PLUS ANY INFORMATION OF
YOUR FINDINGS TO ME IN THE ENCLOSED
S.A.E. AS IT WILL BE VERY USEFUL TO
ME IN FUTURE REPORTS.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH

YOURS SINCERELY

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B.U.F.O.R.A. INVESTIGATOR
(BRITISH UFO RESEARCH ASSOCIATION)

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 10 FEB 88. 1921 HRS
FEW SECONDS
- B. Description of Object.
ARROW SHAPED. RED LIGHT AT REAR. 5 RED LIGHTS
DOWN SIDE. HUMMING SOUND.
- C. Exact Position Observer.
WOODSWORTH AVE. PARSONS CROSS
SHEFFIELD
- D. How Observed.
NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
SOUTH EAST
- F. Angle of Sight.
/
- G. Distance.
LOW (HOVERING)
- H. Movements.
HOVERING, THEN SPED OFF S-EAST
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
WINDY, QUIET CLEAR
- K. Nearby objects.
NEAR GARAGE (OPEN)
- L. To whom reported.
SHEFFIELD (ECCLESFIELD) POLICE
- M. Name and Address of informant.
Section 40
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
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- O. Other witnesses.
Section 40 SHEFFIELD POLICE
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
RAF - 11 FEB 1425
POLICE - 10 FEB 1951
- Q. Is a reply requested.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE Sec.(AS)2 18 FEB 1988 FILE

PC Section 40 has told Sheffield police that 'it was obviously a military type a/c displaying its full ~~quota~~ quota of lights'. (PC Section 40)

SEC (AS)cc
 GE (HEW) GE 3
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	090905Z Feb 88 5-6 Secs
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B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Round object, spinning Glinting. Aircraft size. Glint once ever second
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C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Seemed to cross Flight Path of 2 aircraft. Outdoors, standing still.
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D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
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E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	North
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F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	60 degrees Plus
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G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	1000 feet, medium level.
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H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Appeared to travel in a straight line at High Speed and no noise.
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J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear, no cloud Bright Sun
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K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing of note
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L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Civil Police, Walsall
then
Duty Controller RAOC
at 181630ZFeb88

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Amington
Tamworth, Staffs
Tel no: Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Not an expert but very
keen on aircraft.

O. Other Witnesses

Nil

P. Date, Time of Receipt (in AFOR)

181700Z FEB 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

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R. Remarks

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Section 40

Date: 18 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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File AF Ops/2/5/1

File pso

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 081915 Feb 88
10 Mins

B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) White Lights - one initially, then a second

C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving Outdoors and stationary

D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked eye

E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) Northwards

F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) /

G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) Unable to estimate

H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) Frequent changes of direction

I. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) Clouds in eye but not moving

J. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, windmills, generating plants, factories, etc on either side with floodlights or night lighting) N/A - Cottage on hilltop

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

MOD

M. Name & Address of Informant

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Matfield

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N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Wasn't going to bother
reporting sighting but
was persuaded to by her
children

O. Other Witnesses

Section 40

two teenage

children

P. Date, Time of Receipt

082025Z Feb 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Nil

Section 40

Date: 8 Feb 88

Wgh Edr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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File AF Ops/E/5/1

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT (RECEIVED AT RAE COTTESMORE)

Section 40

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A. DATE, TIME, DURATION OF SIGHTING:
(Local time to be used)

0100. 08 FEB 88.

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B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT:

Number: ONE
Size:
Shape:
Colours: GREEN LIGHT IN SKY
Brightness:
Sound:
Smell:

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER:

Geographical Location:

Indoors/Outdoors
~~Stationary~~/Moving

Section 40
BLENFIELD LEICS

D. HOW OBSERVED:

Naked Eye: ✓

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN:

then curved in again
Moving then stopped

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT:

G. DISTANCE:

H. MOVEMENT: MOVING THEN STOPPED THEN MOVING AGAIN

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS: Clear

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS:

L. TO WHOM REPORTED:

Sgt Section 40 LEICS. POLICE

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT:

Section 40 and son Section 40

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
SQUAD 1912
WINDYBUSH
12/2

As Para C

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED:

None

O. OTHER WITNESSES.

No

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT:

08 1010 . Feb 88

Section 40

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To be sent to:

Sec (AS) 2
Room Section 40
Ministry of Defence
Main Building
Whitehall
London

SAC (AS) c.c.

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D1 55
D/SC 3c (Air)

Copy to:

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FM TELX RUDLGE MANOR

TO RAF WEST DRAYTON

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REPLIES TO TELEX RUDLGE MANOR, FIRST LINE OF TEXT FOR:

8720 SUSPOL G

GLB.NO: 0335 LOC.NO.TLX044 DATE/TIME: 080288/2309 OP: AELCO TERM:

ORIGINATOR PC Section 40 LEWES SUSSEX PRIORITY L

DESTINATION LEW TLX COM

U.F.O. SIGHTING (UFOSIGHT1)

MIN CIRC.TLX: COM FOR PRO

TO O.I.C. 44929 RAFRUD G. FOR RAF WEST DRAYTON

A. DATE OF SIGHTING 080288 TIME 2200 TO

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT SIMILAR TO A DOUBLE WHITE SHEET, SHAPED LIKE A BIRD. 1 ONLY. NOT SQUARE. HAD FLAPPING SIDES. NO NOISE.

(NUMBER, SIZE SHAPE, COLOURS, SOUND, SMELL

C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER OUTDOORS IN TAXI ON A27 BEDDINGHAM TO LEWES RD. MOVING. (INDOORS, OUTDOORS, STATIONARY, MOVING

D. HOW OBSERVED VISUAL (BINOCULARS, CAMERA OR OTHER DEVICE

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E. DIRECTION OF 1ST SIGHTING FROM TOP OF HILL LOOKING AT GLYNDE.

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT EAST TO WEST. (ESTIMATED HEIGHTS ARE UNRELIABLE

G. DISTANCE AWAY 15 TO 20 FEET FROM CAR

H. MOVEMENT STEADY (STEADY, CHANGING, ERRATIC)

J. MET. CONDITIONS AT TIME CLOUDY. DRY. COLD. NO HAZE OR MIST.

PAGE TWO FOLLOWS.

UFO SIGHTING CONTINUED (UFOSIGHT2)

K. NEARBY OBJECTS/BUILDINGS/ETC ONLY THE HILL IT CAME FROM

L. TO WHOM REPORTED PC Section 40 LEWES P. STN (POLICE, PRESS, ETC

M. INFORMANT'S NAME Section 40

ADDRESS

N. ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON INFORMANT NONE

O. OTHER WITNESSES PASSENGER IN TAXI Section 40

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P. DATE OF REPORT 080288 TIME 2308

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ROUTINE 070815Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 061845 FEB 88
- B. ROUND, GREEN YELLOW AND BLUE LIGHTS
- C. DAWLEY TELFORD INDOORS MOVING
- D. TELESCOPE
- E. NOT GIVEN
- F. NOT GIVEN
- G. 8000FT GUESS
- H. FAST THEN HOVERED CAME TO REST OVER TOWN CENTRE
- J. CLEAR
- K. NOT GIVEN
- L. TELFORD CONSTABULERY **Section 40**
- M. **Section 40** DAWLEY TELFORD TEL **Section 40**
- O. FIVE POLICE OFFICERS

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P. 061910 FEB 88

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ROUTINE 071320Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 6 FEB 88, 1830, SIX HOURS

B. ONE, LARGE, CONE

C. OUTDOORS, STATIONARY

D. NAKED EYE AND BINOCULARS

E. KILVEY HILL MAST SWANSEA

F. NOT GIVEN

G. THREE AND A HALF MILES

H. FROM 1830 TO 2000 STEADY THEN MOVED WESTWARDS

J. GOOD CLEAR

K. NOT GIVEN

L. COCKETT POLICE STATION SWANSEA

M. Section 40

TEL SWANSEA Section 40

N. NONE

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O. NEIGHBOUR

P. 061845 FEB 88

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ROUTINE 070815Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 061845 FEB 88
- B. ROUND, GREEN YELLOW AND BLUE LIGHTS
- C. DAWLEY TELFORD INDOORS MOVING
- D. TELESCOPE
- E. NOT GIVEN
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- H. FAST THEN HOVERED CAME TO REST OVER TOWN CENTRE
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ANNEX A TO
SOP 302

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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- A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 073220 Feb 68
2 Mins

- B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) Red & White Lights

- C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving Outdoors on foot
10 Smethick High Street

- D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked eye

- E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) Overhead

- F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) /

- G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) /

- H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) Upwards into clouds

- I. Wet Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) Cloudy no rain

- J. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, woods or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steelworks, poles, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, etc) or other sites with floodlights or night lighting Built up area

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

West Midlands Police
Control Room

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Nil

O. Other Witnesses

Nil

P. Date, Time of Receipt

072258z Feb 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

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R. Remarks

Section 40

Date: 7 Feb 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 06/835 FEB 88
- B. Description of Object.
NO SHAPE ALTERNATING RED, WHITE AND GREEN LIGHTS AS MOVED
ACROSS SKY
- C. Exact Position Observer.
BUS STOP ON TYLER STREET WINGCOBANK SHEFFIELD
- D. How Observed.
NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
NOT KNOWN
- F. Angle of Sight.
NOT KNOWN
- G. Distance.
NOT KNOWN
- H. Movements.
SLIGHT MOVEMENT ACROSS SKY
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
RAINING/OVERCAST
- K. Nearby objects.
NONE
- L. To whom reported.
PC Section 40 SHEFFIELD POLICE
- M. Name and Address of informant.
Section 40 SHEFFIELD
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
NONE
- O. Other witnesses.
NONE
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
080841Z FEB 88 FROM PC. Section 40 SHEFFIELD POLICE
- Q. Is a reply requested.
YES

Sec(AS)cc
 CE(AEW)GE3
 DISS
 D/Sec 3c (A/R)

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
 Sec.(AS)Z
 18 FEB 1988
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CAS219 04/2104 03505356

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 041935Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 041750 FEB, 25 MINUTES ALSO MONDAY 011900 FEB DURATION NOT GIVEN
- B. THREE WHITE BRIGHT LIGHTS TURNING TO RED PLUS ONE OBJECT NO LIGHTS
ROUND BROWN VERY LOW
- C. NEAR M61, OUTDOORS MOVING SLOWLY
- D. NAKED EYE PLUS STILL CAMERA
- E. NOT GIVEN
- F. TWENTY FIVE DEGREES
- G. NOT GIVEN
- H. SLOWLY
- J. CLOUD PLUS RAIN
- K. NOT GIVEN
- L. MANCHESTER ATCC
- M. Section 40 FARNWORTH MANCHESTER

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N. NO

O. PARENTS PLUS NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOUR

P. 041855 FEB

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 040730Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUR AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL FREEMEN

- A. 032325 FEB 88 FOR 5 MINS
- B. ONE BRIGHTLY LIT WHITE OBLONG SHAPED OBJECT WITH NO SOUND AND NO SMELL
- C. BETWEEN EWSHOTT AND CRONDAL HAMPSHIRE
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. UNSURE
- F. PASSED OVERHEAD
- G. VERY LOW
- H. STEADY PASSED QUICKLY
- J. WINDY LIGHT DRIZZLE
- K. NOTHING OPEN COUNTRY
- L. REPORTED TO HEATHROW AIRPORT
- M. **Section 40**

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F. 040028Z FEB 88

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- CAV 1 OF 55
- CAV 2 DSII

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 021955Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 021645Z FEB, SIX TO SEVEN MINUTES
- B. LARGE OBJECT, CYLINDRICAL, NARROW AND LONG, ORANGEY YELLOW IN COLOUR. THOUGHT AT FIRST IT WAS A CRASHING AIRCRAFT. DESCENDED DIRECTLY OVERHEAD BRACKNELL VERY FAST THEN SLOWED WITH A PUFF OF BLACK SMOKE AT REAR THEN DEPARTED TO SOUTHWEST
- C. SEEN FIRST FROM CAR WHEN DRIVING FROM WARFIELD TO BRACKNELL
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. N/K
- F. N/K
- G. DIFFICULT TO JUDGE BUT QUITE HIGH
- H. CHANGING HEADING
- J. VERY FEW CLOUDS LOW WINTERY SUNSHINE
- K. TOWN OF BRACKNELL

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L. AIS(M), WEST DRAYTON

M. **Section 40**

N. FELT FOOLISH REPORTING UFO

O. STEP DAUGHTER

P. 021935 FEB

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CYB 1 DD GE/AEW
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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 021500Z FEB 88

FROM HQRAFSC
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

MODUK AIR FOR SEC AS2A. SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT.
ALPHA. 29 JAN 88 FROM 1845HRS UNTIL 1940HRS AND 30 JAN 88 FROM
1915 HRS UNTIL 1925HRS

BRAVO. EXTREMELY BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT CONICAL IN SHAPE WITH A TAIL
OF LACY APPEARANCE. SECOND SIGHTING SIMILAR BUT MANOEUVRED
SIDEWAYS TO GIVE SIGHT OF ORANGE BAR COVERING APPROX ONE EIGHTH
OF OVERALL AREA

CHARLIE. STATIONARY OUTDOORS BY BACK DOOR OF HOME AT HOLYBOURNE,
ALTON

DELTA. NAKED EYE AND POWERFUL BINOCULARS

ECHO. DUE WEST

FOXTROT. NOT KNOWN

GOLF. NOT KNOWN

HOTEL. FIRST SIGHTING OBJECT STATIONARY FOR APPROX 35 MINUTES THEN

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DESCENDED VERTICALLY AND TURNED SOUTH. DISAPPEARED MOMENTARILY
BEHIND CLOUD THEN REAPPEARED REMAINING STATIONARY UNTIL DISAPPEARING
INTO CLOUD AT 1940HRS. SECOND SIGHTING SAME POSITION REMAINING
STATIONARY APART FROM SIDEWAYS MANOEUVRE AT 1925HRS. CHANGED SHAPE
WITH A RING OF LIGHT AND DISAPPEARED

JULIET. FIRST NIGHT PARTLY CLOUDY, SECOND NIGHT CLEAR

KILO. NIL

LIMA. SGT Section 40 AF POLICE RAF OAKHANGER

MIKE. PC Section 40 HOLYBOURNE, ALTON

NOVEMBER. SUBJECT CIVIL POLICE OFFICER CONTACTABLE AT ALTON POLICE
STATION TELEPHONE Section 40 LOCAL NEWSPAPER OVERHEARD CONVERSATION
BETWEEN SUBJECT AND COLLEAGUES

OSCAR. WIFE AND DAUGHTER

PAPA. TO HQRAFSC AT 021100Z FEB 88

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 02 1950Z FEB 88
- B. Description of Object. 4 LARGE RED LIGHTS ON DARK ROUND OBJECT
- C. Exact Position Observer. JUNCTION OF DROANWELL RD/BLACKBURN RD
ROTHERHAM
- D. How Observed. NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
NNW
- F. Angle of Sight. 45°
- G. Distance. 100 YDS
- H. Movements. STRAIGHT LINE
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation. SLIGHT DRIZZLE, BROKEN
CLOUD
- K. Nearby objects. SHARDLOWS ENGINEERING WORKS
- L. To whom reported. YORKSHIRE UFO SOCIETY
- M. Name and Address of informant. REPORTED TO RAF FINNINGLEY BY:
INFORMANT INFO WITH HELD - Section 40
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered. Section 40
NONE
- O. Other witnesses. 2 WOMEN IN HILLSBOROUGH SHEFFIELD
REPORTED SEEING THE SAME AT 1945Z
TO SHEFFIELD POLICE.
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
041040Z FEB 88
- Q. Is a reply requested.
YES

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 D/S. 3c (1714)

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
 SEC(AS)Z
 18 FEB 1988
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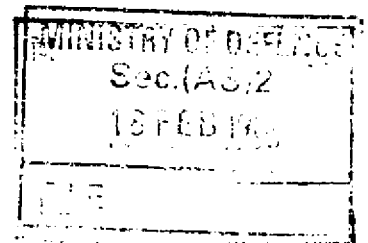
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 2 FEB 88 1945 HRS
- B. Description of Object.
SAUCER SHAPED
- C. Exact Position Observer.
DRIVING CAR DOWNHAM RD, SHEFFIELD
- D. How Observed.
NAKED EYE
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
/
- F. Angle of Sight.
/
- G. Distance.
/
- H. Movements.
FLYING
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
RAINING
- K. Nearby objects.
NIL
- L. To whom reported.
SHEFFIED (ECCLESFIELD) POLICE
- M. Name and Address of informant.
Section 40
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
- O. Other witnesses.
PC Section 40 Section 40
PC (TELEPHONIST)
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
2133 HRS. 2 FEB 88 (POLICE)
1425 HRS 11 FEB 88 (RAF)
- Q. Is a reply requested.

low Fg a/c / helicopter / piston engine a/c

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GE(AEW)GE 3
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ROUTINE 011000Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUR AIR

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SIC Z6F
SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 010100 FEB 88
- B. ONE VERY LARGE NO PARTICULAR SHAPE WITH FEW VERY LARGE BRIGHT LIGHTS LATER MERGED TO ONE SOUND OF POSSIBLE AIRCRAFT NO SMELL
- C. SOUTH OF WINDSOR CASTLE NEAR SAFARI PARK SEEN FROM INDOORS AND OUTDOORS STATIONERY FOR FIVE TO SIX SECONDS THEN MOVED OFF
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. SOUTH OF WINDSOR CASTLE
- F. NOT KNOWN
- G. NOT KNOWN
- H. STEADY THEN MOVED OFF
- J. MOVING CLOUDS HIGH WINDS
- K. WINDSOR CASTLE
- L. WINDSOR POLICE

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- M. Section 40
 - N. INFORMANT VERY FRIGHTENED
 - O. NONE
 - P. 010902Z FEB 88
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ROUTINE 010745Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 310620 JAN 88

B. 1 VERY BRIGHT STATIONARY OBJECT

C. OVER BEACH AT MANCHESTER AIRPORT, OUTDOORS, STATIONARY

D. NAKED EYE

E. WEST

F. N/K

G. N/K

H. STATIONARY

J. N/K

K. NONE

L. MANCHESTER POLICE

M. Section 40 CHESTER POLICE

N. NONE

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O. NONE

P. 010200Z JAN

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ROUTINE 010746Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 311730Z JAN 88, 2 TO 3 MINUTES
- B. 1 OBJECT OF UNKNOWN SIZE OR SHAPE WITH 2 BRIGHT PARALLEL LIGHTS
- C. BELSIZE SQUARE, HAMFSTEAD, INDOORS, STATIONARY
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. MOVING DOWNWARDS
- F. N/K
- G. 100 YARDS
- H. STEADY
- J. CAVOK
- K. RESIDENTIAL AREA
- L. POLICE

M. Section 40

N. NONE

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- O. SMALL DAUGHTER
 - P. 311744 JAN 88
- BT

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ROUTINE 010738Z FEB 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY

A. 280645Z JAN 88

B. ALTERNATING WHITE AND GREEN

C. Section 40 SKETTY SWANSEA, INDOORS

D. ~~NAKED EYE~~

E. STRAIGHT ABOVE

F. HP

G. N/Z

H. N/Z

J. DAWN

K. N/Z

L. BRIGEND POLICE

M. Section 40

O. N/Z

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P. 300800Z JAN 88

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CYD 1 DD GE/AFM

CAV 1 DI 55

CAV 2 DSTI

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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	30 Jan 88 20 Mins
B.	Description of Object, (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One bright star shaped object multi coloured - mauve, green and yellow
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Indoors
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye and Binoculars
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Over Stanmore Golf course
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Approx 20 to 30 degrees
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Not known
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Bobbing up and down
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear sky
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	None.

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

RAF Bentley Priory then UKRADC

M. Name & Address of Informant

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NB. However the telephone number was unattainable. RADC checked with directory enquiries and found there were Section 40 and that the Ex Directory

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Had not been drinking

O. Other Witnesses

Informants wife.

P. Date, Time of Receipt

Details taken by RADC 300250Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

Informant rang the Guardroom at Stanmore and Bentley Priory to ask them to check if any other reported sighting. The answer given was none.

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Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 30 Jan 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 281040Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 270735Z FOUR MINS

B. ONE, MAISONNETTE SIZED OBJECT. 3 LIGHTS ON TOP WITH 2 LIGHTS
BELOW

C. Section 40 PYLE, NEAR BRIDGEND, GLAMORGAN, OUTDOORS

D. NAKED EYE

E. FACING EAST, OBJECT POSITIONED OVER SOUTH CONNEILY

G. HALF A MILE AWAY

H. LOW IN SKY, DEPARTED IN A NORTHERLY DIRECTION

J. CLEAR SKY, DARK

L. SOUTH WALES CONSTABULARY, SGT MCKAY Section 40

M. Section 40

N. WISHES TO REMAIN ANONYMOUS

O. NONE

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P. 272042Z JAN 88

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ROUTINE 281925Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 28 JAN 88, 1730 SEEN FOR 30 SECS
- B.1. SHAPED LIKE UPTURNED SAUCER LIP GREEN TOP DOMED WITH FLASHING YELLOW LIGHTS. STARTED TO ROTATE THEN WENT UP AND DISAPPEARED, MADE NOISE SIMILAR TO AIRSHIP
- C. STANWELL, INDOORS CONSERVATORY
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. TOWARDS HEATHROW
- F. NOT GIVEN
- G. NOT KNOWN
- H. STEADY
- J. CLOUD BASE AT HEATHROW 600 FT
- K. HOUSES
- L. AIS(M) RAF WEST DRAYTON

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- M. Section 40 [redacted] (AGED 10) Section 40 [redacted]
- N. HAS BEEN VERY QUIET SINCE SEEING OBJECT
- O. NOISE HEARD BY IDYS MOTHER AND GRAND MOTHER
- P. REPORT RECEIVED BY AIS(M) AT 1900
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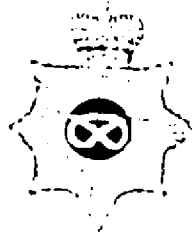
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Sec (AS) 70
GES
D 155
D 830 (Air)

STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

Telep **Section 40**
Telex

Chief Constable's Office,
Cannock Road,
Stafford.
ST17 0QG.



Our Ref. RT/JP

Your Ref.

27th JANUARY, 1988.

Dear Sir,

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING

9th DECEMBER, 1987 AT 17.05 AND 17.10 HRS.
FOR APPROX. 3 MINUTES DURATION.

Section 40

sounds like an aircraft to me. Is this one of our normal B'ham airport (not 20?)

B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT

ONE LARGE, STEADY BRIGHT LIGHT WITH FIVE SMALLER OVAL WHITE LIGHTS ALONGSIDE IN LINE ABREAST FORMATION, FOLLOWED ALONG BY TWO SMALL WHITE LIGHTS ACCOMPANIED BY A LOW PITCHED ROARING SOUND.

Section 40

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C. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED

THE FIRST SIGHTING WAS SEEN TO APPROACH FROM CANNOCK AT A HIGH ALTITUDE, PASS OVERHEAD AND GRADUALLY DISAPPEAR FROM VIEW AS IT TRAVELLED TOWARDS LICHFIELD. THE SECOND SIGHTING WAS EXACTLY THE SAME BUT WAS NOT SEEN AS IT APPROACHED BUT SEEN AS IT WENT OVERHEAD.

D. HOW OBSERVED

NAKED EYE.

E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN

DESCRIBED AS TRAVELLING IN A STRAIGHT UNIFORM PATH AT SPEED FROM CANNOCK TOWARDS LICHFIELD.

F. ANGLE OF SIGHT

VIEWS LOOKING VERTICALLY UPWARDS.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec. (AS) 2
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The person dealing with this correspondence is:

P.C. **Section 40**

G. DISTANCE

SEEN TO APPROACH, PASS OVERHEAD AND THEN GRADUALLY DISAPPEAR FROM VIEW.

H. MOVEMENTS

TRAVELLED IN A STRAIGHT LINE WEST TO EAST.

J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS

FINE CLEAR NIGHT. SEVERE FROST. HALF MOON.
VISIBILITY GOOD.

K. NEARBY OBJECTS

AREA OF WATER KNOWN AS CHASEWATER. TELEVISION MAST WITH NIGHT LIGHTS AT SUTTON COLDFIELD AND A POWER STATION AT RUGELEY. NOT VISIBLE FROM THE SCENE.

L. TO WHOM REPORTED

P.C. Section 40

CHASETOWN POLICE STATION.

M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

APPEAR REASONABLE, RATIONAL PEOPLE AND NO REASON CAN BE SEEN FOR THEM TO FABRICATE THEIR ACCOUNTS OF WHAT THEY HAD SEEN.

O. OTHER WITNESSES

Section 40

P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT

9TH DECEMBER, 1987 AT 17.25 HRS.

Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

No.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ACTION

INFORMED AT TIME OF SIGHTINGS.

Section 40

Chief Constable

Section 40

Department of Trade and Industry,
National Air Traffic Control Services,
1, Victoria Street,
LONDON,
SW1H 0ET

From CRO
RAF Finningley

To CRO
JHQ

From Section 40
A24LS

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INSTRUCTION 26

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Date 26 JAN.

Tel. Section 40

Your ref.

Our ref.

is to endeavour to

Subject UFO Report.

1. Please find enclosed UFO report which I received whilst S/O on 30 Dec 87.
2. Section 40 promised to send me a sketch of the UFO, this has not arrived so rather than hold on indefinitely I shall submit the report.

shape, colours,
doors or outdoors,
r optical device,

s, reservoir, lake or
neys, steeples,
t, factories, pits or

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nteeded.

Rank/ Appointment Flt Lt

Name in Block Letter Section 40

Signature Section 40

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1. Members of the public who submit reports should be informed that their reports will be passed to MOD.
 2. Any enquiries to the MOD should be referred to the MOD, RAF Press Office.

Section 40

OC (AE) distribution:

- GE (AEV) GSS
- D155
- D/SZC (Air)

note: I have spoken to RAFSC about the classification. i.e. that it should be unclassified.

Flt Lt
OC GD Flt
Section 40

Dec 85

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REPORTS OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS (UFOs)

1. Should the SDO or the OO received a report of a UFO he is to endeavour to obtain the following information:

- a. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. (Local).
- b. Description of Object. Including number, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc.
- c. The exact position of the observer. Whether indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving.
- d. How it was seen, ie, naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
- e. The direction in which object was first seen.
- f. The height of the object.
- g. How far away.
- h. Whether it changed direction.
- i. Weather.
- j. Landmarks. (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or other night lighting.
- k. To whom the incident was reported.
- l. Name and Address of Informant.
- m. Any background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.
- n. Other Witnesses.
- o. Date and Time of Receipt of Report.

All reports are to be submitted to Station Ops Off.

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Section 40

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT

- a. 29 Dec 87, 2020, 5 mins.
- b. Bell shaped, one, no noise, one bright white light + 2 others football size. Red light, blue. Orange one on top. Bottom of UFO revolving, no smell?
- c. Outdoors, middle of Greasborough, Presto's, Fenton Road, Rotherham, moving pedestrian.
- d. Naked eye.
- e. Doncaster travel towards Sheffield.
- f. Low, 40 ft above houses, pylon height.
- g. $\frac{1}{4}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ mile.
- h. Same direction.
- i. Clear, moonlight, no rain, good visibility.
- j. Pylons, 4 dams, no pit lights on.
- k. Rotherham police - Section 40 (Rotherham Main Police Stn - 828182).
- l. Section 40
- m. Police say seems reliable witness.
- n. Wife of Section 40
- o. 29 Dec 87, 2040.

Possible a/c heading for Manchester ties in with flight path. No press, confidential please.

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 221815ZJAN 88
15-20 Mins

- B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) One object, Bright yellow rising from Park.

- C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving Outdoors walking

- D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked eye

- E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) Over Abington Park Northampton.

- F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) Approx 45 degrees

- G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) 100-200 ft of ground.

- H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) 200 to 1000 ft variable slight angle

- J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) Clear sky

- K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting) Houses/Trees in park

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Northampton Police

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Has seen a UFO in the past

O. Other Witnesses

one female, details not
given.

P. Date, Time of Receipt

Details taken by AF Ops
222011Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

Informant at first thought
it was an aircraft in distress
Satellite burning up.

Section 40

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 22 Jan 88

Distribution:

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 250815Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAGON
TO MODUR AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 242340Z JAN 88
- B. ONE BRIGHT OBLONG SHAPE WITH TWO FLASHING RED LIGHTS
- C. HOME ADDRESS
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. FROM DIRECTION OF APPAN
- F. APPEARED QUITE HIGH
- G. 15-20 MILES
- H. MOVED TO LEFT THEN APPEARED TO MOVE TOWARDS THEM
- J. CLOUDY QUITE BRIGHT
- K. NIL
- L. ATC PRESTWICH AND SPATCO OBS SUPERVISOR MR SPIN THAT SPATCO DID HAVE AN AIRCRAFT OUTBOUND FROM GLASGOW TO BELFAST AT ABOUT THAT TIME

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- M. Section 40 [REDACTED] KILDA BANK TRINITY AYSWIRE
- N. N/A
- O. INFORMANTS WIFE
- P. 250021Z JAN 88
- BT

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 24 JAN 88. 2045 HRS

B. Description of Object. VERY BRIGHT LIGHT.

C. Exact Position Observer. Section 40

[Redacted]

SHEFFIELD

Sec (44) information:

AE (AE1) GER

D1 55

D/Sec 30 (air)

D. How Observed.

NAKED EYE

E. Direction in which Object was first seen.

FROM SOUTH TO NORTH.

WEST OF MOSBOROUGH VILLAGE

F. Angle of Sight.

NK.

G. Distance.

NK

H. Movements.

VERY FAST MOVING IN STRAIGHT LINE

J. Meteorological conditions during observation.

GOOD CLEAR SKY

K. Nearby objects.

NO.

L. To whom reported.

SHEFFIELD POLICE

SHEFFIELD STAE

M. Name and Address of informant. Section 40

Section 40

N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.

FIRST TIME SHE'S EVEN SEEN UFO

O. Other witnesses.

HUSBAND + OTHERS

P. Date and time of receipt of report.

25 JAN 88 1637 HRS

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Q. Is a reply requested.

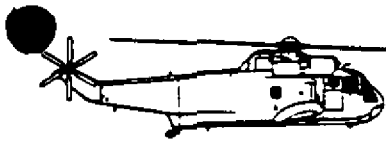
YES.

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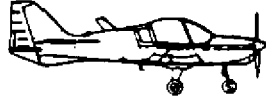
SHE HACKETHORPE POLICE

SHEFFOLN2 Section 40

Other Information: Section 40 saw object followed by '6 military aircraft'. A/c following object had flashing lights on them. Object increased speed leaving a/c behind.



The Community Relations Officer



ROYAL AIR FORCE
FINNINGLEY
DONCASTER, SOUTH YORKSHIRE DN9 3LQ
Tel. DONCASTER Section 40

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Section 40

26 January 1988

Dear Section 40

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

I have been contacted by PC Section 40 of Mackenthorpe Police Station concerning your sighting of an Unidentified Flying Object.

I have passed details of the sighting to the Ministry of Defence Department concerned, who will contact you should they need further information.

Yours sincerely

Section 40

Flight Lieutenant
for Officer Commanding

Please file in UFO file
but keep together as 1
input

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Section 40

Section 40

January 22, 1988

Tel: Section 40

Dear Sir,

Thankyou for your letter dated 29 October 1987 relating to my request for details relating to "UFO" sightings in the Midlands during August 1987. I must firstly apologise for this late reply. This is due to the fact that I have been waiting for photo analysis results to arrive relating to the photographic case reported from Barnsley on August 5th, 1987.

Please find enclosed material:

1. Copies of material relating to the Barnsley photographs collated by Section 40 of the Independent UFO Network, as well as the results of photo-analysis conducted by Section 40 of the United States, Section 40 of BUFORA and Section 40. Section 40 is a professional wildlife and landscape photographer who helps our organisation with photographic cases. Prints of two of the sequence of four photographs taken by the witness are enclosed; our organisation have now obtained the negatives which are at this moment being examined by Section 40.
2. Material relating to a series of photographs of an unidentified light source taken by Section 40 of Chesterfield, Derbyshire, on 12 May 1985. Accompanying this case-file are photo-analysis reports written by Section 40, Section 40 and Section 40.
3. Report on "UFO" sightings reported to our organisation during August/September this year from the north & Midlands of England, accompanied by maps and drawings by the witnesses. Addresses of witnesses have been left out of the report for reasons of confidentiality, though can be supplied to you if you wish to make further enquiries with any of them.

Further material relating to the two series of photos above will be supplied in due course; we would of course be interested to hear what opinion you have of the photographs.

As regards the standpoint of the Ministry of Defence as regards reports of UFO sightings. I fully understand your standpoint, and do of course accept that time and resources cannot be expended on UFO research by the MOD when more important defence matters are at hand.

However, after studying this subject for ten years, and interviewing scores of witnesses during this time, I find myself concerned that these "craft" (if that it what they are) are seemingly able to penetrate British air-space with impunity, and seem able to avoid detection on radar - see for

example to sightings at Derby on August 16, 1987, where several independent groups of witnesses in the suburbs of the city watched the deliberate movements of a large object manoeuvring at low altitude.

In cases such as these, how does the MOD establish whether an incident is of "defence interest" or not?

Our organisation is primarily interested in reports of UFOs due to their scientific interest, for example we are researching the recently-proposed idea of Canadian scientist Section 40 that UFO-type aerial luminosities may be produced as a result of seismic stress in geologically-unstable areas. It is a pity that most "UFO investigators" and the press attribute UFOs automatically to 'alien spacecraft' when the evidence for this interpretation does not exist.

Our small group of experienced investigators are willing to voluntarily check out any accounts of UFO sightings reported to us from the north & midlands of England and will send details immediately to your ministry for your evaluation. We also operate a 24-hour answer- phone service Section 40 which we publicise throughout the region, which enables witnesses to contact us immediately to report sightings. We are usually able to send an investigator to interview a witness with 24 hours of a sighting being reported. We are therefore in a position to initiate enquiries into sightings of UFOs reported directly to the MOD from members of the public in this region, if you find this arrangement to be agreeable.

Finally, I have recently been conducting newspaper research into a series of sightings of an unidentified "mystery helicopter" by police-officers and members of the public in the counties of Derbyshire, Cheshire and Staffordshire between the months of September 1973 and January 1974. These sightings attracted much attention in the local and national press during January 1974, and it is recorded that official investigations into the sightings by several police-forces and by members of Special Branch were initiated at the time. Are records available relating to these events in the MOD files, and if so can details be supplied for research purposes?

Looking forward to hearing from you,

Yours Sincerely,

Section 40

INDEPENDENT UFO NETWORK

1987

REPORT ON UFO SIGHTINGS IN MIDLANDS AND NORTH OF ENGLAND, AUGUST 1987

by Section 40

(IUN Investigator - South Yorkshire/North Derbyshire)

Completion date: November 28, 1987

Investigators:

Section 40

esterfield)

Sheffield)

(Batley)

Brighouse)

8 AUGUST 1987 (Saturday)

KEGWORTH village, near Castle Donington, Nottinghamshire.

Section 40 of Derby reports how when sitting outside the White House pub in Kegworth village at 10.55 pm with a group of friends she saw an unusual object to the left of a cluster of stars in the shape of a kite. The sky was reportedly clear (weather records report that it was cloudy with showers), when observing the stars a friend pointed out a glowing object high in the sky at an elevation of 45 degrees. The object surprised them when it descended slowly from its original position, moving north to northwest. It stopped again, glowed, and shot out of sight at speed. 20-30 other people who were outside the pub at the same time also saw this object, and could not find an explanation for it. Kegworth is a couple of miles to the east of Castle Donington airport, and is a small village by the side of a river.

BOLSOVER CASTLE, Bolsover, Derbyshire.

This "landing" case is fascinating as it took place at exactly the same time as the above case, about 40 miles to the north - in which direction the light was seen to move by the observers in Kegworth.

The witness was Section 40 (details on file) a tax-inspector living in Bolsover. At 10.55 pm on the night in question she was travelling along a lane below the Bolsover Castle ruins called Limekiln Fields. Upon reaching the junction with Hilltop Road (see map) which leads up to the castle ruins, she looked to the right when about to turn left out of the junction and "saw something with white light on it". She described this object as about the size of a double-decker bus at ground-level, in the shape of a flat square, with 10-12 white lights around its perimeter. These lights were bright, like car headlights, and may have gone across the middle of the object as well as the sides.. "I couldn't see any shape unless unless the other half of whatever it was was round the bend, because it is on a bend. But how can a vehicle curve round a bend like that, it seemed to me to be right on the bend.."

Section 40 only glanced at this object, and satisfied that it was not moving, turned left onto Hilltop Road and scared, drove home thinking "What was that?.." "I thought turn round and go back and have a look to satisfy your curiosity but I daren't, I was too frightened to. When she returned home she told her husband and son and they hurriedly returned to the spot within minutes, but were unable to find any trace that anything had been there.. "on that particular night I never saw any people walking about on foot because quite often I do because there are people walking their dogs, and I do not recollect seeing another vehicle either on the way home..certainly not on that part of the road and I do not recollect another vehicle passing me or anything like that; it seemed very quiet. It was a clear fine evening, I don't know I can't explain it and I still haven't been able to.

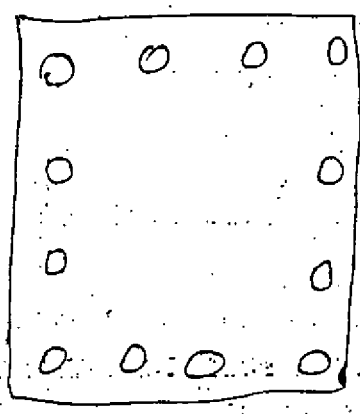
Section 40 has been interviewed twice by investigators Section 40 and Section 40 and has reported poltergeist-like happenings in her home. Section 40 arrived at the scene of the "landing" within days of it taking place, but no traces or roadmarks were evident on the spot, and none of the local residents questioned had seen anything out of

O = WHITE (LIKE CAR LIGHTS)
O = LIGHTS (HEADLIGHTS)

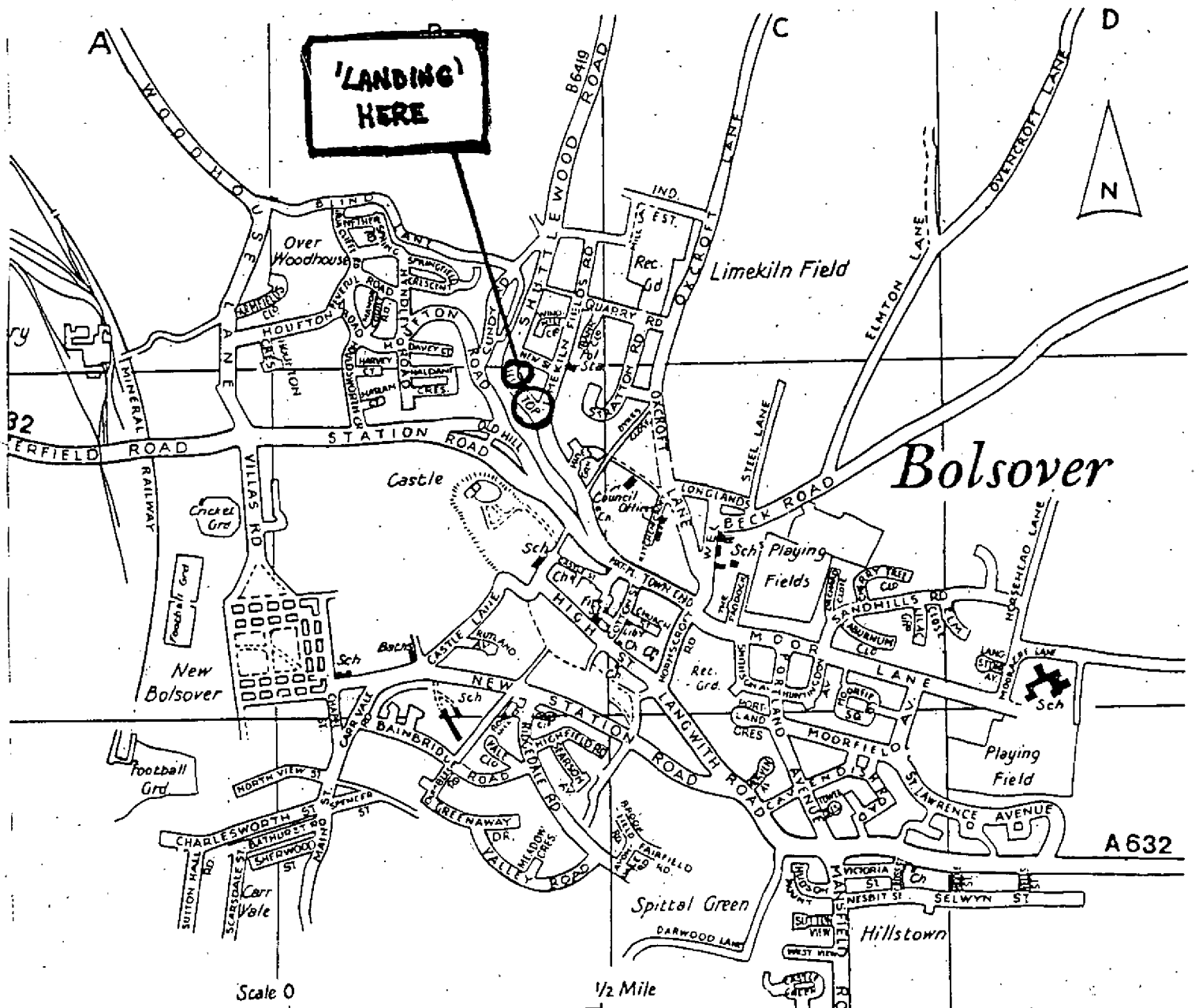
APPROX HEIGHT OF DOUBLE
DECKER BUS BUT
WIDER

THERE MAY HAVE BEEN LIGHTS

ACROSS THE MIDDLE - ESTIMATED 10-12 W TOTAL



ABOVE: Sketch of landed object observed by Mrs. PW, 8 August '87; BELOW - map showing location of landing at Bolsover in Derbyshire.



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the ordinary on the night in question. Possible explanations considered and investigated were workmen working late at night, a combine harvester returning from a farm, or something connected with a fairground that was nearby at the time. All of these were ruled out upon investigation. Unfortunately, because the witness had such a brief view of the object, no definitive conclusions can be reached about this case, although further enquiries will continue.

AUGUST 14 1987 (Friday)

CHADDESSEN ESTATE, Derby. Section 40 of Section 40

Section 40 on the Chaddesden Estate in northeast Derby reported seeing an unusual light in the sky (at 11.30 p.m.) When talking to a friend outside his home in Section 40 when he happened to look up into the sky and saw a goldy-orange coloured object moving rapidly through the sky from east to west. He estimated that it was 1/2 mile away and perhaps between 400 and 1000ft from the ground, and was 1 1/2-2 times the magnitude of a star. No noise was heard and the object just vanished from view. Section 40 added that "aeroplanes do pass in this region, even fighter planes, but never at that speed; if it was a shooting star then it was odd to see one this time of the year because we go through an asteroid belt from around late September, October and then into November".

Sounds like a shooting star

AUGUST 16 1987 (Saturday)

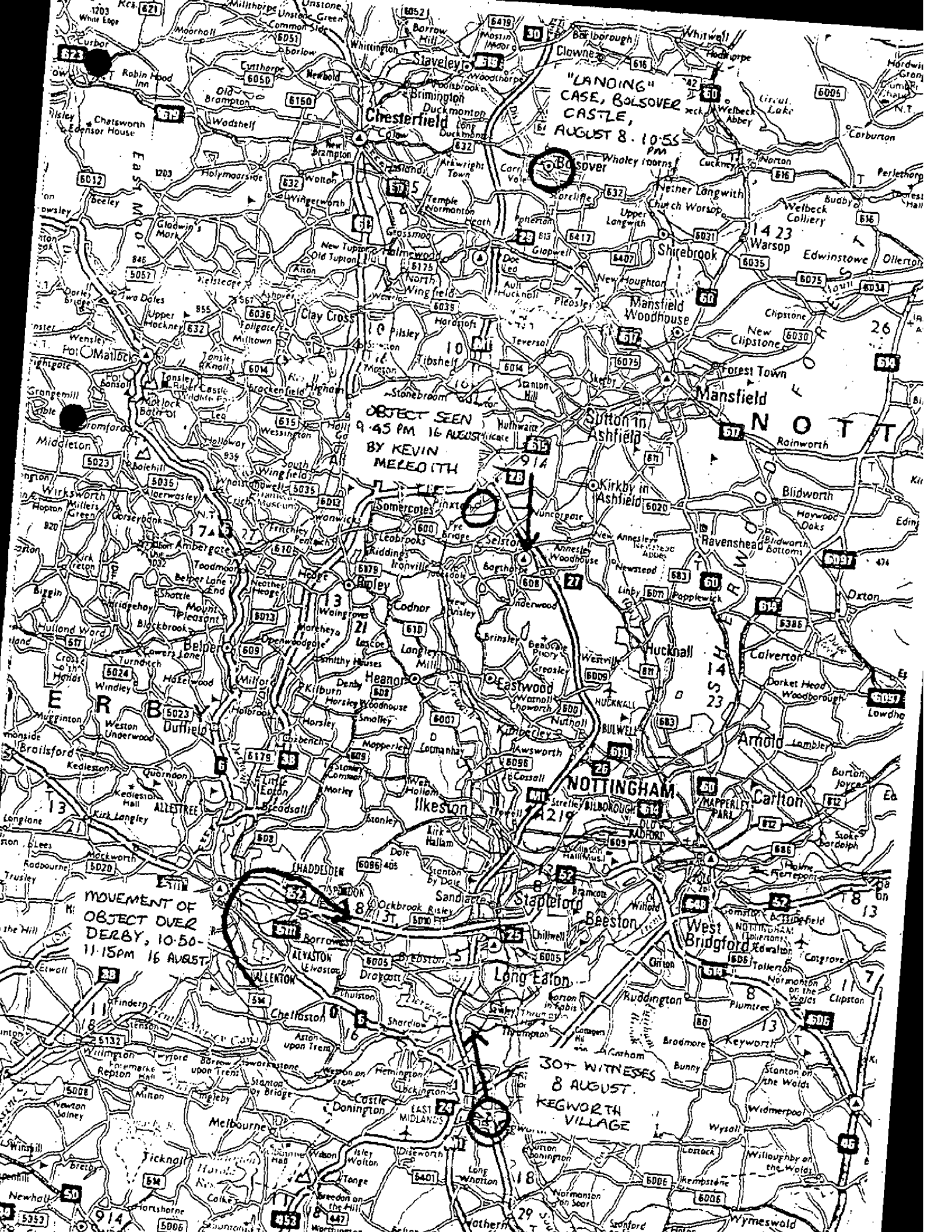
SIGHTING REPORTS FROM DERBY AREA

9.45pm. PINXTON village, 1 mile to southwest of Junction 28, M1 motorway.

Section 40, 31-year old qualified engineer and shopkeeper: "My girlfriend and I were just leaving my parents' house, and we had just got into my car, switched on the engine, engaged neutral (the car was parked on my parents' drive facing east) I looked behind and started to reverse up their drive when my girlfriend said: "What's that over there?" (in front of us). I stopped reversing, looked to the front and saw a bright "star" rising vertically at about 80 degrees elevation. It took about 5 seconds to rise before changing direction to a southerly one, and proceeded on a horizontal path at a phenomenal speed without accelerating (as one would expect after an explosion). I then replied to my girlfriend's question "I don't know but it was too fast to be an aircraft". She described it by comparing it to that of a young child's bonfire-night sparkler, which dimmed when it changed direction and sped off".

In neutral?

This object was visible for approximately 10 seconds, and was estimated to be over a mile away just above treetop level (see sketch) moving rapidly from north to south. "my parent's home is approximately 1/2 to 3/4 mile west of M1 motorway: therefore whatever we saw was perhaps to the east of the M1 motorway" (see map).



"LANDING" CASE, BOLSOVER CASTLE, AUGUST 8. 10:55 PM

OBJECT SEEN 9:45 PM 16 AUGUST BY KEVIN MELEOTH

MOVEMENT OF OBJECT OVER DERBY, 10:50-11:15 AM 16 AUGUST

30+ WITNESSES 8 AUGUST. KEGWORTH VILLAGE

10.15pm. WIREFIELD ROAD, Derby.

Section 40 of Section 40 northwest of Derby city centre, employed by Rolls Royce Fuels reports: "I had just got out of my car on the house drive-way. The sky was very clear, and I noticed something very bright in the corner of my eye. I looked and saw a bright white object high in the sky to the southwest (towards Allestree), but it lasted only a few seconds. My wife who was still in the car got out to look but it was gone. The object was moving in a slightly downward arc and was bright and left a trail of bright "blobs" behind it. It did not fade but disappeared suddenly, and was very high in the sky. My immediate thought was that I had seen a meteor, but the way it disappeared suddenly from being very large and bright, and the size of particles in the tail were not what I would expect (I have on occasions studied astronomy and have seen one or two meteors before)." The object was seen at an elevation of between 40 and 50 degrees from ground-level.

10.50-11.00pm. SHELTON LOCK, southeast Derby.

Pensioner Section 40 of Section 40 Shelton Lock, reported how when making a nightcap in her darkened kitchen she had seen an unusual object in the sky through the window which faced in a northerly direction. She called her husband Section 40 from the lounge and together they watched a brightly-lit spherical object hovering low in the sky in a northwesterly direction towards the large Rolls Royce computer centre which backs onto Sinfin Moor on the southerly outskirts of Derby.

The object was at first stationary in the sky, at about 25 degrees elevation.. "it was travelling very slowly- at first we thought it was a helicopter because it was about that size; it had green lights as big as a football" said Section 40. There were also two lights, like car-headlights in front of the object, and a "sparkling" effect at the rear. No sound was heard.

After watching the object for about 10 minutes, and noting that the object seemed to move towards them at one point, it turned to the right, disappearing behind houses and reappearing again, and then flew off in the direction of Chaddesden, northeast of Derby city centre.

10.57pm. BREADSALL HILLTOP, north of Derby.

Observation of Section 40 of Section 40 Belper, Derby. These two witnesses obtained the best view of the UFO observed over Derby on the night of August 16, and there can be little doubt that the object reported by Section 40 above was the same one encountered minutes later by Section 40 is a 57-year old catering assistant. She said in an interview that: "We had driven onto the A608, and came down to the island onto the A61 heading towards Little Heaton north of Derby. We went underneath the bridge (O/S map reference SK 364387) and all at once I saw this thing in the sky which I thought was a plane but very bright. I said "that plane's getting very low", and I said that if he was going to land then it would be on the racecourse at the back of us (see maps). I then said

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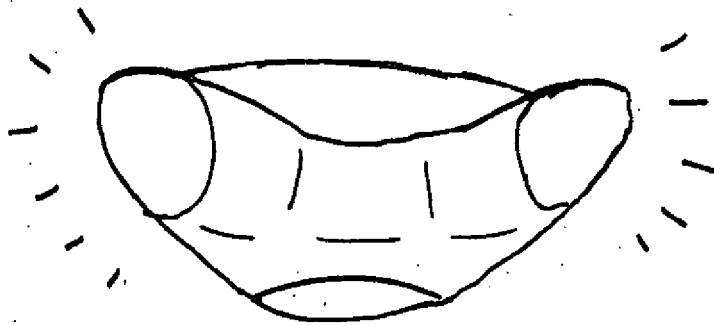
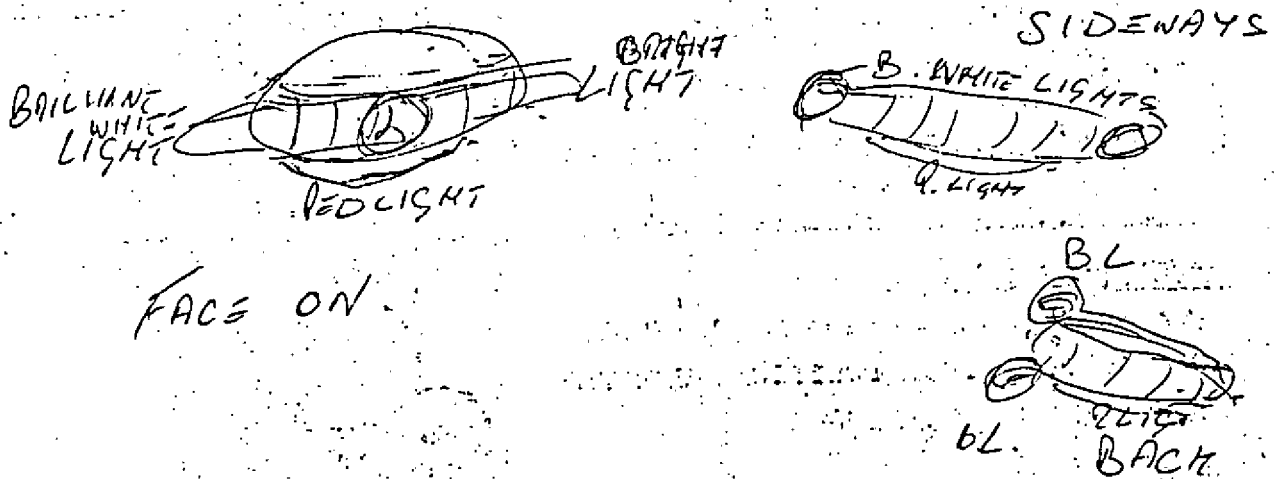
"Oh my God, it isn't a plane". My husband then looked at it (he was driving) and we then thought that it must be a UFO. It was massive, the lights were brilliant, and it hovered..all I saw at first were these very brilliant lights either side of it and a red glow underneath, then as it hovered and moved I saw more lights, looking like big cabins all lit up like a double-decker bus up in the sky but very brilliant..at one time it looked like it had a metal thing on top, but the lights were so bright that there was no definite outline. I wouldn't like to say how far it was away and how far up it was, but I would guess about 100 yards from us and about 100 feet high at about 30 to 45 degrees from us sitting in the car."

The Section 40 noted that it was a beautiful clear night - "one of the best nights we've had this summer", with no moon and no cloud to be seen in the sky. They also noted that they did not see another car on the road - "normally there is traffic up and down that road but there was nothing, I don't think we passed another car all the way home - I don't know what had happened to everybody, as at that time everybody should have been coming home from the pubs. We had passed a no. 27 bus going to Oakwood, which we looked in the bus timetable and found that it was due there at 10.57. The only other thing we saw were these people crossing the road before the bridge, and if they had looked up they must have seen it - whether they have not thought to notify anybody I don't know."

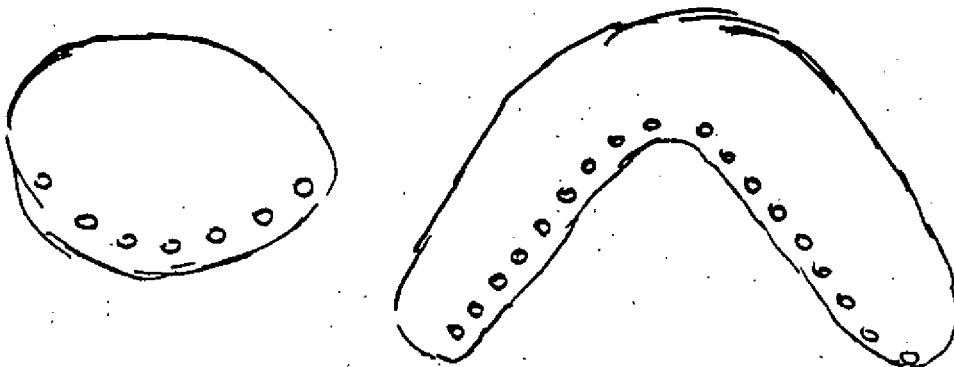
East to West
Questioned further it was ascertained that the object was seen on the right as they were driving south to north, and that a bank and trees could be seen behind the object. These trees would be those in Croft Wood, immediately to the right of the roundabout on rising ground - thus it is possible to plot exactly where the UFO was hovering (see map). "My first view of it Section 40 was when we must have been heading straight towards it and it was massive that way on with brilliant lights and a red glow underneath, and the next thing I saw was it had gone round and there was lights all the way round it, but still with a red glow. It seemed to change direction at that particular point after like it had seen us [she got the impression that it was watching them], and then at the back view of it was still the very bright lights - part circular, part long; I take it that whatever it was could have been round with bright lights around the outside.." Section 40 noted that the main feature of the object as it turned were the massive "cabin windows" - big square white lights, which ran along the middle or sides of the object.

A peculiar detail was that the stretch of road upon which the object was encountered (roundabout just after a bridge flyover) was in complete darkness due to the street-lights being out of order for some reason. Section 40 noted that "the street-lights are normally on the left-hand side of the road and this was on the right. So it was more or less complete darkness on the left-hand side. We could see trees and things..as you go under this road-bridge it goes back onto the country part of the area." Section 40 added that "I never knew there was street-lights on that stretch of road until we went back and found that there was! I always thought that there had never been street-lights. In fact I'd have sworn that there wasn't." When I visited the site in September 1987 streetlights were noted on the left-hand side of the road, but they were out of order.

BELOW: Sketch of UFO seen at Breadsall Hilltop, Derby, August 16, 1987, drawn by Section 40 and (centre) sketch drawn by author under direction from Section 40 in September 1987.



BELOW: Sketches by Section 40 of object seen at Chaddesden, 16 August 1987; left - object as it appeared from front bedroom window; right - object as it "opened out" from rear bedroom window.



CAR INTERFERENCE?:

Section 40 mentioned casually during the interview that upon starting up the car on the morning after the sighting it was noticed that the 20 amp fuse which worked the interior lights and windscreen washer had "blown". Section 40 did not connect it with the UFO sighting, and threw the fuse away the following day, replacing it with a new one. It was not noticed at the time of the sighting or later that night whether the fuse had been working or not - Section 40 discovered the malfunction the following morning. The Section 40 car is a Ford Escort Mark 3.

COMPASS MALFUNCTION:

A further happening noted by the Section 40 was that upon returning to the area of the sighting, approximately two weeks later almost to the day, in order to ascertain in which direction they were travelling at the time, Section 40 pre-World War 2 prismatic compass had "pointed north towards Derby when Derby was to the south" when they had returned home they again tried the compass sat in the car and it had worked perfectly." I examined Section 40 compass and also found it to be in perfect working order.

Section 40 summed up her feelings about the sighting by saying: "It takes a lot to frighten me normally, but I was frightened inside..we lost sight of it through the back of the car..I was the one who was watching it (Section 40 was driving). We've even been up to Caste Donington airport, and I've sat there in the dark to watch planes coming in. The biggest that came in was very bright at the front, but the back and the sides were not the same as that thing was. I mean the very bright lights at the front originally did look like the brilliant lights of a plane but then I suddenly realised that it wasn't, it was lit up all the way round, and there's no plane lit up like that. If it was a plane it would have crashed anyway, because it was too low to come into anywhere - it was going towards a built-up area and it was so low it would have hit the Cathedral."

Section 40 added that she "will never forget it as long as I live". As the investigator I was very impressed by the testimony of these two witnesses and feel certain that they came very close to a very unusual object on the night in question.

11.00pm approx. RIVER DERWENT, Derby.

A group of friends, Section 40 and Section 40 were fishing upon the river Derwent upon the outskirts of the northern part of Derby city centre at about 11pm when they observed a series of peculiar lights which appeared suddenly in the sky. The lights appeared suddenly in the sky in the east in the direction of Chaddesden, stationary at about 45 degrees in the sky. They then moved slowly westwards towards the city centre, stopped and hovered for a while and then moved back towards Chaddesden - stopped again, and then appeared to move south parallel to the River Derwent. The object appeared not to bank when changing direction.

The object watched by the four fishermen consisted of an horizontal series of lights of different colours which changed from dull to bright, and appeared to throb, pulsate and change colour as they manoeuvred, finally disappearing behind trees in a southerly direction near Chaddesden. The object was in sight for five minutes,

Street lights / Car Fuse
 Magnetic Interference
 East to West
 West to East
 South

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Photos

and during this time three photographs were taken of the lights using a Halina Telewide Automatic camera with exposure control. The photographs and negatives, however, when developed failed to come out; illustrating the difficulties of photographing lights against a dark background of sky.

11.00pm. CHADDESSEN ESTATE, Derby.

Section 40

Section 40 aged 24, of Section 40 Chaddesden, was one of over ten minutes who reported seeing a luminous object pass over the estate in a westerly direction towards direction of Sponden. Mrs. Section 40 stated that she was with her three-year-old son Section 40 and a neighbour when "we saw these big lights coming over. There were quite a few ladies on the front, they were screaming and shouting. I went to see what was happening. It was round with glass windows on it, they were red, green, orange and yellow, and was as big as a car". She said that she had watched the object for about 20 minutes, that it made no sound and that it "split apart" before disappearing.

Section 40

Section 40 next-door neighbour, 56-year old Section 40 said that she had heard a commotion, got up to look out of her bedroom window, and saw women in the street below in a state of excitement. She did not see anything herself, however.

11.00pm. CHADDESSEN ESTATE, Derby.

Section 40

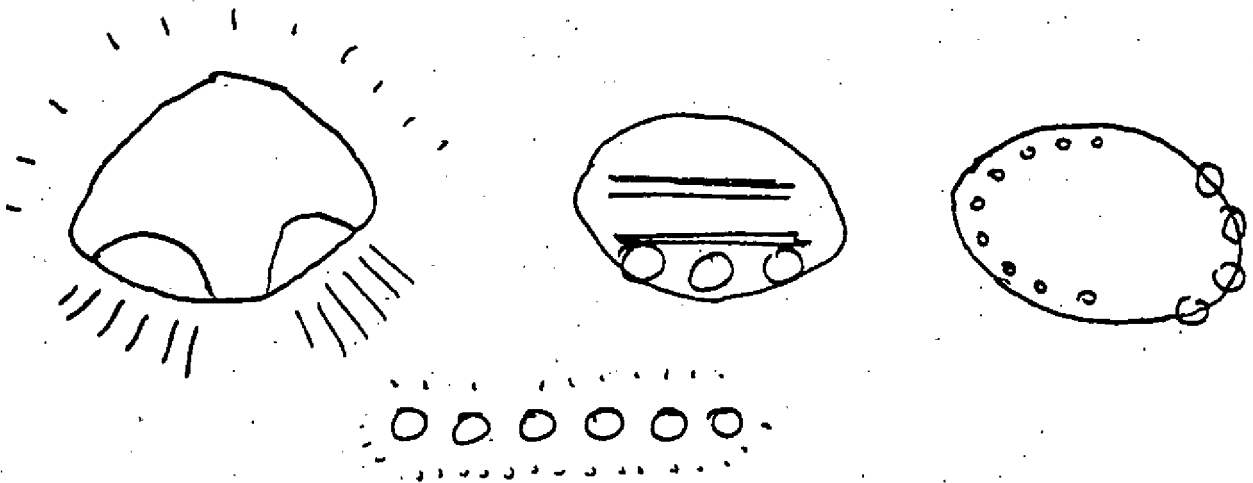
Section 40 a 37-year old housewife, of Section 40 Chaddesden, reported how at the same time as the above sighting she had been walking with her sister at the junction between Cornwall Drive and Devon Close, when they saw what appeared to be a brilliant light in the sky, which appeared to be moving towards them.. "at first we thought it looked something like the star of Bethlehem because it started to glitter". As the object approached it appeared oval in shape, about the size of a dinner plate in the sky and emitted beams of light from its centre. When seen at close quarters the object appeared to be an emerald green in colour, with a red and orange light below it. After watching the object for 20 minutes in all, the object appeared to change from an oval-shape into an arrow-shape "as if an arrow came out of it", disappearing in the direction of Sponden. A gentle humming noise was then heard for a few seconds. Section 40 watched the object with another seven witnesses.

11.00-11.15pm (approx). CHADDESSEN ESTATE, Derby.

Section 40

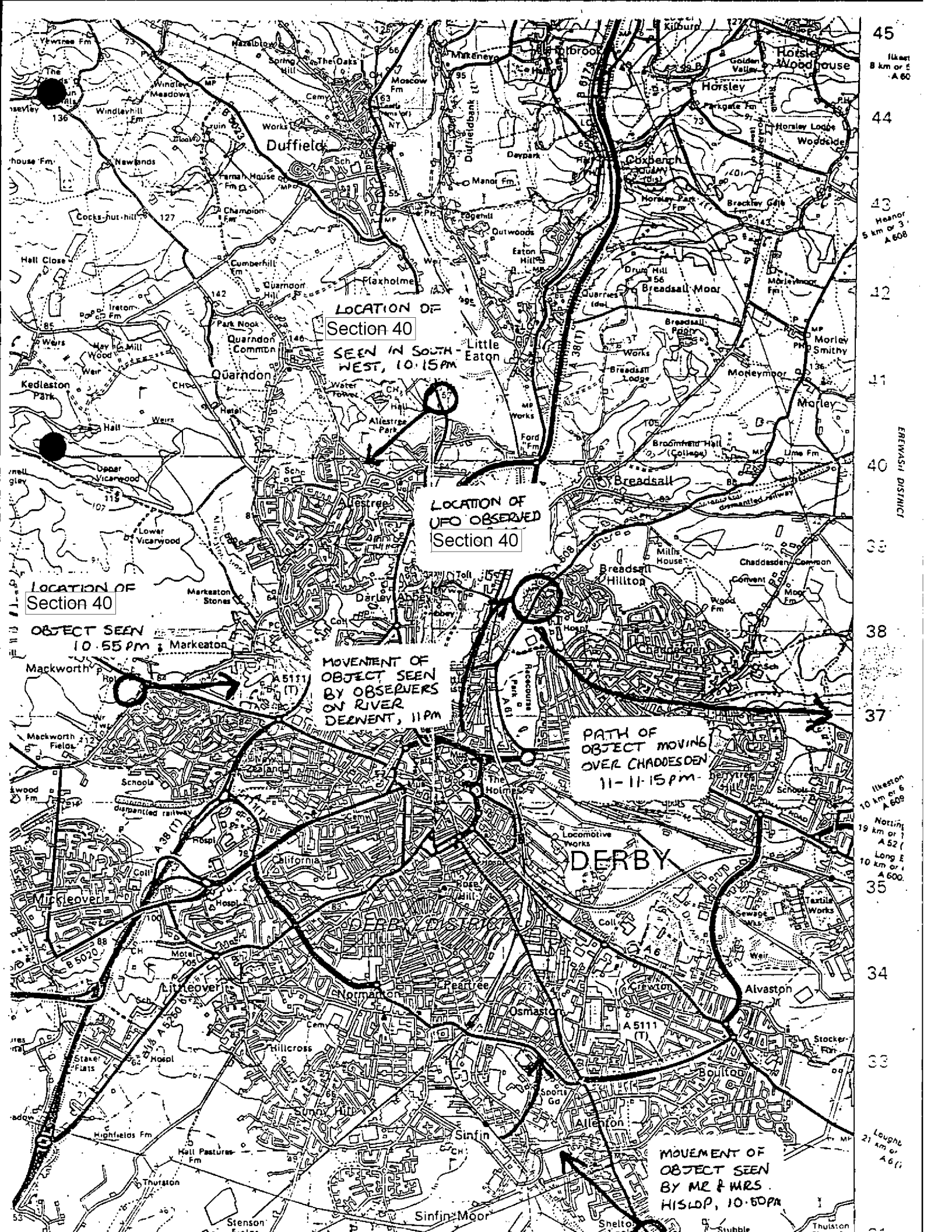
Section 40 a middle-aged couple of Section 40 watched the object above sometime between 11 and 11.15 pm. They were in bed at the time, and Section 40 was awakened by his wife who had seen a brilliant in the sky through the bedroom window in a westerly direction, towards Reginald Road (see map). They got out of bed and watched the object - which was stationary and circular in appearance for about ten minutes. Section 40 said that "at first it seemed to be one bright light but when my eyes sort of got used to it there were probably about eight. They seemed to be arranged semi-circular. they did not seem to have a beam, but being very bright it was not possible to distinguish accurately the shape of the object. But then it started to move slowly, going between the church and the house, and we came

LEFT: UFO watched by Section 40 — CENTRE: UFO sketched by Section 40 —
 Section 40 — RIGHT: same object sketched by Section 40
 Section 40 BELOW: Row of manoeuvring lights drawn by Section 40



BELOW LEFT: Lights in the sky watched by Section 40 at
 10.15 pm, August 16th 1987.
 BELOW RIGHT: Lights in the sky drawn by Section 40 —
 seen 10.55pm, August 16, 1987, Mackworth in Derbyshire.





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LOCATION OF
UFO OBSERVED
Section 40

LOCATION OF
Section 40

OBJECT SEEN
10:55 PM - Markeaton

MOVEMENT OF
OBJECT SEEN
BY OBSERVERS
ON RIVER
DERWENT, 11 PM

PATH OF
OBJECT MOVING
OVER CHADDESSEN
11-11:15 PM

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BY MR & MRS
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LOW-LEVEL
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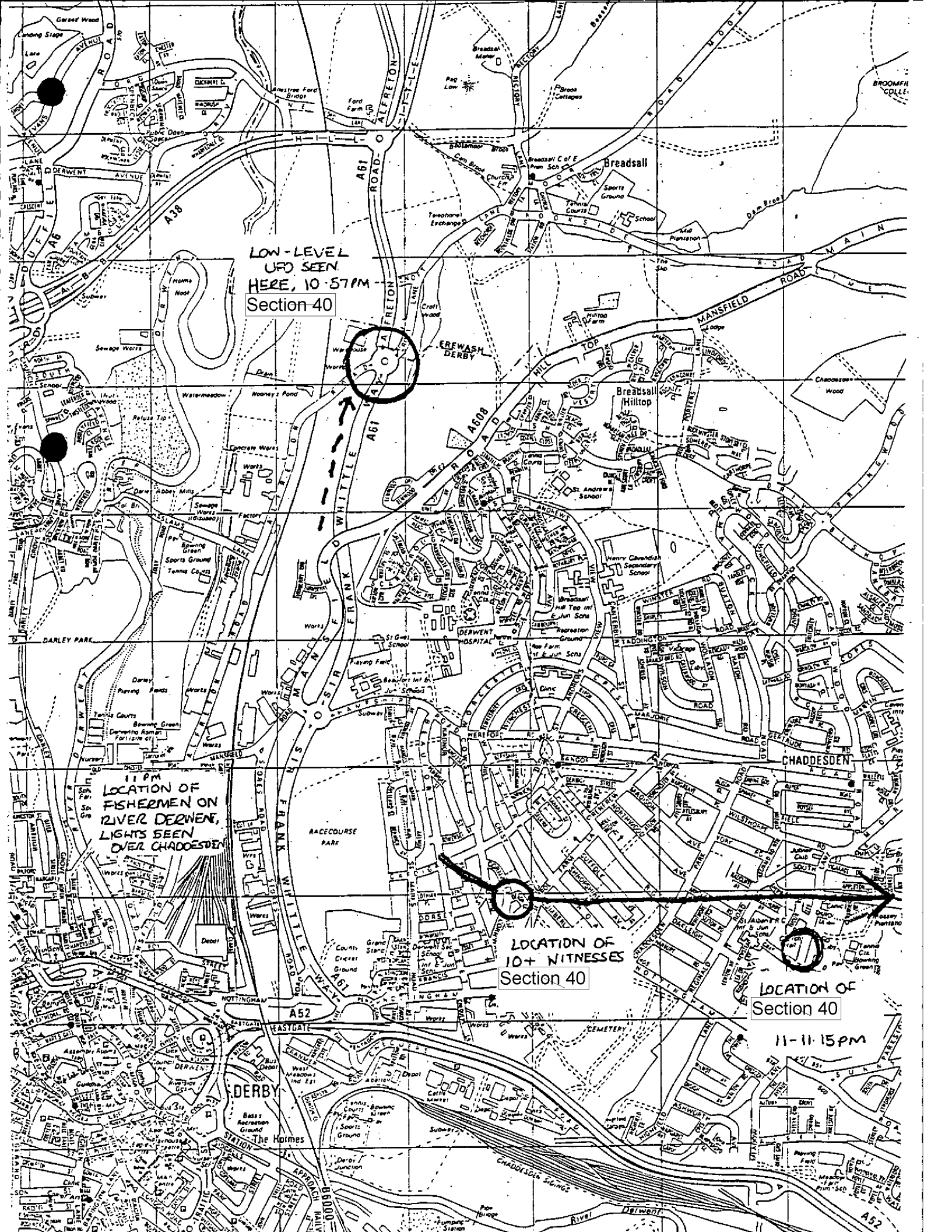
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10+ WITNESSES
Section 40



LOCATION OF
Section 40

11-11:15 PM



into the back bedroom [which faces east] and watched it as it gradually disappeared in the direction of Sponden."

Section 40 estimated that they watched the object in all for around 15 minutes, and that it was somewhere between $\frac{1}{2}$ mile and $\frac{3}{4}$ mile from their observation point, about 100ft in the air and travelling at around 100mph. They thought the object looked about the size of a large bus, but smaller than Goodyear blimp. Just before the object disappeared from view they heard "a slight whining sound, like an electric motor"; and it was at this point that the object seemed to change shape and "opened out" from an oval-shape into an arrow or delta-volent shape (see sketches). They found it very hard to describe this or account for it. The object disappeared, moving slowly over Chaddesden Park in an easterly direction towards Sponden... "as we saw it disappearing into the distance the lights came into a V-formation, and you realised then that there was two lots of lights, one down each side of whatever it was". The Section 40 have seen many aircraft passing over on a regular flight path to Castle Donington airport, but could not explain the object as in any way comparable to an aircraft or helicopter of any kind.

11.55pm. MACKWORTH. northwest Derby.

Section 40 a 35-year old charge-nurse, of Section 40 Derby describes the object he watched for 6 minutes at 11.55pm: "I opened the back door of my house to let out the family dog, and my attention was drawn immediately to a white glow at a distance in the night sky. On focussing my attention I was able to discern two bright spheres of light (see sketches) at 10 and 2 o'clock; beneath each was a concentric ring of 8 smaller spheres. The objects were stationary and gave off an intense white constant light illuminating an area of sky around them. After approximately four minutes they began to fade - I then ran upstairs and awoke my wife Section 40

"From the landing window above the back door my wife and I observed what was now one object of similar shape to the previous two which I alone saw. This object faded away leaving an afterglow which itself faded to nothing. The following evening I invited my wife to draw independently what she saw; and found it to be similar to what I had drawn. I have no idea or explanation for what I have seen."

The object observed by Section 40 was seen in an easterly direction towards the city centre at an angle of around 35 degrees. It is puzzling that this object/s were seen over half an hour after a similar object had passed over Chaddesden towards Sponden.

ANALYSIS AND POSSIBLE EXPLANATIONS

Enquiries were initiated immediately by newspaper reporters and investigators of various UFO groups with various authorities in order to find any possible natural explanations for the UFOs reported over Derby on the night of August 16th. Initial thoughts were that perhaps a low-flying aircraft/helicopter; or some kind of military exercise on the night in question had led to the sightings.

WEATHER CONDITIONS:

According to newspaper sources: "Warm weather with blue skies (was)

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Temp's

expected over much of England and Wales; the exception being in the far northwest, where coasts will be cool and rather grey with patchy sea fog" temperatures were 77F/25C in the Midlands with clear skies at night, with many stars visible. These conditions were confirmed by all the witnesses on their report forms and on interview. However, we do know that there was a temperature inversion in the area of the sightings on the night in question (see below).

POLICE.

A spokesman for Derby police headquarters told a reporter of the Derby Evening Telegraph on the morning following the sightings that "no reports of the UFO had been received by them". Subsequent enquiries by investigator Section 40 with police-stations in Derby, Matlock, Ashbourne and surrounding towns failed to discover any other reports by members of the public.

AIRPORTS.

Nothing on facts

The nearest airport in the vicinity of Derby is East Midlands Airport, Castle Donington, Nottinghamshire, an aircraft regulary pass over Derby on a regular flightpath from here. However, it was established on the day following the sightings that no aircraft from Castle Donington were over Derby at the time in question, a spokesman adding that "aircraft controllers had spotted nothing unusual on the radar screens last night". Further enquiries by IUN investigators with the airport were refused on the grounds that "the type of information you request [aircraft flight-times, etc] would take a considerable amount of time and effort for us to research".

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE.

Mod (AS-2)

The MOD were very helpful and co-operative. In a letter dated 22 September to Section 40, Section 40 Secretariat (Air Staff) 2a stated that: "Having checked through our records I can confirm that we received only one report which relates to the details that you gave [relating to sightings in the London and Midlands areas on 15/16 August]. This particular sighting was made at Pinner, Middlesex and I attach a copy of the report for your information. We have no other reports for these two dates. I have also found out that there was no air defence activity in these areas on the two nights in question".

In reply to a separate enquiry by myself, a letter dated 29 October, 1987 reads: "You asked for any information that we might have on sightings made in the Derby and Uttoxeter areas on Sunday 16 and Monday 17 August 1987. Having checked through our records I regret to say that we did not receive any reports which correspond to the details that you gave. I also found out that there was no air defence activity, manoeuvres or exercising in these areas on the two nights in question. Indeed, the RAF and NATO do not conduct exercises over major urban areas at any time".

It appears doubtful that aircraft or military exercises of any kind can be offered as explanations for the Derby sightings of 16 August.

WEATHER STATIONS.

The Derby Evening Telegraph of 18 August, 1987 had noted that Nottingham Weather Centre had said that "there had been some unusual

atmospheric conditions over the last few days which could account for the phenomenon". I wrote to the weather station, in pursuance of the above explanation, and received the following reply:

"Our observers maintain a 24-hour a day watch but no record was made of unusual sightings during the two nights in question [16 & 17 August]. Further, no weather balloons or experimental devices originated from this station. The 'unusual atmospheric conditions' described in the Derby Evening Telegraph relate to a marked temperature discontinuity in the middle atmosphere, this being a rapid rise of temperature over a short vertical distance. Such discontinuities are commonly called [temperature] inversions and often result in the anomalous propagation of energy such as light waves and television transmissions. Our observations do show there was distant lightning to the west of Nottingham during the early hours of Tuesday 18 August...the above briefly outlines our objective view into what caused the sightings..."

It is thus the suggestion of the weather centre that the "UFO" was in fact a mirage caused by a temperature inversion. According to Section 40 Section 40 UFO STUDY "refractive effects can only occur within fourteen degrees of the horizon, and full-scale mirages, and full scale mirages within one or two degrees..hence flat landscape conditions are required, plus little atmospheric disturbance. An inversion layer can commence suddenly, and an image so caused can thus appear and disappear with great rapidly.."

The atmospheric conditions on the night in question were right for the production of a temperature inversion, and the possibility that some of the sightings may have been caused by refracted light should be regarded as the best natural explanation for the sightings. However, I feel that this explanation is unlikely to account for the remarkably unanimous eyewitness accounts of the phenomenon, which was observed by independent groups of witnesses in many different parts of Derby to be moving deliberately (and not erratically, as you would expect a mirage) on a course at low level. It certainly is unlikely to account for the sighting of Section 40 or for the noise reported by two of the groups of witnesses.

OTHER REPORTS FROM NORTH OF ENGLAND

Apart from interesting sightings reported from Uttoxeter on August 17 and September 29, 1987, which will be arrived at in due course, IUN investigated a number of other sightings in the north of England which coincide in time with the sighting made in the Derby area.

16 AUGUST. 1987. BATLEY, WEST YORKSHIRE. (Inv: Section 40 Section 40 of Section 40 Batley, reported that when walking in the direction of Dewsbury on the main Bradford road at 10.15pm she saw something in the sky which reminded her of the moon on its back". She then realised that the moon was behind her, and looking again saw something like the sun, but only the bottom half was glowing orange/red. The light was very brilliant and disappeared in a split second. While under observation the "object" was stationary and appeared solid. The light was below cloud level, around 3 miles away and at around 35 degrees elevation.

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At 11.15pm in another part of the town (Healey Lane) Section 40 (names and addresses on file) were returning home and looking in the direction of Woodkirk, when Section 40 her husband's attention to a very bright light in the sky on the horizon, glowing orange in colour. As they watched the object increased in size, and changed from an oval-shape into a cigar-shape, as though whatever was moving forward had turned sideways-on. At this stage the couple ran into their house and watched the object from the patio, whereupon it "disappeared into nothing, and then reappeared" again as a cigar-shaped object. Again, the object seemed to fade gradually, and changed shape back into an orange-coloured dot, whereupon it disappeared altogether.

Section 40 added that: "It didn't seem to be coming forwards and backwards or anything, it just seemed to be standing there and changing shape. It was certainly like nothing I've ever seen before". The investigator ruled out ground-lights and aircraft as an explanation for this sighting.

16 AUGUST 1987 and subsequent. BLACKSHAW HEAD, WEST YORKS. (Inv.

Section 40

At 9.45 pm three witnesses observed a row of six extremely bright lights - described as being as bright as a quartz-halogen lamp - over the moors at Widdop towards Colne. The lights were stationary for five minutes, and passed out of sight when the witnesses passed below the horizon. Four nights later, at 8.45pm a group of girls at Lindley, Huddersfield, saw two bright lights hovering above the Emley Moor TV mast, which disappeared as a shower of red sparks. At around the same date a witness at Mytholmroyd, Halifax saw a very bright light, much larger than a street-lamp, hovering over the Pennine moors visible from her house. The above cases are still under investigation.

LATE AUGUST, 1987. MARLAND, ROCHDALE, LANCASHIRE.

An impressive sighting reported by Section 40 a 43-year old professional artist, who lives in a large house on the edge of the moors above Rochdale. He was outside walking his dog at 10pm on the night of the sighting and: "cloud ceiling was around 5-6000feet, the moon was bright, casting light on milky-grey clouds, which were broken and scattered over the night sky. It is a regular walk every evening for me, and I take pleasure in observing aircraft navigation lights (in the distance on planes heading into Manchester Airport with their tiny intermittent starbursts of red and white lights. It is a regular flightpath and was behind me when I saw the UFOs.

"I was looking skywards in a northerly direction; there is no margin of clouds observed at a distance, they always appear to be massed. I saw a group of shimmering lights in the distance, they became bright, then dull, then bright again - this would occur when passing over and out of cloud. The thought that instantly passed through my mind was a number of fireflies directly in front of my face, my mind did not identify at that given moment on what I was actually seeing, and did not engage in judging distance. I actually took my hand out of my pocket to waft them away. Seconds later they were directly above. It was then I realised they were anything but flying insects. Four of them broke cloud as they passed over my head, I structuralised them visually.

"They were circular in shape, brightly-lit possibly a rotation attitude which made them appear to shimmer, giving edges a hazy image. On the underside of each circle were three very bright lights, which did not shimmer, they appeared almost still, these lights being so powerful glowed fiercely through cloud on the two that were hidden. I saw them disappear in a southerly direction. My calculations tell me (my favourite subject is civil aviation) they were a tremendous size; I have observed wide-bodied jetliners at that height. I am convinced that one of the UFOs could quite easily have accommodated quite comfortably four Boeing 747s."

Section 40

drew the following pencil-sketch of the objects he saw:



UFO SIGHTINGS AT UTTOXETER, STAFFORDSHIRE, 1984/1987

Three interesting UFO sightings are here detailed, all occurring around the small Staffordshire town of Uttoxeter, all of which describe essentially similar "circle of light"-type unknown flying objects. All of them were reported and investigated independently - none of the separate groups of witnesses know each other. Two of the reports describe seemingly solid triangular-shaped objects which had lights revolving around them; all of the sightings are distinguished by the lack of sound.

21 JUNE, 1984. HIGHWOOD, south of UTTOXETER.

Section 40 a 65-year old housewife of Section 40 reports the following experience: "On the night in question I was unable to sleep, and at around 2.20am I went to the wide-open window and saw what looked like a plane approaching from an easterly direction [see map]. Something seemed different about it and as I watched I realised that the lights didn't seem to be the same as those of other aircraft. They were more in number - 5 or 6 probably - flashing very bright white light - and a ruby-red light beneath which did not flash.

"I went to my bedside table for my spectacles, and noted the time, then returned to the window by which time the craft was very near the house and I could see the red light underneath very clearly. It seemed quite large and I considered a possible hot-air balloon since I could hear no engine noise, but dismissed this because it seemed to be

travelling faster than any I had ever seen. It passed nearly over the house and continued without change of course while I left my easterly-facing windows and went to look through those on the west. I was then able to observe it until it became a very small blur-shape. I cannot say with any certainty because although the sky was clear it was fairly dark (I could distinguish the landscape features, trees, etc) and the white lights were very intense - so blinding me for some moments after each flash.

"I am a poor judge of height and distance, but would say the craft was travelling at about the same height as I would expect to see light aircraft or helicopters - possibly a little higher... Strangely, I had been so interested yet next day I never gave it a thought, and only remembered the incident about three days later."

She added that the object first appeared as like a bright star, and appeared to change into a triangular-shaped craft. It disappeared slowly over the moors to the west of the town (see map). The object was below cloud-level (weather was clear, dry and warm) and in sight for four to five minutes.

17 AUGUST, 1987 (Monday). CRAKEMARSH, 2 miles north of UTTOXETER.

Impressive sighting reported by high-calibre witnesses. Mr. and Section 40 of Section 40 Uttoxeter. Section 40 is a store-manager in London Road, Derby. On the night in question (on the day following the sightings at Derby), they were returning to Uttoxeter from visiting Section 40 aunts in the small town of Rocester and were about halfway home near the settlement of Crakemarth sometime between 9.20 and 10pm when Section 40 saw an unusual object to the left through the passenger window.

Section 40 drew her husband's attention to the object and he slowed the car, both initially thinking it was a helicopter or aircraft in difficulties and about to crash. The object was hovering near a belt of trees known as Eaton Wood at the base of a ridge of high land to the east of Uttoxeter (see map) about a quarter of a mile away to the east; between the witnesses and the wood was open flat farmland crossed by telegraph wires and the Staffordshire way long-distance walking route, and dotted with trees here and there. Between them and the object was also the River Dove.

The object appeared like a ring of rotating white lights, with two coloured lights inside it - one a pale green colour, the other an "orangey-brown". Mr Roberts said the best way he could describe the object was that it was pie-shaped, and had a funnel-shaped "searchlight" beam (only wider and brighter) emitted from its underside - though he could not say whether this reached to the ground or not.

The object was in sight below the skyline, and was kept in sight all the while that Section 40 was driving slowly in second gear along the straight stretch of road towards Uttoxeter. Believing that the object was proceeding eastwards towards the town of Doveridge, they turned onto the A50 Uttoxeter by-pass road - following the approximate line of travel they expected it to be leading (see map). The object disappeared behind the trees of Eaton Wood for a while, and reappeared again when they turned off the A50 towards Doveridge, where they hoped to get a better view of the object. They then pulled over to the side

Note: no effect on car fuses.

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of the road, switched then engines and lights off and saw the object again in the distance; however, it now appeared to have turned around and was back where they had first seen it.

The object at this point was still in the form of a rotating ring of white lights.. "when looking back towards known areas where orange lights are this gives off an orange glow in the sky, although the actual lights cannot be seen, when we looked back all that could be seen was a white glow although there are no buildings or anything in that area that could be put down to this..it was like a pearl white glow."

Section 40 kept the object in sight for 20 to 25 minutes, and at no time did they hear any sound at all. The weather on the night in question was clear, dry and warm, with a little cloud and the odd shower earlier in the day. On the morning following a workmate in Derby informed Section 40 (without knowing of his sighting) that on the same night he had been travelling on the road from Allestree to Ashbourne at around the same time when they had seen a peculiar light similar to that observed by Section 40 and in the same area near the town of Doveridge.. "he said we saw this white light, like a pearl white glow in the sky".

Section 40 said that he had often seen helicopters from the JCB factory in Uttoxeter and from Alton Towers on flights over the area, and could not compare them in any detail to the brilliant ring of lights they had seen on August 17th, 1987.. "it just reminded me of one of those Jolly Green Giant things they had in Vietnam, when the sides are open and then you have something shining down..as if it was looking for something, but what the hell were they looking for down there.."

Section 40 returned to the area of the sighting with investigators David Clarke and Andy Roberts on September 20, 1987, almost a month after the sighting, and showed us the exact spot where the object was hovering (see map). Upon checking a map it was found that the UFO would have been very near to Patonhall Farm, just below Doveridge Ridge and Eaton Wood. A letter was duly sent to the occupants of the farm, asking if they had seen anything unusual on the night of the sighting; a reply was received soon afterwards from the owner of the farm saying that "we didn't see anything on the night in question, we must have missed it".

Both investigators were very impressed by the testimony of the two witnesses, indeed I consider this case to be one of the best reported incidents I have looked into during near 10 years of UFO investigations, and despite diligent enquiries no explanation has been found to account for this sighting.

29 SEPTEMBER, 1987. (Tuesday) BROMLEY WOOD, between ABBOTS BROMLEY and UTTOXETER, Staffordshire.

Section 40 of Section 40 Uttoxeter, reported that when driving home from Walsall to Uttoxeter on the night above with their 21-year old son Section 40 and his 18-year old friend Section 40 Section 40 when they encountered a "huge" object in the sky above the car when driving past Bromley Wood (Bagot Forest).

Section 40 said that: "It was 10.18pm when we saw this glowing object coming for us. I thought it was a plane about to crash, but all

Jolly Green Giant

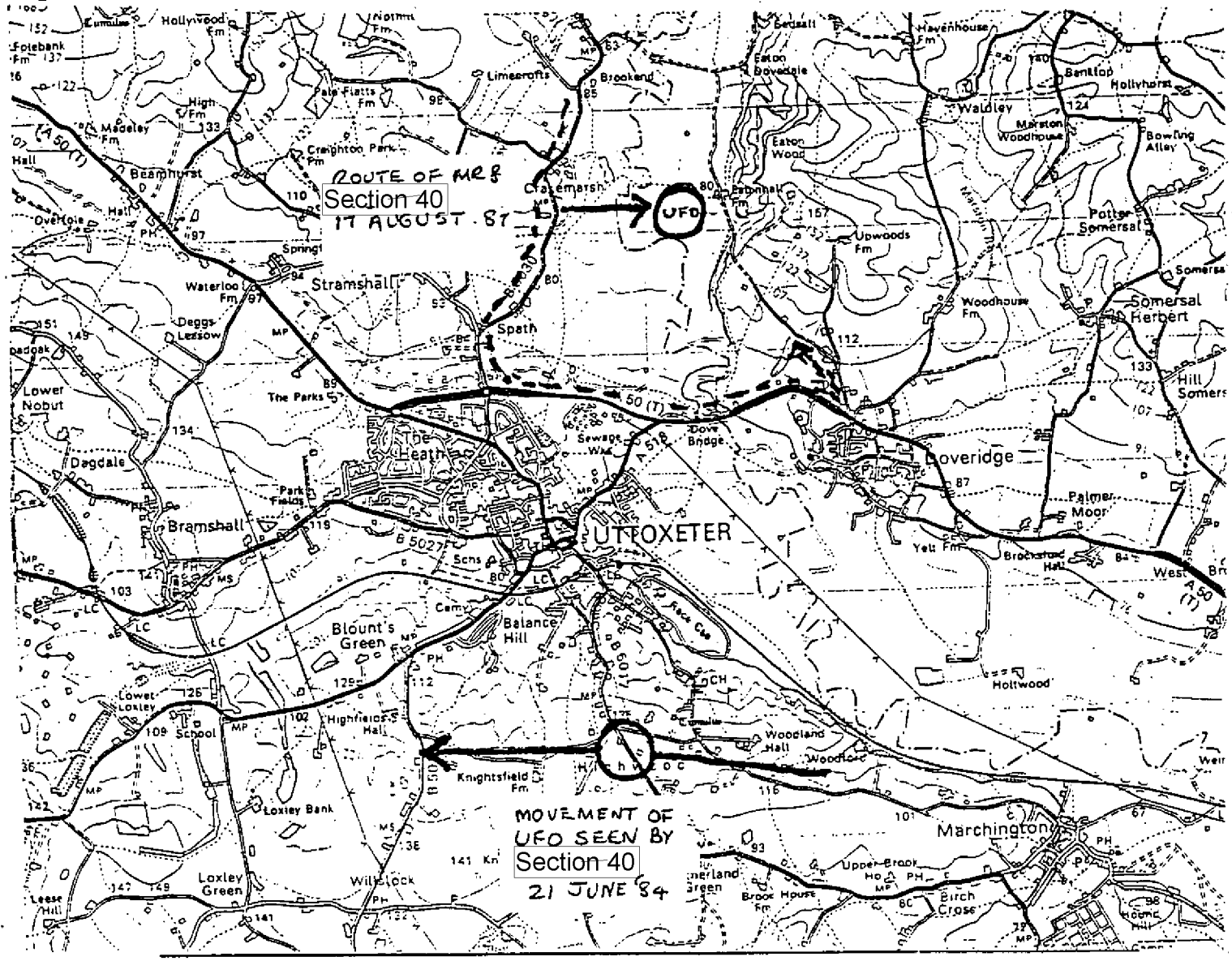
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of a sudden it stopped and hovered before us. I had never seen anything like it ever before. It was just like something out of a Steven Spielberg movie, I was petrified. The object was huge, about 50-100 feet long, triangular in shape surrounded by about 30 different brightly-coloured lights flashing around it in sequence. It was only about 100 feet above us and its lights lit up the ground and the road. We had a very clear view of it. I don't care what anybody says I know what I saw. It was a clear night and there was no way it was a plane."

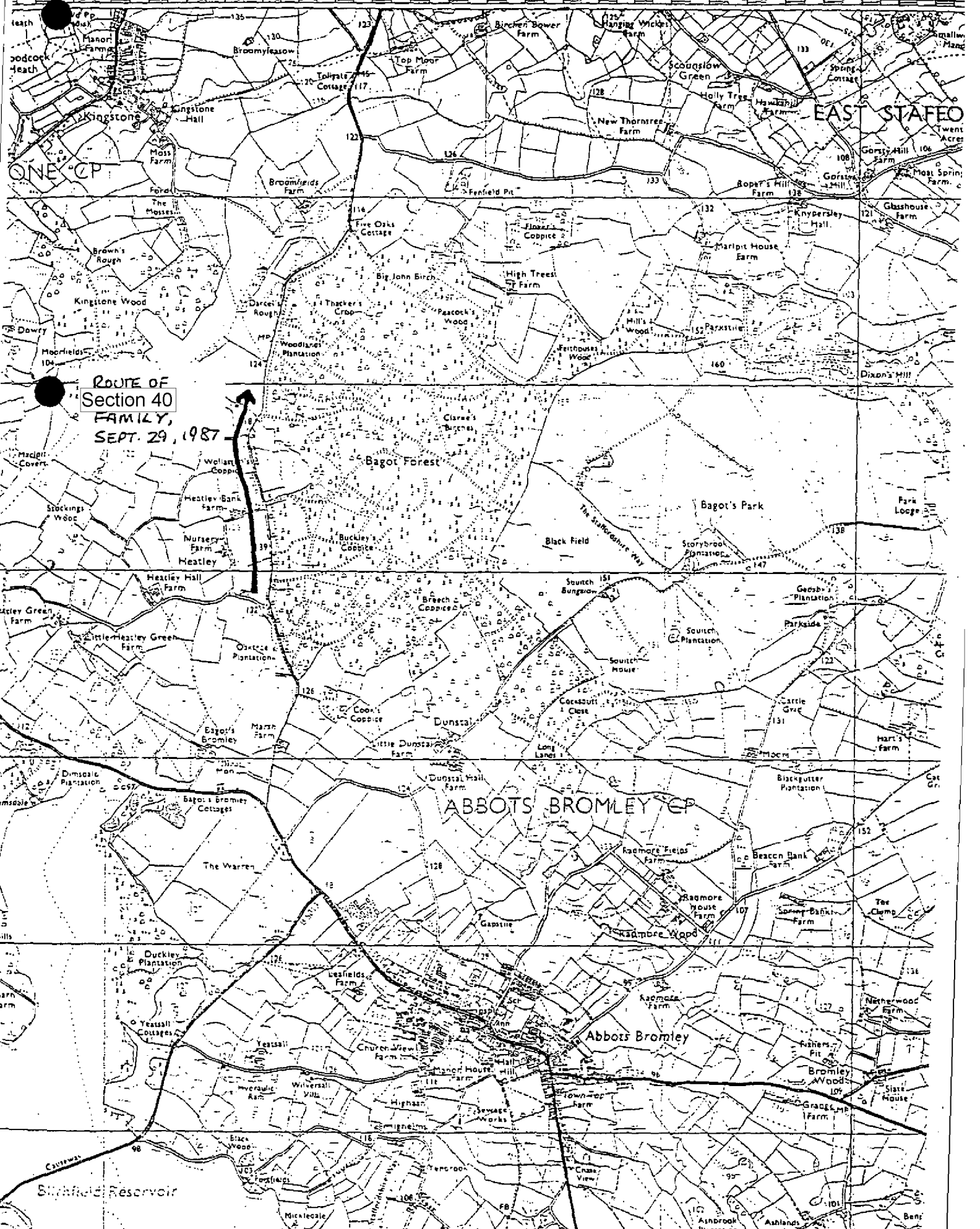
Section 40 said that: "it was certainly no plane. The speed it came at us and then just stopped was incredible, and it made no noise. I was more excited than frightened. It was a marvellous, indescribable experience."

At one point during the sighting they nearly drove into the path of an oncoming vehicle and had to stop the car, and said he would like to know if anyone in the other cars which they saw on the road that night had seen anything unusual in the sky. This sighting is currently under investigation by investigators Section 40

Oncoming vehicle



Blount's Grove
3 km or 2 miles



ROUTE OF
Section 40
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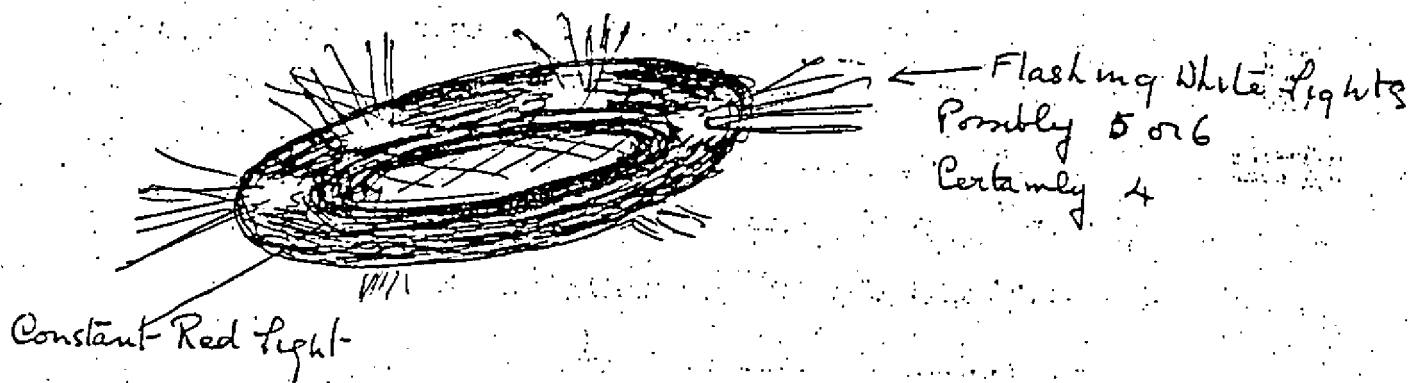
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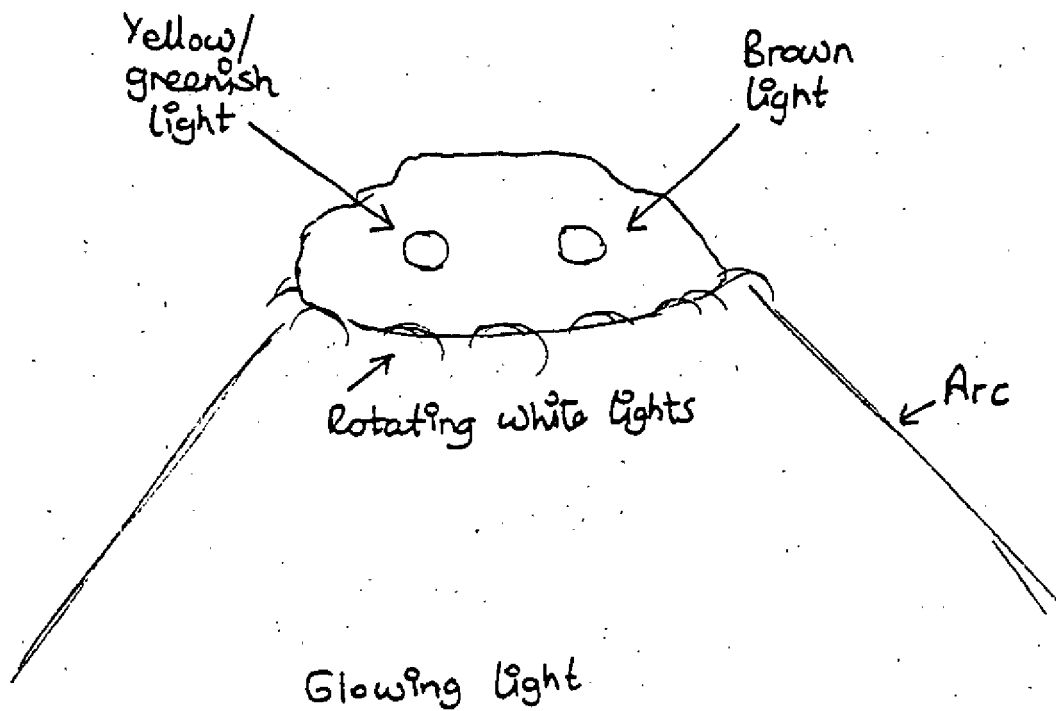
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BELOW: Sketch drawn by Section 40 of Section 40 Uttoxeter, of object seen on the night of June 21st, 1984.



BELOW: Sketch of object watched by Section 40 of Uttoxeter, near Doveridge, between 9.20 and 10pm on the night of August 17, 1987.





NOTTINGHAM WEATHER CENTRE

Watnall Nottingham NG16 1HT

Telephone Section 40 (Forecast Office)
(Senior Meteorological Officer)

Telex Section 40

Section 40

Please reply to The Senior Meteorological Officer

Your reference

Our reference WCN/10E/87/167

Date 13 Oct 87

Dear Section 40

We thank you for your enquiry of 28 Sep 87.

Our observers maintain a 24 hour a day watch but no record was made of unusual sightings during the two nights in question. Further, no weather balloons or experimental devices originated from this station.

The 'unusual atmospheric conditions' described in the Derby Evening Telegraph relate to a marked temperature discontinuity in the middle atmosphere this being a rapid rise of temperature over a short vertical distance.

Such discontinuities are commonly called inversions and often result in the anomalous propagation of energy such as light waves and television transmissions.

Our observations do show there was distant lightning to the west of Nottingham during the early hours of Tuesday 18 Aug.

The above briefly outlines our objective view into what caused the sightings but we will be most interested to hear of any differing conclusions that you may come to.

Yours sincerely

Section 40

NOTTINGHAM WEATHER CENTRE



●WATCHING: Mrs Sandra Bryan checks the skies for Unidentified Flying Objects.

Probe launched into UFO claims

by David Welford

UFO investigators were today compiling a dossier on the Evening Telegraph's startling revelations about the appearance of a 'strange round object' over a Derby suburb.

Shocked reports from all over the city have now flooded in and investigations will be starting on the various sightings.

A deluge of calls was triggered by accounts of a mystery object, said to be about "as big as a car" and covered in bright lights hovering over Chaddesden before splitting apart.

Pensioners Mr Bill Hislop and his wife Joan, of 122 Weston Park Avenue, Shelton Lock, saw an object hovering over the nearby Rolls-Royce computer centre for about 10 minutes late on Sunday night.

Mr Hislop (67) said: "It was travelling very slowly — at first we thought it was a helicopter because it was about that size. It had green lights as big as a football, flew towards us and then off towards Chaddesden."

Housewife Mrs Sandra

Bryan (37), of 195 Beaufort Street, Chaddesden, said: "Seven of us must have seen this object at about 11pm."

"At first we thought it look something like the star of Bethlehem because it started to glitter. Then it changed shape to an arrow. We watched it for about 20 minutes. Everyone was very scared," she said.

Mr Dennis Harriman, co-ordinator of the National UFO Investigation Society, said he would be very interested to hear as many detailed reports of the sightings as possible.

'Very scared'

He said: "We'll be investigating the events as soon as we get enough information. Derbyshire is the most active county in the Midlands for sightings and it's not very often we get a hoax — especially when there are so many reports."

A spokesman for Nottingham Weather Centre said there had been some unusual atmospheric conditions over the last few days which could account for the phenomenon.

County UFO-mania hotspots

AMAZED UFO investigators are reporting their busiest ever time for sightings in Derbyshire.

The rush was triggered by a sighting over Chaddesden, Derby, last weekend, when several startled neighbours saw a mystery object covered in bright lights hovering over the suburb.

Since then scores of reports have flooded in to UFO hotlines with accounts of strange sightings from various parts of the county.

And today Mr Dave Kelly, co-ordinator for the UFO Network on Chesterfield 70924, said: "I've never known anything like it —

we've been inundated."

After last weekend's reports UFO investigators immediately launched a probe into the various claims of unaccountable objects.

The latest report comes from the White House pub at Kegworth where a total of 30 people saw what looked like a shooting star which then stopped dead, glowed yellow, and disappeared at top speed.

Mr Kelly said: "Derbyshire and the immediate area is very active for sightings but the last few days have been incredible. My phone is red hot."

DERBY EVENING TELEGRAPH, Thursday, August 20, 1987

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT, BARNSELY, SOUTH YORKSHIRE, 5th AUGUST, 1987

INVESTIGATOR, Section 40

NAME AND ADDRESS OF WITNES Section 40

BARNSELY,
SOUTH YORKSHIRE.

TELE Section 40

Age of witness: 33
Occupation: UNEMPLOYED BRICKLAYER
Qualifications: NONE.

THE ABOVE WITNESS DOES NOT WISH ANY PUBLICITY IN CONNECTION WITH THE FOLLOWING REPORT AND HIS NAME AND ADDRESS ARE TO BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL.

THE FOLLOWING PHOTOGRAPHIC REPORT WAS BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE INVESTIGATOR BY Section 40 WHO HAD SEEN THE REPORT IN THE BARNSELY CHRONICLE NEWSPAPER (copy enclosed).

SIGHTING IN BRIEF

After a long sea fishing trip over the weekend (August 1st and 2nd) the witness, a Mr Section 40 returned home to Barnsley in South Yorkshire. Section 40 spent most of Monday and Tuesday in bed recovering from the long weekend. On Wednesday morning (5th August 1987) at around 5 am Section 40 was awoken by a strange 'buzzing' sound which sounded rather like a fly. He opened his bedroom curtains and observed above the houses opposite, an elliptical shaped object. He grabbed his camera which was on the sideboard next to the bed (the camera was borrowed from a friend) and took four photographs of the object as it moved from right to left across his view. These were the last four frames on the film so Section 40 went to find his bag and see if he had any more film. No film was found and when he returned to the window the object was no longer in sight. Section 40's wife also observed the object. For more information see enclosed transcript.

FURTHER DETAILS

Section 40 estimated the speed of the object to be 'lazy' (see transcript) and that he only had the object in view for a matter of seconds. The camera used was on a sideboard next to the bed and was within easy reaching distance. The film was developed at a local shop and Section 40 was apparently surprised that the photographs came out. It was only by chance that a local reporter saw the photographs and used them in the Barnsley Chronicle newspaper (again see transcript). The witness has been interviewed on two separate occasions only one of which has been tape recorded.

THE WITNESS

On the two occasions that I have spoken to Section 40 I have found him to be a down to earth sort of person whose one and only passion is sea fishing. He runs his local fishing club and most of his time is spent organising fishing trips etc. He is a very elusive man to track down due to his activities with the fishing club. The first meeting with Section 40 was at his local pub the Victoria (this was not tape recorded) on Tuesday 8th of September 1987. He handed over two original prints of his photographs which were simply pushed inside of a diary type wallet. Section 40 has shown little or no interest in the subject of UFO's and knows very little about the subject. He has also shown very little interest in his photographs and was surprised that so many people would be interested in them. All this is clearly illustrated by the fact that Section 40 does not want any publicity over the photographs in case his friends at the fishing club make fun of him. I feel that just about sums him up.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The weather on the morning in question was said to be fine but Section 40 did not take that much notice of the weather on the morning in question.

A sea fisherman who doesn't take much notice of the weather?

INVESTIGATORS COMMENTS

I am not sure about these photographs. I do not think they are a deliberate fake but it would not surprise me to discover that the subject image was a bird of some kind. This is just a guess but the enclosed photograph from an old Camera Weekly magazine demonstrates what I mean. I feel that a top priority should be placed on the analysis of these photographs to try and discover exactly what is or is not depicted on the photo's. To date (20 Sep 87) I have only two of the photographs in my possession. These I feel will be quite adequate to carry out such analysis. Section 40 has promised to supply me with copies of the other photographs so we will have to wait and see if he does.

The area in which Section 40 lives is rather shabby and he lives in a bed-sit type accommodation. His room was a little untidy but not dirty and fishing magazines etc were everywhere. His bed lies right underneath the window with his head up against the wall. A main road runs straight past outside (Sheffield Road) and during the day it is extremely busy. Could something on the road have made the buzzing noise heard by Section 40?

My first thoughts were that the subject image could have been a pigeon. I looked behind the houses below where the photographs were taken but no huts for pigeons was observed. This does not rule my pigeon theory out. The movement of the object as 'lazy' could possibly support my thoughts about a bird being responsible.

I would like to recommend that the photographs be sent to the following places for analysis and that no one should release the photographs without consultation with the investigator concerned and ofcourse the witness.

BUFORA.

MUFON.

Section 40
Sheffield University.

Enquiries have also been sent to both local military and civilian airports to see if there was any aircraft in the area at the time. To date (20 Sep 87) no replies have been recieved.

Signed:

Section 40

Section 40

20 September, 1987.

CAMERA DETAILS

Model:Halina with auto wind on.

Type:110

Lense;Standard.

Shutter speed and aperture are fixed.

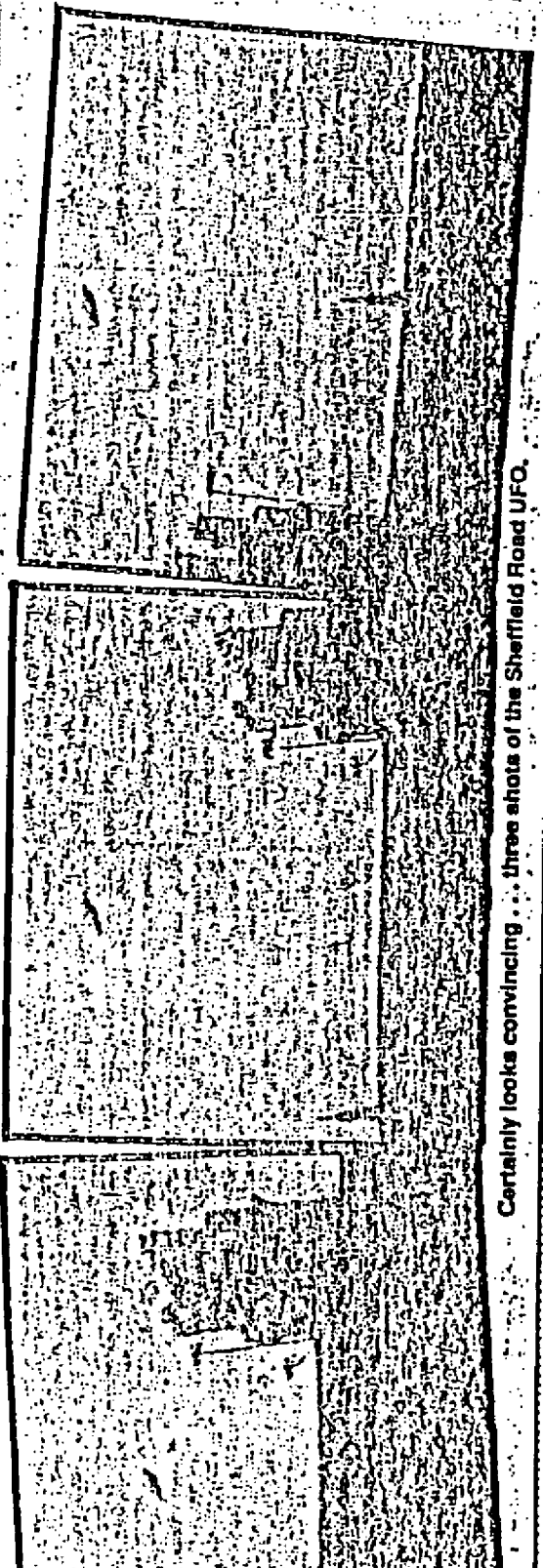
Film speed:100 ASA.

Film type:110 colour film (make not known)

CAMERA HAND HELD FOR ALL 4 EXPOSURES.

PLEASE NOTE;THE ABOVE CAMERA DETAILS ARE TO BE TREATED WITH CAUTION AS THE WITNESS WAS VERY VAGUE ABOUT THEM DURING THE INTERVIEW.FURTHER TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS WITH THE WITNESS HAVE FAILED TO CLARIFY THE SITUATION.

Yes... You are seeing things...



Certainly looks convincing ... three shots of the Sheffield Road UFO.

...but
 we're
 not
 sure
 what!

BACK from a long fishing weekend in Wales, a week or so back, a local angler was 'bussed' by a flying saucer.

"I was in bed most of Monday and Tuesday, but I was woken up at about five o'clock on Wednesday morning by a bussing sound," he told the Chronicle. "It sounded like a fly bussing on a window."

To spare the ridicule of his unbelieving friends, he wants to remain anonymous, but he knows he saw something.

And, if not an Unidentified Flying Object, it was in the sky and he couldn't identify it.

"I don't know how long it was there," he said. "But I had time to get out of bed and get my camera."

As soon as the extraterrestrial craft was snapped by the fisherman, it made off "The One That Got Away."

AND just in case you're thinking it's all bunkum, a 18-year-old Barnsley woman yesterday spoke of her terror after seeing two UFOs in the night sky over the town centre on Wednesday.

Amanda Senior saw the two oval-shaped objects with two friends at the front and around the sides from the back garden of her home in Old Mill Lane between 11 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

Amanda said: "I couldn't believe it. I was so frightened I didn't sleep. I have seen planes in the sky and I am convinced I could not have mistaken this object for a plane."

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CRUEL have dumped cats of pub week. A pic help is on Page



Transcript of interview with Section 40 who will hereafter be referred to as PB.
The interview took place on September 16th, 1987 at the home of PB at 11.30 am. The
investigator is Section 40 hereafter referred to as RM.

RM. Right Section 40. I want you to do is just tell me in your own words what happened and what you saw without any prompting from me, just speak nice and clear so that the microphone can pick it up.

PB. It's just like I told you before Section 40 been fishing for the weekend, I was absolutely exhausted when I got back so I had a good lie in and it was the Wednesday morning which would be the 5th (August). About 5 o'clock I heard a funny sound outside, I just pulled the curtains back and had a look, and I don't know what to describe it as, I can't describe it as a saucer shape or a balloon shape or anything it was sort of a, just an elliptical sphere if that's possible.

RM. And....

PB. Well you can see how far the camera was to the bed (points to sideboard which lies within easy reach of the bed RM), so, it was an Athina (camera) the camera, I think that's

RM. Halina ?

PB. Halina is it. With the electric re-wind. Well I just pointed it and pulled the trigger and you've seen the results.

RM. Yes. Okay that's fine. Now I can see where you took the photographs from here. Have you any idea, I mean did you see the thing disappear, did you see it move off ?

PB. No. I was looking to see if I'd got another film in my bag because I'd taken the last four and they were the last four in the camera. (PB took four photographs of the object which happened to be the last four frames on the film RM). I was looking to see if I had another film in my bag, and when I came back, there wasn't another film, and I looked out and it had gone.

RM. So the thing.....

PB. But it was travelling from the direction of Manchester to the direction of Sheffield.

RM. So as you look it was coming from right to left.

PB. Yes.

RM. Any estimation of speed at all. Was it fast slow or in between.

PB. No it was, no. It wasn't like Concorde or anything like that, it just seemed to be lazy, drifting rather.

RM. So you didn't see it disappear then. It was just gone when you got back.

PB. That's right.

RM. Fair enough. Now have you any idea how long you actually had this thing in view. Like I know you have taken four photographs, the camera had automatic re-wind, did it also have automatic wind-on?

PB. Yes it did.

M.It's got an automatic wind-on ?

FB.Yes.

M.So did you fire the photographs one after the other or did you pause at all in between shots ?

FB.No I just used one after the other.

M. So it was actually just a number of seconds that you had the thing in view for.

FB.Yes.

M.Jolly good.Have you ever seen anything like this before ?

FB.No.

M.Have you any interest in the subject of UFO's ?

B.No.

M.There is one thing that I would like to ask you.Three of your photographs appeared in the Barnsley Chronicle (local newspaper) how did the newspaper get to know about your photographs ?

FB.Well the photographs that I had processed,well the majority of them,were taken on the fishing trip,and I forgot about the others which were at the back of the wallet.I went in the pub (the Victoria) to see some of the lads from the fishing club,because we run the fishing club from the pub.So I went in to show them what it was like down in Wales, and obviously I showed them the photographs.It was Section 40 who took the photographs through to the lounge bar and showed them to the Chronicle reporter Section 40 Section 40

M.And that 's how the newspaper got to know about it.

FB.Yes.

M.Fine.I just wanted to clear that up that's all.Just moving on a little bit,have any of your neighbours or anybody reported anything.

FB.No.

M.Okay.

FB.My wife saw it.

M.Did your wife see it.

FB.Yes.

M.Is she not in at the moment ?

FB.No.

1. What was her reaction ?

PB. I think she thought she was dreaming. She was amazed actually that the photographs turned out.

PM. And she has kept quiet about this also ?

PB. Yes.

PM. I understand that Section 40 has been in touch with you.

PB. Yes.

PM. He did write to you initially . (PB produces Section 40 letter which is enclosed PM).

PB. The photograph I sent him, he was pleased with it anyway. (PB sent Section 40 one of the original prints PM).

2. I spoke with Section 40 last week on the phone regarding your photographs . Now I told you both in my letter and on the phone about where your photographs will possibly be going for analysis, have you any objections to this.

PB. No.

PM Section 40 is a researcher in the United States who specialises in these sort of photographs and we may also use other places in Britain. As soon as we can we will have your photographs analyzed and of course I will keep you fully informed of the results of such analysis.

PB. That's fine.

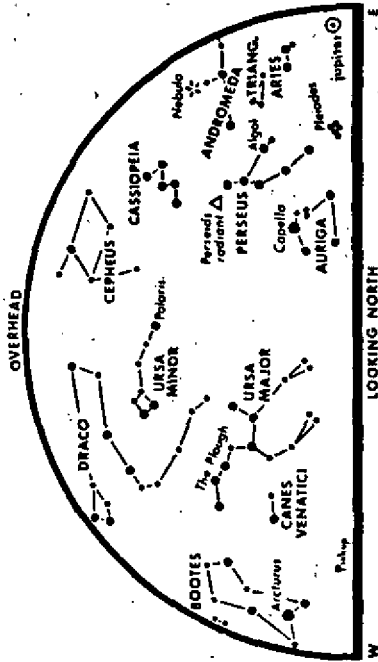
Interview ended at 12 noon with PB promising to supply the investigator with copies of all of the photographs at a later date. The photographs were currently at a local shop along with the negatives. At this moment in time only two photographs have been handed over (20 Sep 87) and the negatives have not been properly examined.

Transcript by Philip Mantle .

August 1987

by Alan Pickup

The map shows the brighter planets and stars as they appear at midnight BST on August 1, 23.00 on August 16 and 22.00 on August 31.



Sagittarius lies low with

in our southern sky at August star map times is constellation of Sagittarius. With the Galaxy just in its western border, it is not surprising that it contains a host of interesting stars, including numerous star clusters. These balls of gas and dust are up to a million old stars most concentrated near the hub of the Galaxy. Two objects discovered in the past year may owe their existence to the star-packed Sagittarius.

The first involves the magnitude globular cluster 6624 and observations of the European X-ray satellite Exosat made in 1984. Exosat made in 1984 1985 but analysed more recently by scientists from the European Space Agency the Los Alamos National Observatory. The globular cluster contains a source of X-rays which was discovered by earlier Uhuru satellite observations as 4U1820-30. This source is an X-ray burst or burster, which produces 10-20 second flashes of steady X-ray flux.

Bursts are thought to be binary stars, consisting of a neutron star (the corpse of an ancient supernova explosion) and a relatively ordinary companion star. Hydrogen is pulled from the companion towards the neutron star, generating the ground X-ray flux as it falls on to the neutron star's surface where it is converted into helium by

Sagittarius, contains another type of exotic object. Researchers from the University of Manchester and three US institutions used the huge Jodrell Bank radio telescope and a supercomputer at Los Alamos to collect and analyse signals from a radio source in M28.

They found the blips of a millisecond pulsar, a rotating neutron star which spins on its axis 327 times each second. Most other rapid pulsars have a companion star whose transferred material helps to "spin up" the neutron star which would otherwise run down as energy is radiated away. This pulsar, the second fastest known, does not appear to belong to a binary so perhaps its state results from its location in the core of globular.

The supernova in the Large Magellanic Cloud continues to fade slowly. By mid-July it had fallen to magnitude 4.6, returning to the brightness it had when it was discovered in February.

Perseid Meteors

The bright Moon rises during evening twilight on August 12 and its light will drown most of the fainter members of the Perseids meteor shower which peaks during that night. The shower began on July 23 and will peter out on August 20, but most Perseids arrive in the four or five days around maximum.

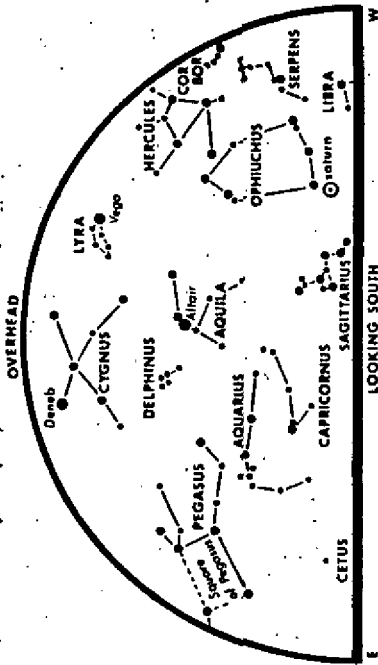
During the shower's climax, meteors are seen in all parts of the sky, though their paths

the Sun on August 1 and shines at magnitude -0.6 at an altitude of 4 degrees one hour before sunrise. Venus rises in the north-east less than 40 minutes before sunrise and is unlikely to be seen. Both will be lost in the twilight in the next few days as they approach superior conjunction on the far side of the Sun later in the month (see Diary). Mars is at conjunction on the far side of the Sun on August 25 and will not be seen.

Diary

All times are BST.

Aug. 1 14h	Spica 0.3 deg S of Moon.	at first
Aug. 2 20h	Moon	at first
Aug. 3 18h	Mercury 7 deg S of Pollux.	
Aug. 5 00h	Antares 0.1 deg N of Moon.	
Aug. 5 10h	Saturn 6 deg N of Moon.	
Aug. 5 23h	Uranus 5 deg N of Moon.	
Aug. 6 19h	Neptune 6 deg N of Moon.	
Aug. 9 11h	Full moon.	
Aug. 13 02h	Maximum of Perseids meteor shower.	
Aug. 14 17h	Jupiter 4 deg S of Moon.	
Aug. 16 08h	Moon at last quarter.	
Aug. 18 23.09	Minimum of Algol.	
Aug. 19 16h	Saturn stationary.	
Aug. 20 07h	Mercury in superior conjunction.	
Aug. 20 09h	Jupiter stationary.	
Aug. 23 07h	Venus in superior conjunction.	
Aug. 24 13h	New Moon.	
Aug. 25 09h	Mars in conjunction with Sun.	
Sept. 1 05h	Moon at first quarter.	
Sept. 1 07h	Antares 0.3 deg N of Moon.	



Its exotic hand luggage

Jupiter brightens from magnitude -2.5 to -2.7 as its distance drops from 702 million to 637 million km. On August 1, it rises in the east-north-east at 23.20 and is conspicuous during the morning hours as it ascends through the eastern sky to stand in the south-east at dawn. It is moving very slowly east-north-eastwards in the constellation Pisces, near the border with Aries, but this motion reverses at a stationary point on August 20. By August 31, Jupiter rises at the end of evening twilight and passes about 45 degrees high in the south before dawn. The planet stands 6 degrees right of the Moon as they rise together on August 14.

Mercury rises in the north-east about 96 minutes before

magnitude 0.3 to 0.5, it is still a bright naked-eye object low in the south-south-west after dark, 8 degrees above and left of the star Antares of Scorpius. There are no brighter objects in that part of the sky, except of course for the Moon which sweeps south of the planet during daylight on August 5.

At 22.30 BST on August 4, look for the Moon to lie 10 degrees below-right of Saturn and 1.7 degrees below-right of Antares. Saturn sets in the south-west at about 01.20 BST on August 1, two hours earlier at the month's end, and lies 1.439 million km from the Earth in the middle of the period. Uranus and Neptune are binocular objects of magnitude 5.6 and 7.9 in Ophiuchus and Sagittarius respectively.

appear to diverge from a rapt point to the north of the perseus, see our north star map. This point lies some 30 degrees above the north-north-eastern horizon after dusk and climbs to stand more than 60 degrees high in the north-east before dawn. Perseid meteoroids are swift, rushing into the Earth's atmosphere at speeds of 60 m per second and burning up at heights below 110 km. Any of the bright meteors have luminous trains which may persist for a few seconds. Saturn moves very little against the stars of Ophiuchus this month, being stationary on August 19 before it begins an easterly progress which will carry it to the constellation Sagittarius early next year. Although it fades a little from

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Dear Section 40

In answer to your questionnaire, I am 36yrs. old, an unemployed bricklayer and divorced. I live with a 33 year old German woman, who does not work through poor health. Her name is Section 40 and she will be in Spain until October 1st.

Yours sincerely
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Section 40

19th January, 1988

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your letter of the 15th January, 1988.

First of all the background to myself. I have been a full time Landscape Photographer for some ten years, during which time I have travelled to seventeen different countries. My work sells in many different markets such as books, magazines, advertising, calendars, decorative art posters and prints. My photos are currently on sale in over forty countries worldwide.

I have been interested in unexplained phenomena of all kinds and have over the last few years taken on the role of photographic consultant to a number of societies such as your own.

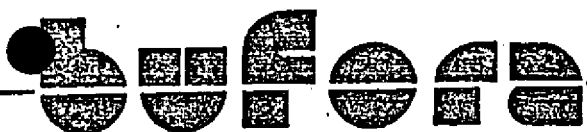
The photograph we saw the other night, although very poor in quality, I could not see any evidence that the object was stuck on to the window glass or that it was a bird or aeroplane creating some strange visual effect. Certainly the negative had not been tampered with and it would seem from where the picture was actually taken that it would be very difficult to construct a hoax. Unfortunately, the overall poor quality of both negative and print leaves the photographic evidence somewhat inconclusive, but it seemed to me that this was a U.F.O.

Section 40 and I both enjoyed your visit and would be pleased to view any photos or negatives that come into your possession.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

Section 40



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- REPORT

- 1 THE POINT HAS BEEN MADE BY BOTH THE INVESTIGATOR AND THE DIRECTOR OF INVESTIGATIONS THAT IF THE 'OBJECT' WAS IN FACT STUCK ONTO THE WINDOW GLASS AND NOT AERIAL AT ALL, THEN ITS APPARENT MOVEMENT COULD BE ACHIEVED BY PARALLAX. THAT THE OBJECT LOOKS IDENTICAL IN BOTH SHOTS AND THAT IT ALSO MAINTAINS THE SAME DISTANCE FROM THE L.H. WOULD BE CONSISTENT WITH THIS. (IN FACT THE DISTANCE IS 2MM LESS IN PHOTO A, A DIFFERENCE OF 5.5% BUT THIS CAN BE EXPLAINED BY THE MORE ACUTE ANGLE OF THE PHOTOGRAPH).
- 2 HOWEVER THIS DOES NOT PROVE THAT THE OBJECT IS STUCK TO THE GLASS BECAUSE IF AN AERIAL OBJECT WERE MOVING R. TO L. AND THE PHOTOGRAPHER MOVED TO THE RIGHT AND THEN TRIED TO KEEP THE OBJECT IN CENTRE FRAME HE WOULD ALSO BE KEEPING IT A SIMILAR RELATIVE DISTANCE FROM THE WINDOW EDGE. THE CHANCES OF DOING IT THIS PRECISELY ARE OF COURSE SLIM BUT NOT IMPOSSIBLE. IT MAY BE REVEALING TO MEASURE THIS DISTANCE IN THE OTHER TWO PHOTOGRAPHS BECAUSE

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IN RESPECT OF THIS IT MUST ALSO BE STATED THAT PHOTO B WAS DEFINITELY TAKEN FROM A POSITION TO THE RIGHT OF PHOTO A. THIS IS EVIDENT FROM THE FACT THAT THE PUTTY AROUND THE GLASS IS CLEARLY VISIBLE IN B (THE UNEVEN EDGE) BUT IS OBSCURED BY THE WINDOW FRAME IN A, DEMONSTRATING THAT THE ANGLE IS MORE ACUTE. THE QUESTION IS, HOW DO WE KNOW WHICH WAS TAKEN FIRST WITHOUT THE NEGATIVE? IF A WAS NOT TAKEN FIRST THEN IT COULD NOT BE OF AN AERIAL OBJECT MOVING R-L. FOR THIS REASON IT IS MOST IMPORTANT THAT THE ORIGINAL NEGATIVES ARE INSPECTED.

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IT IS DIFFICULT TO ASSESS THE RELATIVE FOCUS OF THE OBJECT BECAUSE ITS APPARENT TRANSLUCENCE MAKES IT LOOK SOFTER THAN PERHAPS IT OTHERWISE WOULD, IN PARTICULAR THE UPPER EDGES ARE 'LOST' AGAINST THE SKY. THIS COULD BE CAUSED BY TRANSLUCENCE OR, IF IT IS A SOLID AERIAL OBJECT, BY HAVING A REFLECTIVE SURFACE. HOWEVER, THE LOWER, DARKER EDGES ARE CLEARER AND APPEAR TO HAVE A FOCUS SIMILAR TO THAT OF THE WINDOW EDGE SUGGESTING THAT THEY ARE ON THE SAME PLANE. THE OUTLINES OF THE CHIMNEYS AND THE ROOF APPEAR SHARPER BECAUSE THEY ARE BEYOND THE HYPERFOCAL DISTANCE OF THE LENS. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE ORIGINAL PRINTS WILL GIVE MORE AWAY IN THIS RESPECT, BUT IN ANY CASE COMPUTER ENHANCEMENT WOULD CERTAINLY RESOLVE THIS POINT.

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ANY PIECE OF PAPER STUCK ON THE WINDOW WOULD BE SILHOUTTED AGAINST THE SKY. THE LIGHTNESS OF THE OBJECT MEANS THAT IF IT IS STUCK ON THE WINDOW AS OPPOSED TO BEING DISTANT AND AIRBORNE, IT MUST BE OF A TRANSLUCENT MATERIAL. POSSIBILITIES WOULD INCLUDE A CHIP OR AIRBUBBLE IN THE GLASS (ALTHOUGH NEITHER THE INVESTIGATOR OR ON-SITE PHOTO'S SUPPORT THIS), POLYMENE, TISSUE, LIGHT CLOTH OR GAUZE, FLUID OF SOME SORT. THIS IS SUPPOSING SOME ACCIDENTAL FORMATION OF THE CLASSIC UFO SHAPE. ALTHOUGH SUCH AN OCCURENCE MUST BE RARE, IF IT IS THE CASE THEN IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN THE RECOGNITION OF JUST SUCH A CHANCE PHENOMENA THAT PROMPTED THE TAKING OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS.

NIGEL SMITH

CO-ORDINATER FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC RESEARCH

OCTOBER 1987

These notes were made while perusing the FB photos.

The story behind the photos seems reasonable. The confirmation by his wife is helpful.

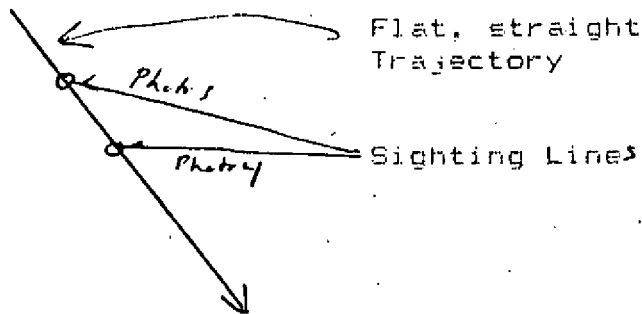
The UO itself looks somewhat like a Meier UFO but also like other photos in the literature. It seems to me that a 1978 IRAN photo also looks similar. The brightness variation seems consistent with light coming from the left. Which direction was he looking with respect to east? Are any shadows visible in the photos? If so check their directions with respect to the sun.

At 5 in the Morning

I have two glossy prints. I also have a Xerox copy of a full frame picture by Section 40. Comparing these I conclude that the glossies must be partial frame copies of the original 110 size negatives. In other words, it would appear that the original full frame pictures would show more of the nearby house.

I also have a poor Xerox copy of a newspaper story that shows three of the FB photos. Based on these three photos, and with better detail of course in the glossy prints, it appears evident that the UO image increased in separation (height) from the image of the top of the roof from 95/60" to 102/60" or about 7%, using the dark spot on the right side of the UO as a measuring point. This is as if the UO were a real object traveling at a constant altitude along a trajectory that carried it across the field of view but not perpendicular to the field of view as illustrated here:

TOP VIEW



If I had the four photos I could determine whether or not the image size also increases. There does appear to be a very slight increase in UO image width from photo 3 to 4 from about 11 or 11.5/60 to about 13/60", or about 13%. Unfortunately this measurement is not very accurate because the image is fuzzy at the left and right edges. Perhaps better copies (or higher contrast prints or a computer enhancement of the original) would give a more accurate answer. Certainly the image size should be measured on all the photos to see if the size grows consistently. Note that the increased size is consistent with the increased elevation if the UO was a real distant object traveling in a trajectory such as the above picture illustrates.

PARALLAX and lack of same: the UO image moves right to left over the image of the roof. At the same time the image of the very nearby left window frame also moves right to left with respect to the roof. The window edge motion can be explained if the camera moved slightly to the right, and, in fact, this *must* have happened. If the UO were a paper cutout its image would also move right to left. The big question, then, is this: can the apparent motion of the UO be accounted for as apparent motion of a nearby UO on the window (hoax hypothesis)? Since the image is fuzzy one could argue that it was too close to the camera to be in focus.

If this were so then the photographer not only moved slightly to the right as he took the pictures, he also moved slightly downward to make the UO image appear higher. He also moved slightly closer to it to make the image appear bigger. He also made a rather interesting cutout with brightness variation to give the impression of being lit from one side. Blimey! Clever fellow!

Maybe. It is very important to get and analyze the other pictures. Need full frame prints of excellent quality. High contrast black and white would be good for mensuration as well as excellent color prints.

Assuming the other photos are consistent with this one.....could be VERY interesting. FB must be reinterviewed to get a better handle on the amount of time taken. Must also measure the upward angle from his window to the roof so we can estimate the elevation of the UO in the event that it was real. With this information it is possible to construct tentative flight tracks based on assumptions of distance and altitude.

Note: Also appears to be a First Priority photo case.

Section 40

Dec 16, 1985



Photograph taken from inside of Section 40 home on September 16, 1987. This photo was taken from approximately the same position as Section 40 'UFO' photographs. Photo by Section 40



Photographs taken outside of
the rooftops. Photographs by

See home on September 16, 1987. The 'object' is said to have moved from right to left

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IDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT REPORT.

LOCATION: CHESTERFIELD, DERBYSHIRE, ENGLAND.

DATE: 12 MAY, 1985.

TIME: 9.00 PM.

No OF WITNESSES: ONE

WITNESSES PARTICULARS: TO BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL.

NAME: Section 40

AGE:? OVER 21

ADD Section 40

CHESTERFIELD,
DERBYSHIRE,
Section 40

OCCUPATION: HOUSEWIFE.

QUALIFICATIONS: NONE.

OBSERVATION: LIGHTS IN THE SKY (LITS) PLUS THREE PHOTOGRAPHS. (enclosed).

INVESTIGATORS: Section 40

cc: Section 40 Fund for UFO Research.
Mutual UFO Network inc.
British UFO Research Association.

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The following report was telephoned to the UFO HOTLINE 24 hour answerphone service during the month of June 1987. The witness was interviewed on June 26, 1987.

SIGHTING DETAILS IN BRIEF.

On the evening of May 12th, 1985, the witness was in her garden at the rear of her house. In the sky to the north/east, the witness noticed what she believed to be a large bright star or planet. This bright light remained stationary for approximately twenty minutes before it started to move off towards the east. As the light started to move it dimmed then suddenly illuminated and eight very bright lights could be seen (see drawing). The lights remained stationary again for a few more minutes and then moved off in an easterly direction. The lights moved slowly across the sky and no noise was heard during the sighting.

The lights were observed at high altitude and no guess could be made of their height or speed except for slow. The lights were observed at approximately 45 degrees above the horizon. The witness did not see the lights approach, they were simply just there when she went into her garden. The entire observation lasted approximately thirty minutes. For further details see enclosed sighting report form.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The weather conditions during the sighting are reported to have been warm and clear with stars visible at dusk. Indeed stars are visible on the photographs.

THE PHOTOGRAPHS

The negatives of the photographs in question have been examined by both investigators. Both investigators are of the same opinion, that being that there has been no attempt to fabricate a hoax photograph. The frames both before and after the enclosed prints merely showed photographs of family and friends. In all three photographs were taken of the lights, all of which are enclosed and numbered in sequence on the rear. The negatives in question are available for analysis if required.

PHOTOGRAPH NUMBER ONE

The light source in question is easily visible in this photograph although it is blurred due to camera shake. Stars are visible in the dusk sky and several street lights are visible also along the bottom of the photograph.

PHOTOGRAPH NUMBER TWO

The light source is clearly visible in the centre of the photograph and individual lights can be easily seen. The individual light number 7 in all and are an off white colour with an orange tint. The light source was stationary when this photograph was taken, and stars can also be seen in the frame. This is probably the best of the three photographs taken.

PHOTOGRAPH NUMBER THREE

This photograph was taken as the light source moved away and the slight blurring is thought to be caused by object/light movement rather than camera shake. Again stars are also easily visible in the frame.

The time span between the photographs is not known as the witness cannot remember but an estimation of only a few minutes has been offered from photograph number one to photograph number three.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

It was not until the light source started to move that the witness decided to go back into the house to fetch her camera and take some photographs. The witness described the lights as 'far brighter than anything else in the sky' something which is clearly visible in the photographs. When asked why it had taken over two years for the witness to report her observation, she replied that 'she did not know who to report such a thing to, and she did not know if anyone would be interested anyway'. If it had not been for an article featuring the UFO HOTLINE in the local Chesterfield newspaper it could well have been that this case would never have come to light.

THE WITNESS

The lady in question was found to be a reliable person of average intelligence and who has no real interest in UFO's. She was found to be reliable in every way and in the opinion of the investigators, gave an honest and reliable account of her sighting to the best of her ability.

CAMERA DETAILS

MODEL: MAMIYA 2E. 35 mm. LENS: 50 mm.

FILM: TRUPRINT COLOUR PRINT FILM

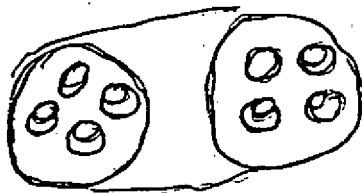
FILM SPEED: 100 ASA

SHUTTER SPEED: 30th of a SECOND

f-STOP: 5.6

CAMERA HAND HELD FOR ALL THREE EXPOSURES.

WITNESSES DRAWING OF OBJECT/LIGHT SOURCE OBSERVED



Above drawing made by Section 40 on June 26, 1987.

INVESTIGATORS COMMENTS

It is in the opinion of both the investigators that there could well be a rational explanation to this report/photographs. One has to keep in mind that East Midlands Airport lies only a few miles south near Derby and that many RAF bases are dotted around Derbyshire and surrounding counties. It is quite clear that the witness has not tried to fool the investigators in any way. It is doubtful if enquiries at the various authorities (RAF etc) would be able to locate an aircraft in the area nearly two and a half years after the event.

Analysis of the photographs could well prove whether or not an aircraft was responsible. Numerous separate lights are easily visible in the photographs and such a light configuration on aircraft is not known to the investigators. Although there are quite a few details missing from this report, both investigators feel that it could well have a rational explanation.

CONCLUSION

Both investigators feel that analysis of the photographs should be undertaken and that at this moment in time (25 August 1987) this report should be classified as OPEN/INSUFFICIENT DATA until such analysis of the photographs has been carried out by qualified experts.

Further details on this case can be obtained from the witness if deemed necessary in the future.

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25 August, 1987.

YORKSHIRE UFO NETWORK

Sighting Report Form

The Yorkshire UFO Network, (YUFON) was founded in 1984 and is a private organisation administered by individuals variously qualified and from many different walks of life. The organisation is not a cult, nor does it have a membership as such and entry into YUFON is strictly by invitation only. YUFON subscribes to no particular theory or point of view with regards to the origin and nature of the UFO phenomenon. Flexibility, and open minded unbiased objectivity form its policy. Above all it attempts to undertake a continuous programme of objective research and investigation in to the UFO enigma.

FULL NAME (MR MRS MISS MS) Section 40

ADDRESS Section 40 .. HASTLAND

.. CHESTERFIELD .. DERBY .. POST CODE Section 40 ..

AGE OVER 21 .. OCCUPATION .. HOUSE WIFE

TEL. NO. QUALIFICATIONS (IF ANY)

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SIGHTING DETAILS

DATE 12 MAY 85 DAY TIME 9 ~~AM~~/PM

WEATHER AND LIGHT CONDITIONS AT THE TIME (TICK APPROPRIATE BOX)

DARKNESS	<input type="checkbox"/>	HEAVY RAIN	<input type="checkbox"/>	MOON	<input type="checkbox"/>
DAWN	<input type="checkbox"/>	DRIZZLE	<input type="checkbox"/>	STARS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DAYLIGHT	<input type="checkbox"/>	CLEAR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	LIGHT WIND	<input type="checkbox"/>
DUSK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MIST	<input type="checkbox"/>	STRONG WIND	<input type="checkbox"/>
THIN CLOUD	<input type="checkbox"/>	DRY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WARM	<input type="checkbox"/>
HEAVY CLOUD	<input type="checkbox"/>	SNOW	<input type="checkbox"/>	COLD	<input type="checkbox"/>

OTHER (PLEASE STATE)

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WAS OBJECT SEEN IN VICINITY OF FOLLOWING

- CIVIL AIRPORT RESERVOIR ANCIENT MONUMENT
- MILITARY AIRFIELD RIVER ETC AIR ROUTE
- POWER LINE HIGH VOLTAGE RADIO/TV MAST GOVT. ESTAB. MOORLAND
- STREET LIGHTS QUARRY OR MINE WOODLAND

HOW LONG WAS THE OBJECT VISIBLE FOR... 30 mins

WAS THE OBJECT BRIGHTER THAN THE SKY BACKGROUND YES/NO

INDICATE HOW BRIGHT COMPARED WITH THE SUN FULL MOON

STREET LIGHT OTHER... BRIGHT STAR

DID THE OBJECT WHILST UNDER OBSERVATION (TICK APPROPRIATE BOX)

- HOVER CHANGE SHAPE PULSE
- ROTATE FLICKER/THROB CHANGE COLOUR
- EXPLODE APPEAR SOLID MANOEUVRE
- EMIT SMOKE NOT SOLID DISAPPEAR

DID YOU OBSERVE THE OBJECT THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING: YES/NO

SPECTACLES SUNGLASSES BINOCULARS TELESCOPE HOUSE WINDOW CAR WINDOW OTHER.....

WAS ANY PHOTOGRAPHS/CINE/VIDEO RECORD MADE OF THE OBJECT YES/NO

IF YES, PLEASE SUPPLY DETAILS. (CAMERA USED, TYPE OF FILM, SHUTTER AND EXPOSURE SETTING ETC

.. MAMIYA 2 F... TRU PRINT. ASA 100... SHUTTER SPEED 30
.. STEP 5.6.. (CAMERA HAND HELD)

HAS ANY FILM BEEN DEVELOPED YES/NO

WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO SUBMIT YOUR NEGATIVES/FILM/PRINTS/VIDEO FOR SCIENTIFIC ANALYSIS YES/NO

WAS MORE THAN ONE OBJECT OBSERVED, IF SO HOW MANY, AND WAS ANY PATTERN OBSERVED, OR FORMATION NO - ONLY ONE

DETAILS.....

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PLEASE ESTIMATE THE HEIGHT OF THE OBJECT FROM THE GROUND
ROOFTOP LEVEL BELOW CLOUD ABOVE CLOUD VERY HIGH OTHER...

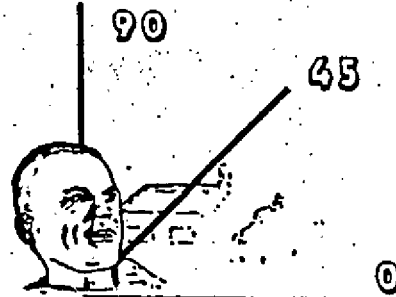
PLEASE ESTIMATE THE SPEED OF THE OBJECT 0 - 50 50 - 100 100 plus
COULD NOT ESTIMATE.

HOW FAR DO YOU THINK THE OBJECT WAS FROM YOU COULD NOT ESTIMATE
.....YARDS/METRES.....MILES/KILOMETRES.....OTHER

ANGLE OF SIGHTING

PLEASE INDICATE APPROXIMATE ANGLE OF
OBJECT FROM YOUR POSITION. USE THE
DIAGRAM TO ASSIST YOU

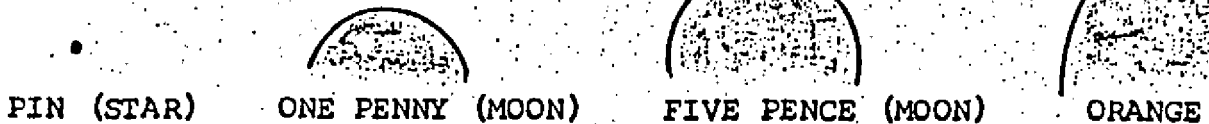
ANGLE... 45°



HOW LARGE DID THE OBJECT APPEAR COMPARED WITH THE FOLLOWING HELD
AT ARMS LENGTH: PLEASE CIRCLE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:-

- PIN HEAD
- PEA
- ONE PENNY
- TWO PENCE
- TEN PENCE
- GOLF BALL
- ORANGE
- SAUCER
- DINNER PLATE
- OTHER
- STAR

USE THESE EXAMPLES TO ASSIST YOU:-



DID ANY OTHER PERSON WITNESS THE SIGHTING, IF SO PLEASE GIVE
DETAILS (IN THE STRICTEST CONFIDENCE)

.....No.....
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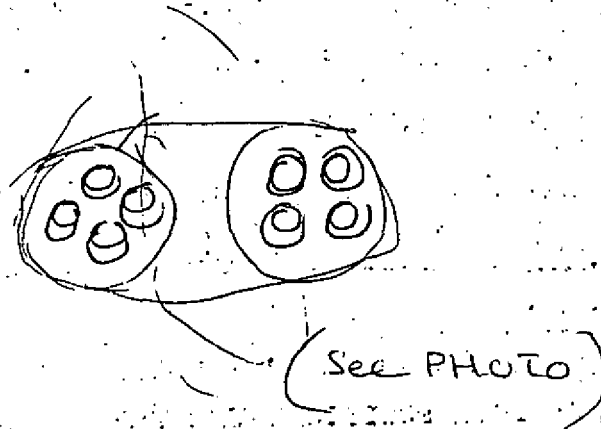
ARE YOU LONG SIGHTED OR SHORT SIGHTED L/S S/S NEITHER

IF YOU HAVE EVER SEEN A SIMILAR OBJECT BEFORE, OR EXPERIENCED
THIS PHENOMENA IN THE PAST (WHATEVER FORM) PLEASE GIVE DETAILS

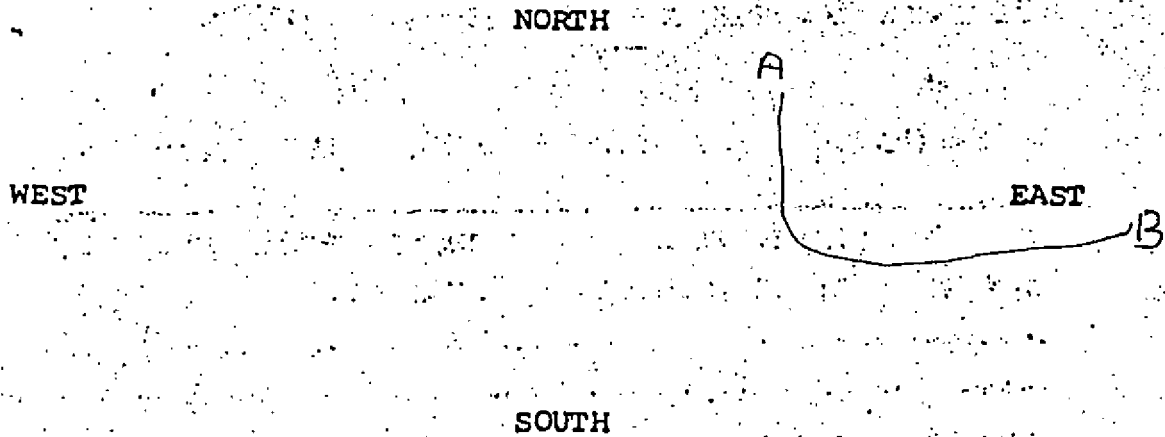
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.....No.....
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PLEASE TRY TO DRAW WHAT YOU SAW TO THE BEST OF YOUR ABILITY



PLEASE TRY TO INDICATE DIRECTION OF TRAVEL, AND COURSE.
 MARK 'A' AT START AND 'B' AT FINISH. TRY TO INDICATE POSITION
 WHEN FIRST SEEN, AND LAST SEEN



DID THE OBJECT MOVE IN FRONT, OR BEHIND ANYTHING YES/NO

BUILDING TREES HILLS OTHER.....

HAVE YOU ANY OBSERVATIONAL EXPERIENCE YES/NO

IF YES, IN WHAT CAPACITY.....

GIVE EXACT LOCATION OF SIGHTING I.E. VILLAGE, TOWN, COUNTY AND GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF AREA (INCLUDE MAP REFERENCE)

..... TOWN - OVER RURAL AREA.....

..... HASKIND - CHESTERFIELD.....

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WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU SAW, TRY TO COMPARE IT WITH AN EVERYDAY EVENT
A VERY RIGHT FLYING OBJECT WITH LIGHT LIKE
IN HOSPITAL OPERATING THEATRE

IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, PLEASE GIVE DETAILS OF MAKE, SPEED,
AND ANY MALFUNCTION

HOW DID THE OBJECT APPEAR/DISAPPEAR

IT WAS JUST IN THE SKY

WERE THE EDGES OF THE OBJECT SHARP, OR FUZZY DON'T KNOW, COULD
ONLY SEE LIGHTS NOT OUTLINE OF OBJECT

DID ANY ANIMAL DISTURBANCE OCCUR ~~YES~~/NO IF YES, STATE

HAVE YOU, OR OTHER WITNESSES EXPERIENCED ANY UNUSUAL SIDE-
EFFECTS SINCE THIS SIGHTING, IF SO, PLEASE STATE:

NO

HAVE YOU ANY OBJECTION TO YOUR NAME OR OCCUPATION BEING
PUBLISHED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS SIGHTING ~~YES~~ / (NO)

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SIGNED

DATE 26 / 6 / 1987

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS REPORT WILL BE TREATED
WITH THE STRICTEST CONFIDENCE:

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INVESTIGATOR)

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COMMENTS ON Section 40 PHOTOS
from Philip Mantle

One witness, over 21 (?), 9:00 PM, 12MAY85

Twilight photos (horizon and clouds); negative not sent.

Witness says looking northeast. Question this based on brightness near horizon: suggests looking west in photo #1

Comment in the written report under "WEATHER CONDITIONS" says "Indeed stars are visible on the photographs." I find this questionable because of the evident camera vibration (hand held, 1/30 sec) which smeared the UFO lights and ground lights in Photo 1, the UFO lights in Photo 2, and probably in photo 3. The "stars" are point bright spots on the print and probably developing/printing flaws since they are not smeared at all, or at least not in the same manner as the UFO lights.

PHOTOGRAPH #1: clear evidence of sizeable camera vibration, especially upward (or downward). The "shape" of the camera motion is the same for UFO lights and ground lights. White dot "stars" are not smeared (therefore not stars). Brightness above a cloud layer at the horizon suggests view is northwest or nearly west. (When was sunset on this day? About 8:30?)

The UFO appears to be two lights side by side. Each light was smeared by the motion making "parallel" smears. The smear is left to right at the bottom of the image, a slight jag in motion and then upward. The camera paused slightly at the beginning and end of the shutter time, hence the brighter more sharp images at the ends of the smear.

Camera info not complete, but assuming a 35 mm camera with a 50 mm focal length, and assuming that the print covers nearly the 35 mm width of the negative, one can calculate as follows:

magnification (negative to print) = $150 \text{ mm} / 35 = 4.3$
left-right spacing of UFO "dots" = $1/2 \text{ mm}$ on print, so
 $.5 \text{ mm} / 4.3 = 0.12 \text{ mm}$ on negative. Angular spacing = $.12 \text{ mm} / 50 \text{ mm} = 0.0024$ radians.

(If the focal length is not correct the angular size would change):

At this angular size the spacing is 2.4 m at 1 km distance, 4.8 m at 2 km, etc. At an altitude above the clouds, say 4 km (just a guess) the spacing would be about 10 m. The size of each UFO dot sets an upper bound to the size of the light source (because a small bright source can make the same size photographic image as a large dim source). The size of a UFO dot is maybe 0.2 mm, suggesting that the size of the light source that made one of the UFO dot images is no bigger than about 0.001 radian, or 1 m at 1 km distance.

Photo 2: Two UFO "dot" light sources side by side and smeared again. (Comment in the enclosed sheet that there are "7 in all" is unlikely. The light source was apparently at the same distance as for photo 1 based on the spacing of

the UFO dot images. Again the brightening at the horizon suggests looking west or northwest.

Photo # 3. UFO must be higher in the sky since the horizon no longer shows. The image is smeared worse than in 1 and 2, but again the overall image appears consistent with assuming that two light sources, side by side, were "smeared" by camera motion (probably not by object motion unless it was traveling very fast at the time the photo was taken).

Comparison with the witness' drawing: the film does not have sufficient resolution to show whether or not each UFO "dot image had its own internal light structure. However, the film does seem to confirm the witness' claim that two main lights (or two UFOs) were side by side.

Comment on the suggested explanation: lights on aircraft near landing field.

- a pair of lights could be the headlights of an aircraft. On the other hand, if the witness description is correct that there was "internal structure" (four lights) in each main light of the UFO "pair" then the headlight explanation seems unlikely. Also, one should determine whether or not aircraft approaching from the west (as suggested by the photos) and heading east would likely have their landing lights on. Could check into wind direction to estimate which direction landing planes would be flying. Finally, if her time duration for the complete sighting (over twenty minutes) is correct and if her claim of hovering for 20 minutes is correct, then one must invent some very unusual aircraft to explain this.

Now I have a copy of the BUFORA analysis. I note that they agree with my rejection of the claim that stars show on the prints.

I agree with most of the statements in the BUFORA analysis. However, I disagree with the suggestion that computer analysis can give any indication of distance. The suggestion that the UFO was reflecting sunlight is interesting, however, the "double dot" image makes the balloon explanation unlikely. This would require two balloons side by side flying together at very high altitude. I don't think this is likely.

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PHOTOGRAPHS - REPORT

1. TWO PRINTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED, NOS 1 & 3, No. 2 HAVING BEEN RETAINED BY N.I.C. THEY ARE COLOUR COPY PRINTS FROM THE ORIGINAL NEGATIVES. THE IMAGES ARE TOO SMALL TO REVEAL ANY DETAIL, ENLARGEMENTS FROM THE ORIGINAL NEG. AND COMPUTER ENHANCEMENT WOULD BE REQUIRED FOR ANY IN-DEPTH ANALYSIS.
2. THE IMAGE IN THE PHOTOGRAPHS APPEARS TO BE OF A REAL AERIAL OBJECT AND ACCEPTING THE PHOTOGRAPHERS REPORT AND THE SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION OF IT, IT CAN BE ASSUMED THAT NO STOCK OR PROCESSING FAULT IS RESPONSIBLE ALTHOUGH THE NEGATIVE ITSELF IS NOT AVAILABLE FOR EXAMINATION.
3. No. 1 SHOWS DEFINITE CAMERA-SHAKE AS EVIDENCED BY THE STREET/HOUSE LIGHTS AT BOTTOM OF PICTURE. THE U.F.O. DISPLAYS TRACE LINES IDENTICAL TO THOSE OF THE STREET/HOUSE LIGHTS SO IT IS CLEAR THAT THESE LINES DO NOT REPRESENT ANY MOVEMENT OF THE OBJECT. NOTE THAT NO OTHER WHITE SPOTS APPEARING AGAINST THE SKY DISPLAY THE SAME CAMERA-SHAKE. WE CAN SAY WITH CERTAINTY THEN, THAT THEY ARE SPECKS OF DUST ON THE NEG. (OR THE ENLARGER GLASS)

COMMON ON REPRINTED PHOTO'S. (I SUGGEST CAREFUL CLEANING WITH A VIRGIN LENS CLOTH SATURATED IN INHIBITED SOLVENT - STROKE, BUT DO NOT RUB!)

4. No. 3 shows NO LIGHTS OR OBJECTS OTHER THAN THE U.F.O. ITSELF. THE WHITE DOTS ARE SPECKS OF DUST AS IN No. 1 NOT STARS, (REMEMBER THAT THE PHOTOGRAPH IS OF THE SAME PIECE OF SKY AT THE SAME EXPOSURE, ONLY MINUTES LATER). BUT WE CAN ASSUME THAT IT IS STILL SUBJECT TO CAMERA-SHAKE FOR THESE REASONS:

- (i) IT IS VERY DIFFICULT (THOUGH NOT IMPOSSIBLE) TO AVOID AT $\frac{1}{30}$ SECOND. IT DEPENDS UPON THE SMOOTHNESS OF THE SHUTTER MECHANISM AND THE STEADINESS OF THE PHOTOGRAPHERS HAND, BUT IF IT OCCURS IN ONE PHOTO IT IS LIKELY TO OCCUR IN THE OTHERS ALSO.
- (ii) THE TRACE LINE IS CHARACTERISTIC OF CAMERA MOVEMENT, THE 'L' OR 'V' SHAPE IS CAUSED BY FIRST DEPRESSING, THEN RELEASING THE SHUTTER BUTTON DURING EXPOSURE.
- (iii) IF THE OBJECT IS QUITE SOME DISTANCE AWAY, (SEE 8) IT WOULD HAVE TO BE MOVING VERY FAST INDEED FOR IT TO LEAVE A TRACE SUCH AS THIS IN $\frac{1}{30}$ SECOND. FOR EXAMPLE AN AIRCRAFT AT HIGH ALTITUDE OR A SATELLITE WOULD NOT SHOW ANY MOVEMENT AT ALL IN THIS PERIOD OF TIME

5. In No. 1 THE IMAGE APPEARS TO CONSIST OF A MATCHING PAIR OF OBJECTS THAT ARE REPRODUCED TWICE, AT EACH END OF THE CAMERA-SHAKE TRACE. THEY DO NOT APPEAR TO BE SIMPLE

CAMERA SHAKE. IT MIGHT HOWEVER INDICATE SOME FLUCTUATION/OSCILLATION/VIBRATION OF THE OBJECTS THEMSELVES.



(NOT TO SCALE)

IN NO. 3 THERE APPEARS FOUR OR FIVE POINT SOURCES AT ONE END OF THE TRACE AND THREE AT THE OTHER. WITHOUT PROPER ENLARGEMENT AND ENHANCEMENT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE HOW MUCH OF THE VARIATION IS DUE TO CAMERA MOVEMENT ALONE, BUT IT DOES SEEM THAT SOME OF IT MAY BE CAUSED BY THE OBJECT ITSELF. THIS WOULD BE CONSISTENT WITH THE WITNESS'S IMPRESSIONS.

6. THE OBJECT SEEMS VERY BRIGHT. NOTE THAT AS WE HAVE ALREADY DETERMINED, THERE ARE NO STARS APPARENT IN EITHER PICTURE ALTHOUGH THE WITNESS SAID THAT MANY WERE VISIBLE AT THE TIME, THIS IS AS WOULD BE EXPECTED CONSIDERING THE EXPOSURE TIME AND FILM SENSITIVITY. THAT THE OBJECT SHOWS UP SO WELL DEMONSTRATES HOW BRIGHT IT WAS BY COMPARISON, AND THAT THE STATEMENT THAT IT WAS 'THE BRIGHTEST THING IN THE SKY' MAY BE ACCEPTED AS BEING TRUE.

7. THERE IS NOT SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE IN THE PRINTS TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE ILLUMINATION IS GENERATED BY THE OBJECT ITSELF OR IS REFLECTED. NOTE THAT THE SUN HAS JUST SET BELOW THE HORIZON IN THE SAME DIRECTION AS THE OBJECT. A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF 'UFO' PHOTOGRAPHS DEPICT OBJECTS THAT ARE HIGH ENOUGH IN THE SKY

DARKENING TWILIGHT SKY. ON OCCASIONS THEY CAN APPEAR MOST BRILLIANT. IF THE WITNESS'S ACCOUNT CAN BE CONSIDERED ACCURATE, HOWEVER, SELF-ILLUMINATION MUST BE RETAINED AS AT LEAST A POSSIBILITY. COMPUTER ANALYSIS MAY BE ABLE TO RESOLVE THIS.

8. NO INFORMATION HAS BEEN GIVEN ON FILM SIZE OR THE FOCAL LENGTH OF THE LENS. IF IT IS A 35mm CAMERA WITH A 50mm LENS, THEN THE OBJECT MUST BE LONG WAY AWAY, AND IN THIS CASE THERE WOULD BE DOUBTS ABOUT HOW ACCURATE OBSERVATIONS WITH THE NAKED EYE CAN BE. IT IS A PITY THAT WE DO NOT HAVE ANOTHER SIGHTING OF THE OBJECT BECAUSE IF WE COULD TRIANGULATE ITS POSITION AND PLANE DISTANCE FROM THE CAMERA WE COULD THEN CALCULATE ITS HEIGHT FROM ITS ELEVATION ABOVE THE HORIZON. FROM THIS WOULD FOLLOW DATA ABOUT ITS SIZE, SPEED, DISTANCE AND BY COMPARISON WITH THE STREET/HOUSE LIGHTS, ITS LUMINOSITY. HOWEVER COMPUTER ANALYSIS OF PIXEL SIZE AND CIRCLES OF CONFUSION WOULD GIVE CLUES TOWARDS DISTANCE AND SIZE. IF SUCH ANALYSIS IS AVAILABLE IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO TAKE A SERIES OF PHOTOS FROM THE SAME SPOT WITH THE SAME CAMERA /FILM/ EXPOSURE, BUT USING A TRIPOD TO ELIMINATE CAMERA SHAKE. CLEAR PHOTOS OF THE STREET/HOUSE LIGHTS AND ESPECIALLY AIRCRAFT (WHO'S DISTANCE ETC. YOU COULD DETERMINE) WOULD BE INVALUABLE FOR MAKING COMPARISONS.

9. IT SEEMS UNLIKELY THAT ANY SORT OF

BECAUSE OF THE SLOW SPEED OF ITS REPORTED FLIGHT. HOWEVER A HELICOPTOR, A REFLECTIVE BALLOON OR SOME SORT OF R.P.V. CANNOT BE ENTIRELY RULED OUT ALTHOUGH THERE ARE DIFFICULTIES WITH EACH OF THESE POSSIBLE IDENTIFICATIONS. PENDING COMPUTER ANALYSIS OR SOME OTHER SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, THERE IS INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR ANY FIRM CONCLUSIONS TO BE MADE.

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CO-ORDINATOR FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC RESEARCH
SEPTEMBER 1987

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FOR CAB

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 191135Z JAN 88

FROM RAF VALLEY
TO MODUK
INFO HQRAFSC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F/Z99

MODUK FOR DS8, HQRAFSC FOR CPSYO
REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. 152045A JAN 88, APPROX 1 HOUR
- B. SINGLE OBJECT DIAMOND LIKE, MANY AND VARIED COLOURS EMANATING FROM OBJECT, VERY BRIGHT, NO SOUND
- C. OUTDOORS, SEEN OVER JUBILEE MOUNTAIN NR PENMAENMAWR, N WALES COAST. OBJECT REMAINED STATIONARY THROUGHOUT 1 HOUR PERIOD BEFORE MOVING SLOWLY EASTWARD
- D. INITIALLY VIEWED WITH NAKED EYE THEN BINOCULARS
- E. APPROX 1 MILE SW OF DWYGYFYLCHI
- F. UNABLE TO PROVIDE ANGLE OF SIGHT
- G. APPROX 1 TO 1 1/2 MILES DISTANT
- H. EASTWARDS

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- J. CLEAR SKY, BRIGHT MOON
 - K. NONE
 - L. COLWYN BAY POLICE
 - M. Section 40
 - N. NONE
 - O. NEIGHBOURS AND COLWYN BAY POLICE
 - P. 152100A JAN 88
- BT

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting. 19 JAN 88
2015 HRS. 90 SECONDS
- B. Description of Object.
LIGHT ORANGE BALL OF LIGHT (NAKED EYE)
- C. Exact Position Observer.
DO-NUT SHAPE (THROUGH BINOCULARS)
KEPLES COLUMN, THORPE HESLEY
LOUDES ROAD
- D. How Observed.
NAKED EYE + BINOCULARS
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
NE
- F. Angle of Sight.
40°
- G. Distance.
(OVER WENTWORTH AREA) 1 mile?
- H. Movements.
FLYING IN SLIGHT CURVE TO SW
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
PATCHY CLOUD
- K. Nearby objects.
KEPLES COLUMN (40 FT TOWER)
- L. To whom reported.
EOTHERHAM POLICE
YORKS UFO SOCIETY
- M. Name and Address of informant.
Section 40
HEATINGTHORPE, EOTHERHAM.
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
YORKS UFO SOCIETY
- O. Other witnesses.
3 OTHERS (IN SAME LOCATION)
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
20 JAN 88. 1452 HRS.
- Q. Is a reply requested.
YES - Attached copy

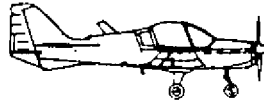
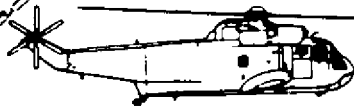
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GE(AEN) 6E3
DI 55
D/SC 30 (Air)

MR	BRIDGE
	12
	20 JAN 1988
1	12/2

and 12/3

The Community Relations Officer



ROYAL AIR FORCE
FINNINGLEY
DONCASTER, SOUTH YORKSHIRE DN9 3LQ
Tel. DONCASTER Section 40

FIN/2286/Org

Section 40

Herringthorpe
ROTHERHAM

21 January 1988

Dear Section 40

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Further to our telephone conversation, I can confirm that I have passed details of your sighting of an Unidentified Flying Object to the Ministry of Defence Department concerned. I have informed them of your address and they will contact you if they wish to obtain more details.

Yours sincerely

Section 40

Flight Lieutenant
for Officer Commanding

(62)

U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAS014 18/0605 018C0417

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 180730Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 11 OR 18 DEC 87

B. ONE GREY OCTAGONAL SHAPED OBJECT WITH LIGHTS AT EACH POINT. VERY BRIGHT, SIX CAR WIDTHS LONG (APPROX. 40 FT SQUARE)

C. OUTDOORS MOVING, TRAVELING ALONG THE A12 ROAD EAST 5 MILES FROM CHELMSFORD TURN OFF

D. NAKED EYE THROUGH CAR SUNROOF

E. LEFT TO RIGHT ACROSS ROAD

F. HEIGHT OF POST OFFICE TOWER

J. LATE AFTERNOON SUN GOING DOWN

L. MILITARY ORGANISATION

M. Section 40

N. FIGHTER PILOT

O. PASSENGER IN CAR

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P. 172000 JAN 88

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CYD 1 DD CE/AEW

CAV 1 DI 55

CAV 2 DSTI

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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAV024 18/0814 01800436

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 180735Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 171715Z JAN 88 FOR 2 SECONDS
- B. ONE LINE GREEN VERY BRIGHT BULLET SHAPED OBJECT WITH ROCKET LIKE ORANGE TRAIL
- C. SEEN FROM MEDIUM TWIN BEECH AIRCRAFT
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. HEADING SOUTH
- H. 800 MPH STRAIGHT LINE HORIZONTALLY
- J. VIS- 7-2 MILES
- K. HOUSE TREES NOT MORE THAN 25 FEET TALL
- L. REPORTED TO GATWICK AIC
- M. Section 40 [REDACTED]
- N. PRIVATE PILOT
- P. 171935Z JAN 88

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CYD 1 DD GE/AEW
CAV 1 DI 55
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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAS095 18/1544 018C2840

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 181415Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA
FIRST REPORT A. 171730 JAN FOR A FEW SECONDS
B. WHITE BALL OF LIGHT WITH A BLUE FLAME
C. A243 KINGSTON RD. LEATHERHEAD, SURREY QUARTER OF A MILE NORTH OF
JUNCTION J9 OF THE M25, OBSERVER DRIVING A PRIVATE CAR
D. NAKED EYE
E. TO THE EAST TRAVELLING TOWARDS THE WEST
F. ESTIMATE BELOW 1000 FT (SKY OBSCURED/FOG)
G. NO REFERENCE
H. STEADY EAST TO WEST
J. FOGGY
K. OPEN COUNTRY
L. LEATHERHEAD POLICE
M. Section 40

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N. NIL
O. NONE
P. 181320 JAN 88
SECOND REPORT A. 171730 JAN FOR A FEW SECONDS
B. LARGE GREEN AND YELLOW OBJECT, NO SOUND
C. Section 40 BOOKHAM VILLAGE NEAR LEATHERHEAD, JUST OFF THE
HIGH STREET
D. NAKED EYE
E. FROM DORKING AREA TRAVELLED TOWARDS THE WEST
F. NO ESTIMATE
G. NONE
H. STRAIGHT LINE VERY VERY FAST
J. FOGGY
K. RESIDENTIAL AREA
L. LEATHERHEAD POLICE
M. Section 40

P. 181325 JAN 88
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MEMORANDUM

MOD Form 4A

Section 40

To MOD D/SEC/AS (AIR)

From CRO
RAF FURNINGLEY

Ref. FN/2286/ORG

Date 18 JAN 88

Tel. Section 40

Subject REPORT OF UFO - 14 JAN 88

1. Find enclosed a copy of a UFO report received on 14 Jan 88.
2. A letter acknowledging receipt of the report has been sent to the informant.

Sec (AS) distribution:

GE (AEN)
DISS
D & 3 (AIR)

Section 40
Would like a reply which I will write in due course. Do we have any rational explanation for this sighting. Not much detail here, I'm afraid.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec 12/2
21 JAN 1988
FILE 12/2

Rank/ Appointment Pt Off Name in block letters.

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Signature

Section 40

Complete this form in manuscript unless there are special reasons for typing.

FIN/2286/Org

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting.
7 JAN 88. 1930-2030 HRS
- B. Description of Object.
OVAL SHAPED LIGHTS. 4 OBJECTS (1 LARGE).
- C. Exact Position Observer.
OLD HALL ROAD
OLD BRAMPTON, CHESTERFIELD
- D. How Observed.
- NAKED EYE AND THROUGH BINOCULARS
- E. Direction in which Object was first seen.
NNW (STATIONARY)
- F. Angle of Sight.
25°
- G. Distance.
-
- H. Movements.
3 STILL. 1 MOVING SLIGHTLY
- J. Meteorological conditions during observation.
PERFECT. VERY CLEAR
- K. Nearby objects.
1 AIRCRAFT PASSED NEARBY.
OTHERWISE NONE
- L. To whom reported.
POLICE, CHESTERFIELD
DERBYSHIRE TELEGRAPH
- M. Name and Address of informant.
Section 40
- N. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered.
(ex RAF REGT) WORKS UFO SOCIETY FOR
SOME YEARS
- O. Other witnesses.
7 PEOPLE IN TOTAL
- P. Date and time of receipt of report.
14 JAN 88. 1045 HRS
- Q. Is a reply requested.
YES PLEASE

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	17 January 1988 1703 hours 2 seconds
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Ball of white light with dive trail. Very bright.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	In car travelling from London towards Leatherhead before M25.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Going from East to West. Very quickly.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	40° (half way up car windscreen)
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Not known - could not estimate
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Straight line.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear starry night but low fog. Object above base
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	None of interest

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Phoned local police at Leathershead Police Station.
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 [REDACTED]
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	—
O.	Other Witnesses	None
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	1230 pm 13 Jan 88
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	<p>This is another report which corresponds to several I have had to day. Was it a meteorite or was it a martian crash landing? Anybody know?!</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Section 40 15/1</p>

Section 40 [REDACTED]

Sec (AS) 2a
Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date... 18/1/88

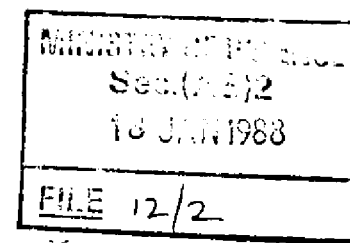
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 → AEW/GE
 → DI 55
 File AF Ops/1/11
 → D/Sec 3 (Air)

ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	171700Z Jan 88 2 secs
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Shooting Star - Bursting in Flames and Vapour Trail
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	A12 Travelling Colchester to Chelmsford - just East of Hatfield Peverell turn off, inside a car
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	See C and G
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	40° - 50°
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	5-10 miles away over Chelmsford.
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Steady, but slight descent East to West
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Misty patches but clear sky above
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	No



L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

Police -
Section 40

Section 40

Welham

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Not given

O. Other Witnesses

Wife Section 40 and
Section 40

P. Date, Time of Receipt

171850Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

NIL

Section 40

Date: 17 Jan 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

Section 40

Sec(AS)2

→ AEW/GE

→ DI 55

File AF Ops/2/5/1

→ 1 cc 3 (Air)

NOTE

I have also received telephone calls today which correspond to the details given here but seen in different areas of the country. The fighting looks like it could well be seen a meteorite. Can we confirm?

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	171700Z Jan 88 2 secs
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Shooting Star - Bursting in Flames and Vapour Trail
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	A12 Travelling Colchester to Chelmsford - just East of Hatfield Peverell turn off, inside a car
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	See C and G
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	40° - 50°
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	5-10 miles away over Chelmsford.
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Steady, but slight descent East to West
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Misty patches but clear sky above
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	No

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Police -
Section 40

Section 40

Welham

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Not given

O. Other Witnesses

Section 40

P. Date, Time of Receipt

171850Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

NIL

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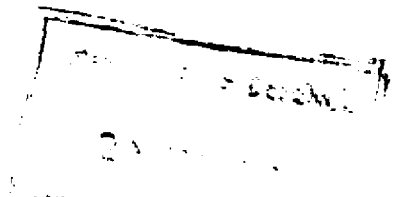
Date: 17 Jan 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

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AEW/GE
DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1

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With Compliments

19/1/88

National Air Traffic Services
Control Tower, Gatwick Airport, West Sussex RH6 0LD
Telephone **Section 40**
A joint Civil Aviation Authority – Ministry of Defence Service

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A Date, time and duration of sighting (Local times to be quoted)
17/1/88 . 1715 local about 2 seconds.
- B Description of object (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc).
1 very bright object, lime green colour with rocket-like orange trail. Bullet shaped about the size of medium - wire Beech AK.
- C Exact position observer (Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving).
Indoors at address below. No sound or smell detected.
- D How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).
Naked eye.
- E Direction in which object was first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).
First observed to the south, 180° bearing from observer.
- F Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable).
20° above horizontal approx. 7000ft altitude.
- G Distance (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).
overhead Epsom Common, around 1 mile.
- H Movements (Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).
Object moved from south of observer and disappeared from observer bearing around 260°. Object moved horizontally at around 800 m.p.h. Low over N side of Epsom Common.
- J Meteorological conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc).
3/8 cloud approx. Surface visibility 1-2 miles. Height not known.
- K Nearby objects (Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting).
Houses & trees none more than 25 feet tall. The area is residential only and very dark at night.
- L To whom reported (Police, military organisations, the press etc).
Epsom Police
- M Name and address of informant
Section 40 EPSOM, SURREY.
- N Any background on the informant that may be volunteered (EPSOM) Section 40
Section 40 Biggin Hill airport.
- O Other witnesses Note. Section 40
stated that he holds a PPL.
NONE
- P Date and time of receipt of report 1805 approx same day

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 171706Z Jan 88
6-7 seconds
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- B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) One object, similar to a flare - brilliant white with a long tail
-
- C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving Outdoors walking close to home - stood stationary to observe object
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- D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked eye
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- E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) South of observer
-
- F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) Approx 45 degrees
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- G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) 4-5 km
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- H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) Constant speed and direction East to West
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- J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) Clear sky
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- K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting) None
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L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

West Byfleet Police

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

West Byfleet

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered.

Has seen a UFO in the past
but was some time ago

O. Other Witnesses

Informant's wife

P. Date, Time of Receipt

Details taken by AF Ops
211500Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

NIL

Section 40

Date: 21 Jan 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

Sec(AS)2
AEW/GE
DI 55
File AF Ops/2/5/1

DZ 55

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	171706ZJAN 88 6-7 seconds.
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One object, similar to a flare - brilliant white with a long tail.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors walking close to home - stood stationary to observe object.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	South of observer.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Approx 20 degrees (CHANGE)
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	4 - 5 km
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Constant speed and direction East to West. Through an 80 Degree arc. (ADDITION)
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear sky
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	None.

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)

West Byfleet Police.

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

West Byfleet

Section 40

Tel: West Byfleet Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

Has seen a UFO in the past but was some time ago.

O. Other Witnesses

Informants wife.

P. Date, Time of Receipt

Details taken by AF Ops
211500Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

NIL

R. Remarks

Change to report filed earlier

Section 40

Date: 28 Jan 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Distribution:

Sec(AS)2

AEW/GE

DI 55

File AF Ops/2/5/1

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D 2. 3 (Air)

CC (As) GE 3

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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT PROFORMA

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FLYING COMPLAINT
C 11

From: OPS Rm

Reference:

Section 40

1. Details of Complaint.

a. Name:

Section 40

b. Address:

Section 40

CHESTERFIELD Tel

Section 40

2. Sighting:

a. Date/Time of Sighting and Duration: 14 Jan 88, 2000, 2-3 mins

b. Position of Observer: HASLAND, 3 miles from Chesterfield.

c. How Observed: Bright silent white star like object at about 1000'.

d. Direction Object first Seen: Traveling towards Chesterfield.

e. Angle of Elevation: Unknown.

f. Distance of Object from Observer: 3 miles.

g. Movement of Object: Moving slowly but straight.

h. Met Conditions: Clear night.

j. Nearby Objects: House roof tops.

k. To Whom Reported: This unit.

l. Other Witnesses: None.

m. Comments:

Section 40

appeared to make this report as a result of an article in a local newspaper concerning a previous sighting on 6 Jan 88

3. Date and Time Received:

14 Jan 88, 2315 hours

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec.(AS)2
18 JAN 1988
FILE 12/2

Signed

Name:

Rank

Section 40

Cpl

Tel No:

Section 40

Date: 14 Jan 88

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CAS027 15/0933 01501150

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 140850Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA, A. 141845Z JAN, 5 MINS. B. RED, BLUE
GREEN AND WHITE LIGHTS FOLLOWED BY 4 TO 5 FOOTBALL SIZED RED LIGHTS
C. Section 40 SEAFORD, OUTDOORS. D. NAKED
EYE. E. SOUTH EAST TOWARDS SEAFORD HEAD. F. OVERHEAD. G. 50 FEET
H. STEADY AND FAST. J. CLEAR AND DRY. K. RESIDENTIAL AREA. L. POLICE
Section 40 SEAFORD
SUSSEX. N. DAUGHTER OF Section 40 WHO IS IN INTELLIGENCE SERVICE
CONSIDERED RELIABLE, AND RESIDES IN ASHFORD KENT. O. NONE. P. 142040
JAN
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CAV 1 DI 55
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U N C L A S S I F I E D

CAS077 14/1231 01401761

FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 141026Z JAN 88

FROM RAF MANSTON
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQSTC
HQ 18 GP

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC SIF/Z6F

REPORT OF UFO SIGHTING.

A. 8 JAN 1988 2140 TILL 2150

B. VERY LITTLE SHAPE SEEN HOWEVER FOUR BRIGHT LIGHTS 2 BLUE STROBE OUTER. RED PULSATING AND WHITE CONTINUOUS BETWEEN

C. NAF REF 731721 SHEET 171

D. NAKED EYE

E. NEAR GROUND APPROX 1 MILE NE FROM OBSERVER POSITION

F. 30 DEG

G. 1 MILE

H. FROM FIRST SIGHTED POSITION BANKED TO SOUTH AND CLIMBED RAPIDLY TRAVELLING OVER OBSERVER POSITION AT A HEIGHT 200 TO 300FT THEN CONTINUED NW ACROSS THAMES AT SIMILAR HEIGHT UNTIL OUT OF SIGHT

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J. FINE AND DRY CLEAR SKY GOOD VIS

K. NOT KNOWN

L. RAF MANSTON

M. Section 40

N. SERVING POLICE CONSTABLE Section 40

O. Section 40

P. 11 JAN 88

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NO SDL

DISTRIBUTION Z6F

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CAV 1 Sec (AS) ACTION (CXJ 1 AFDD)

CYB 1 DD GE/HEW

CAV 1 DL 3C

CAV 2 DSTI

END

U N C L A S S I F I E D

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Reference: DI55/108/15/1 ←

DI54/DDSTI/DSTI

UFO SIGHTINGS

Reference: Attached LM D/D Sc(Air)/61/4/1 dated 16 December 1987
and covering M1 and M2 by Wg Cdr Section 40

After our routine mundane business now for something really important! - UFOs.

You will be aware we, in DI55, retain a record of all UFO sightings. Until recently this was maintained purely as a 'paper' record. However, subsequent to our acquisition of some PC's, we have been generating a computer based data base of UFO occurrences. This has been maintained by Section 40 a BAE contractor supporting DI55cl, as a part-time low priority activity.

MOD interest in UFOs can hardly be regarded as a priority requirement and I personally doubt that the MOD would lose much if we filed UFO reports in 'WPB'. However, it is a subject that is given prominence by enthusiastic 'cranks' and others, who perhaps we should not describe as cranks, e.g. the Lords Hill-Norton and Frithgerne. Consequently the subject is given attention in the press and through subsequent PQ's and you are aware we have been called upon to provide guidance at ad hoc meetings called to address the significance of UFO sightings. I believe, therefore, someone in the MOD has to give some attention to this topic and it would seem by default to fall to DI55 (although one could argue it might better fit another DSTI branch e.g. Tech Int (Air)).

From the reference it appears that D Sc (Air) are to withdraw their direct interest in UFOs. If this is the case, it will make it all the more important someone else does maintain an interest, albeit at a low level.

D Sc (Air) do apparently, however, have an uncleared undergraduate on a sandwich course working for them for 12 months who could be tasked to provide a historical UFO data base for us and carry out a limited technical assessment. D Sc (Air) are willing to undertake this task but require a formal request from DSTI. From our point of view, we should get an 'MOD Report' which could be used in years to come to answer PQs etc. which arise periodically. Initially a telephone request will suffice but that should be followed by a formal letter which we will draft if you are in agreement with this proposed way ahead.

Wg Cdr Section 40 or myself can brief you with fuller details as perhaps we should discuss this suggestion before going ahead.

Section 40

14th January 1988

ADI/DI55

* Waste Paper Basket

LOOSE MINUTE

D/DSc(Air)/61/4/1

16 December 1987

DSc(Air)

UFO SIGHTINGS

Reference:

A. LM D/Sec(AS)12/1 dated 18 Aug 87

1. At the request of Sec(AS) Science 3(Air) has for some years had a task to monitor reports of sightings of UFOs and, in order to respond to PQs, provide informed analysis on the behavioural science elements of aerial phenomena.
2. I have decided that we cannot go on storing paper statements and that if we are to retain a productive interest in this task a database must be created on the branch computer.
3. However, I have now been advised by Sec(AS)2 that they no longer see any need for the Branch to take an interest in the subject (Ref A). However, DI55c has indicated that they would like the assistance of Science 3(Air) with UFO studies and would be prepared to provide a tasking statement.
4. We spoke on this subject in your office on 10 December. You undertook to write to Head Sec(AS) seeking confirmation that Science 3 was no longer required to advise on UFO sightings. Parallel with this Science 3 will write advising DI55c that any help from Science 3(Air) must be arranged by a direct approach from D(DSTI) to you.

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AD Science 3(Air)
LN803 6333LN

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DI55c
Science Admin(Air)

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AD
 1. Spoke to Science 3 (An)'s re attached. Understand that both AD Science (An) and D Science (An) are happy that the study should go ahead but would like Section 40 to agree to sponsor. In the first place a short phone call will suffice. (Will produce draft for DS&I after to be spoken with D Sc (An)).

2. In fact Science 3 have already started with the studies and have obtained a data base with about 150 sightings. Currently they are undertaking a literature search, including the 'Blue Book' (if they can get one), which was the last USAF report on UFOs.

3 Task, as I see it, is as follows:

- a. Produce a data base of sightings over the last 1/2 years (which we will then maintain).
- b. Produce a statistical summary of sightings and look for correlations between sightings.
- c. Examine literature on UFOs including USAF Blue Book (if available).
- d. Produce an overall report on study

4. Task to take approx 9 months. Assign a level NV (possibly more).

Science 3 (An) have suitable candidate

Section 40

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	13 January 1957 at 1030 pm
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Fluorescing purple light with pink overtones. Circular - disc like - but like a circumplex light. Very bright
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	At home. Saw it outside the window. Went outside when it went below the level of next row of houses.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye only.
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	To the east towards woods.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Shallow angle.
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Seemed very close but don't know exactly.
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Dropped slowly behind the houses, across the road.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Sun wet from rain but little cloud. Some stars.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing unusual.

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Nobody.
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 [redacted] Section 40 [redacted] Runstead SE2 Section 40 [redacted]
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	officer [redacted]
O.	Other Witnesses	Family
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	1000 hours on 14 January 1988
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	Felt ecstatic when he saw it which he thought was unusual!

Section 40 [redacted]

Sec (AF) ZA

Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date: 14.01.88

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ROYAL AIR FORCE NEWTON

NOTTINGHAM NG13 8HL

Tel. East Brdgdord Section 40

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7 MOD (Sec(AS)2b)

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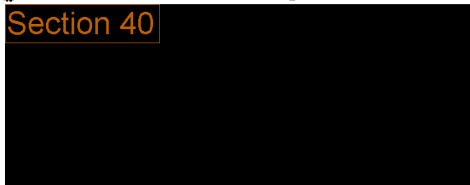
13 Jan 88

SIGHTING OF UFO OVER RAF NEWTON

Please find, attached, a copy of a report received from one of the Cpl's based at RAF Newton regarding the sighting of UFOs in the Nottinghamshire area which is enclosed for your information.

You will wish to know that many national newspapers carried reports of a very large UFO over Nottingham on that night.

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Sec.(AS)2
22 JAN 1988
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for OC

Sec(AS) distribution:

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It appears to have ten reports which relate to this sighting. The object travelled from Notts through to Staffs then to Suffolk. Things and reports appear to fit together. Do we know of any natural explanation which could account for this flying football pitch?

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SIGHTING OF UFO OVER RAF NEWTON

On Wednesday the 9th Dec 1987, around 1710 hrs I had just locked Bld 29, Supply Flt, and was carrying out an external security check. While carrying out my check, on the barrack stores side of supply, my attention was drawn to a large formation of lights in the sky.

The lights were in two lines. The front line being larger than the rear line. They were about a mile apart, the rear line being slightly off set. I would estimate that there was between 12 to 16 lights in the front and 8 to 10 in the rear, outside lights being red, inside lights white, all being of equal distance from each other. They appeared in the north west and headed towards the south east.

I noted that there was too many lights for a large transport aircraft and moving too slow for fast jets. The speed of the formation was slow, more of a glide, when the formation was directly above me I heard jet engine noise, but not very loud, if there was a number of aircraft involved.

Two or three minutes later I noticed a second large formation. I thought it was odd seeing two large formations, one after the other.

The formation was smaller than the first, but with the same sequence of lights, the outside being red and inside white. I counted these lights - 8 in the front line and 4 in the rear line. The rear lights not so off set as in the first formation. The lights were also of equal distance apart, same speed and heading in the same direction. There was also jet engine noise when the formation was directly above me. A minute or so later the formation banked to the east keeping perfect formation.

I did not think any more about what I saw because of the engine noise, thinking it was a large formation of aircraft. I mentioned it to my wife when I got home and on Thursday morning I mentioned it to Cpl Section 40 who was in the Guardroom on Wednesday evening who said that the Nottingham Police had rang asking if we had any aircraft flying at the time, because of reports of UFOs from the Public.

Cpl Section 40 gave me the Policeman's name which was Section 40 I rang
PC Section 40 on Thursday evening when I got home and told him what I saw.

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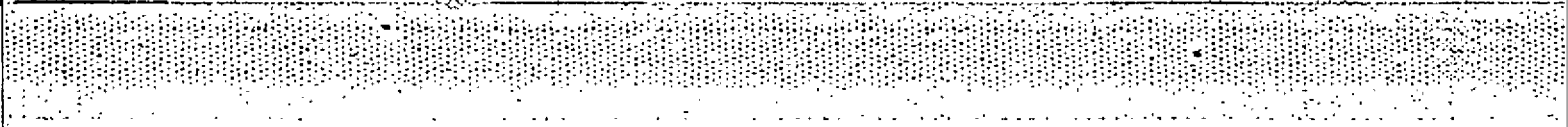
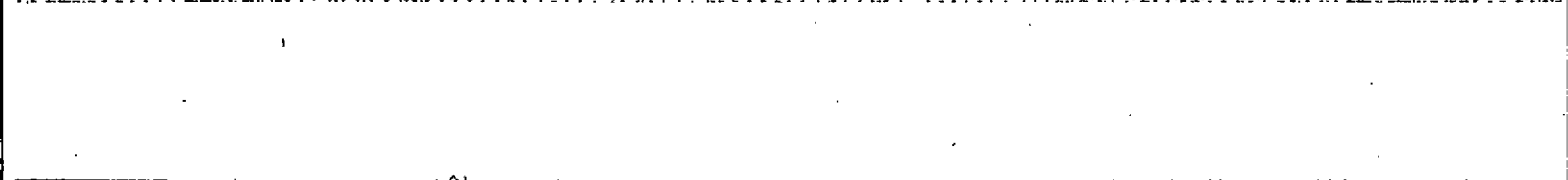
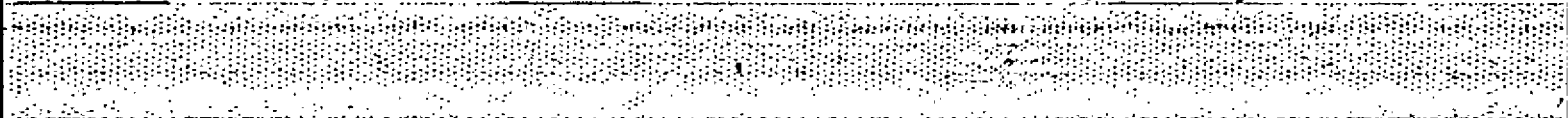
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ROUTINE/ROUTINE 121517Z JAN 88

FROM RAF SHAWBURY
TO MODUK AIR
INFO HQRAFSC

U N C L A S S I F I E D

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MODUK ALK FOR 941, HQRAFSC FOR 510, SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED PLYING
OBJECT REPORT

A WED 6 JAN 88 2345Z TTLL 2350Z

B ONE OBJECT, SIZE UNKNOWN, CIRCULAR WITH A WHITE CONICAL REAR
STRUCTURE, GREEN, VERY BRIGHT, NO SOUND TO SPEAK

C Section 40 TELFORD, COLOURS, STATIONARY

D NAKED EYE

E OVERHEAD THE WREKEN NEAR TELFORD

F ANGLE OF SIGHT VARIED TILL OVER-HEAD ESTIMATED HEIGHT 5000FT

G FROM THE WREKEN TO ST GEROGES THEN STOPPED, TILTED LEFT THEN
RIGHT, THEN WENT TOWARD THE SCENE AREA, THE OBJECT THEN BEGAN TO

ROVOLVE AND ACCELERATE TOWARDS SCENE, ESTIMATED 200KTS

H AS IN G

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J CLEAR SKIES, LOTS OF STARS, BRIZEL

K NIL

L RAF SHAWBURY ORDERLY OFFICER PLT OFF Section 40

M Section 40 TELFORD, SHROPSHIRE

N NIL

O NIL

P 11 JAN 88 2030Z

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ANNEX A TO
SOP 502

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	110955Z Jan 88 for approx 30-60 seconds.
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	1 x object, size not estimated, cylindrical without wings, primary colour purple and quite bright.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outside and stationary.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	SE over M1 motorway.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Unknown.
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Below ht of ac approaching London Heathrow airport.
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	No apparent change. Speed increase from slow to very high speed in matter of seconds.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear blue sky and sunny.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Object observed across area known locally as Arrandene Recreation ground (Barnett)

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

MOD Air Force Operations
only.

M. Name & Address of Informant

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N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Occupation:
Property Investment
Consultant.

O. Other Witnesses

None

P. Date, Time of Receipt

141915Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

None

R. Remarks

Reporter was out walking dog
on Arrandene Recreational
ground

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Date: 14 Jan 88

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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DI 55
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CAS198 07/2033 00704764

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ROUTINE 071902Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 051810 JAN 88 1 MINUTE
- B. ONE RED OBJECT DULL BECAME BRIGHTER THEN FADED
- C. DIAL HILL, CLEVEDON, AVON
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. EAST
- F. APPROX 70 DEGREES
- G. N/K
- H. STEADY HEADING EAST
- I. MOVING CLOUDS
- K. TREES 400 METRES NORTH
- L. BRISTOL AIRPORT
- M. Section 40
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O. NIL

P. 071520 JAN 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 071130Z JAN 88

FROM RAF BIRNBOURNE
TO MODUR AJR

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(Z6F INS BY 0000)

A 062315Z JAN 88. FOR FOURTY FIVE MINUTES

B A LIGHT IN THE SKY, FIVE TIMES THE SIZE OF A STAR, CONSTANTLY CHANGING SHAPE, WHITE/SILVER COLOUR WITH A BLUE HAZE AND IRREGULAR RED FLASHES

C AT HER HOME IN GAINSBY THROUGH A REAR ROOM WINDOW FACING WEST IN NAKED EYE

E THE OBJECT WAS SEEN IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION OVER THE VILLAGE OF COTTINGHAM AND MOVED STEADILY NORTH EAST FROM COTTINGHAM

F ESTIMATED 45 DEGREE ANGLE FROM THE GROUND

G ESTIMATED THREE MILES

H THE OBJECT STAYED AT ROUGHLY THE SAME ANGLE AND DISTANCE BUT MOVED STEADILY NORTH EAST

J A RELATIVELY CLEAR NIGHT WITH A MOON AND MOVING CLOUDS. THE CLOUD DID NOT OBSCURE THE OBJECT AT ALL, WHICH APPEARED TO BE BELOW THE

CLOUD COVER

K NO NEARBY OBJECTS

L HUMBERSIDE POLICE

M Section 40

N A PRACTICAL AND UNIMAGINATIVE WOMAN

O Section 40 OF THE SAME ADDRESS

P 062335Z JAN 88

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CAV 49 002231Z 00010510

FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 001342Z JAN 81

FROM RAF VALLBY
TO HQOOR AIR
INFO HQRAFIA

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC 26F

HQOOR FOR DSM, HQINSG FOR US370 BLIND ON ORIENTATED FLIGHT
ORBIT

- A. 022210Z JAN 81 101342Z
- B. 43 WHITE LIGHT IN S PANDOR 1000000
- C. PENTAFORUS RE CHESTER, QUADRON, 1000000
- D. BAKED EYE
- E. OVERHEAD OFFERED BETWEEN 22 PEOPLE LEFT AND RIGHT OF THE VERTICAL
- F. OBSERVER COULD ONLY SAY HIGH ALTITUDE, FIRST SEEN AT APPROX 45 DEGREE
- G. COULD NOT BE RELIABLY ESTIMATED
- H. HEADING SOUTH WEST
- J. BROKEN CLOUD COVER WITH CLOUD BASE BETWEEN 10000 FT TO 15000 FT, CLOUD VISIBILITY WHEN CLOUD COVER PROKE, HIGH WINDS, MOON NEARLY FULL

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- K. NIL
- L. LIVERPOOL PLANE TAKEN
- M. **Section 40**
- N. NIL
- O. CONFIRMED BY NEIGHBOUR
- P. 051400Z JAN 81
- Q. REPORTED THAT A CERTAIN SIGHTING OCCURRED A COUPLE OF WEEKS EARLIER BUT OBJECTS TRAVELLING ON A COURSE HEADING
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CAS115 07/1529 007C2746

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 071015Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 070645Z JAN 88 FOR 3 TO 4 MINUTES
- B. ONE LONG OBJECT WITH FLASHING LIGHTS
- C. INDOORS AT HOME ADDRESS
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. FROM BATH CITY CENTRE TOWARDS WARMINSTER WILTS
- H. STEADY
- J. CLEAR DRY
- K. BATH ABBEY CITY CENTRE
- L. REPORTED TO CITY OF BATH POLICE TELEPHONE BATH
- M. [REDACTED]
- P. 071005Z JAN 88

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CAV202 06/2023 00604594

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 061915Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST BRAYTON
TO MOBUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT AFRIAL PHENOMENA

A. 6 JAN 88 0646 HRS. B. ONE LARGE WHITE BALL WITH A TALE OF LIGHT
(VERY BRIGHT). C. DRIVING A CAR TOWARDS GUILTERS ON THE BOGS BACK
NEAR THE PUTTENNAM TURN OFF. D. NAKED EYE. E. TO THE NORTH MOVING
SOUTH, DESCENDING, DISAPPEARED BELOW THE TREE LINE. F. 45 DEGREES
G. 100 YARDS AHEAD. H. VERTICAL DOWNWARDS MOVEMENT. J. CLEAR SKY
JUST BEFORE DAWN. I. HAD BEEN RAINING. ROAD WAS WET. K. TRAFFIC ON
ROAD. L. EARNHAM POLICE STATION AND SUN NEWSPAPER. M. [REDACTED]

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INFORMED DUTY ALSO HE HAD HAD A PREVIOUS UFO SIGHTING ABOUT 6 YEARS
AGO NEAR GATWICK. HE REPORTED THAT ONE ALSO. O. NO OTHER WITNESS
BUT HIS BOSS WAS IN THE CAR READING THE NEWSPAPER AT THE TIME.
RECEIVED THIS REPORT 6 JAN 1030 HRS
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CAS122 06/1736 00603699

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 061605Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST BRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 4 JAN 88 2130 HRS FOR A FEW SECONDS B. ONE OBJECT SAME SIZE AS
A CESSNA AIRCRAFT, TADPOLE SHAPE, HEAD BRILLIANT AND ROTATING, BLUE
FLAMES FROM THE TAIL. NO SMELL NO SOUND AS OBSERVER WAS PASSENGER
IN A CAR C. ON THE INVERNESS TO ABERDEEN ROAD (A92) 29 MILES NORTH
OF ABERDEEN TRAVELLING IN A PRIVATE CAR D. NAKED EYE E. SOUTH
WESTERLY DIRECTION F. OUT OF CAR WINDOW G. NO ESTIMATE (SHORT
SIGHTING) H. STRAIGHT PATH THEN LOST IN CLOUD J. MOVING CLOUDS
K. COUNTRYSIDE L. PC Section 40 ABERDEEN POLICE (NO Section 40 Section 40
Section 40 N. WAS PROMPTED TO REPORTED SIGHTING
AFTER UFO NEWS ITEM ON TV. OBSERVER LIVES AND WORKS IN TEXAS
RETURNING TO USA SOON O. BROTHER WAS IN CAR BUT DID NOT SEE THE UFO
DUE TO SHORT SIGHTING. RECEIVED AT AIS 061500Z JAN 88
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D. I. 55

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You probably have seen the attached cutting
from Monday 11th's copy of the INDEPENDANT.

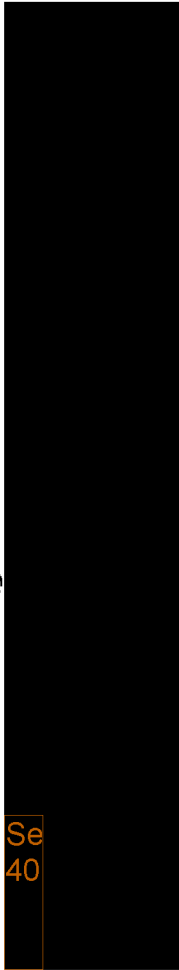
However, please also see the short (very short)
note from Section 40 which states that what

Miss Section 40 saw was not a UFO but static
electricity & atmospheric dust. Is this feasible,
possible, correct? Any views? Grateful for
comments. Section 40

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Static electricity and atmospheric dust.

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6 I 22.

Flying saucer squad prompts UFO dispute

A FLYING SAUCER has been witnessed by eight policemen over London, opening up old wounds between the promoters and debunkers of unidentified flying objects.

The UFO was seen in the early hours of Sunday morning by Zena Steir, 16, a Rugby School pupil who was raking the sky with her telescope looking for the full moon. Miss Steir, who lives in Kensington, London, said yesterday that the flat, saucer-shaped UFO, grey-green with pink blobs, looked like a "swimming jellyfish". When it spun round, it changed to electric blue.

After an hour's tracking the Steir household telephoned the local police. "One po-

liceman came round, saw it and called in a few more," Miss Steir said. "They called in two more and they called in two more. In the end eight policemen were witnesses. The moment they saw it they were complete believers."

News of the sighting put the Aetherius Society on full alert at its headquarters, a converted shop in Fulham Road, London. The society, which is passionate about flying saucers, regards the Kensington spaceship as further vindication of its beliefs

and a well-earned rebuff for mockers like the astronomer, Patrick Moore.

"We're just literally on the phone to the police about it now," Dr Richard Laurence, the society's secretary, said. "There's a lot of police interest in flying saucers because they're always on duty looking at the sky. They get a lot of sightings and often feel frustrated because I think they're up against some sort of policy of no comment."

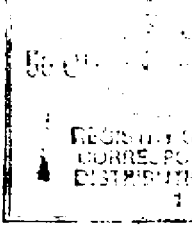
"For instance, my colleague's been shifted from department to department for 40 minutes and ended up at the same place three times. That's always a sign there's a bit of a panic on."

"Patrick Moore says it's just Jupiter. I know him of old. I've been on TV with him. As I said to him then, I wouldn't talk about astronomy because I don't know enough about it and he doesn't know anything about flying saucers and should keep quiet about them. Patrick Moore is one of those people who've set out to debunk the subject. Another one is the science correspondent of *The Daily Telegraph* whose name eludes me at the moment. None of them knows anything about it. They're all prejudiced. We don't think it's strange or eccentric to believe in flying saucers. On the contrary, we think it's eccentric to *disbelieve*."

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See note

File # 35

FLYING COMPLAINT FORM

(DO NOT STATE THAT AN INVESTIGATION WILL ATTEND)

From: HQ PASS (UK)

TO: MOD Sec (AS) 2b

1. Details of Complaint.

- a. Name & Initials ... Section 40
- b. Address HERRINGTHORPE SOUTH YORKS
- c. Nearest Large Town ROTHERHAM
- d. Telephone No with code Section 40

2. Details of Incident.

- a. Date ... 6. 8. 7. Jan 88
- b. Time (Local or Zulu) ... 1945 - 2000
- c. No of ap involved ... UFO
- d. Height ... NOT KNOWN
- e. Direction ... MOVING SOUTH

3. Description of Aircraft.

~~Jet Propeller Military Civil Fighter Bomber Helicopter Light ac Camouflaged Silver White Any noticeable Colours/markings.~~

4. Location of Complaint (if Different from 1b) (with telephone No if applicable.)

5. Claims. (Do not prompt complainant). Is there any injury/damage to persons/livestock/property which will result in a claim? Complainants claiming injury to livestock should report the incident to their local NFU, producing a veterinary report. Or for any of the above claims that may occur they can write to MOD Claims, First Avenue House, High Holborn, London, WC1V 6HE. Tel Section 40

6. Full Details of Complaint. ... UFO described as 3 orange balls of light ... stationary ... then moving south. On 6/1/88, same UFO was chased by a military jet ... no details available.

Is this likely? Any noise?

Date/Time Report Received .. 7/1/88 .. 2010 hours.

Signed Section 40
Name
Rank .. Sgt ... Tel No. Section 40

NB Section 40 is an investigator with the Yorkshire UFO Society.

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CAV203 06/2026 006C4705

FOR CAV

ROUTINE 061910Z JAN 69

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

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SUBJECT. AERIAL PHENOMENA. A. 022359 45 MINS. B. ONE, MYRIAD OF DIFFERENT COLOURED LIGHTS MADE VERY LOUD ROARING NOISE. C. AT HOME ADDRESS. D. NAKED EYE. E. OVER THE THAMES ESTURAY. F. NOT KNOWN. H. AND THEN DISSAPPEARED. J. CAVOK. L. RADIO LONDON M. **Section 40** STANFORD-LE-HOPE ESSEX. N. HEARD UFO REPORT ON RADIO NEWS WHICH GAVE HIM THE IDEA TO INFORM THE AUTHORITIES

O. **Section 40** WIFE. P. 061830Z
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ROUTINE 051042Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WES (DRAGON)
TO MODUK AIR

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STC 25F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 041855Z JAN 88. 18 BINS

B. ONE LARGE CROSS LIKE OBJECT WITH MANY RED AND GREEN LIGHTS,
NO NOISE

C. Section 40 [REDACTED] OULMERTON SOMERSET

D. NAKED EYE

E. IN VALLEY BELOW HIS HOUSE

F. NOT KNOWN

H. HOVERED STEADILY AND THEN MOVED OFF AT GREAT SPEED

J. CAVOK

L. MOD POLICE RAF LOOKING FOR Section 40 [REDACTED]

M. Section 40 [REDACTED] AS SERIAL C

P. 050915Z JAN 88

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ROUTINE 040840Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 022350Z JAN 88 90 MINUTES

B. ONE ROUND, VERY BRIGHT MULTICOLOURED OBJECT

C. INDOORS AT HOME ADDRESS

D. TELESCOPE

E. SOUTH WEST

H. SLOW

J. CLEAR

K. BUILT UP AREA

L. REPORTED TO POLICE

M. Section 40 [REDACTED] SW10

O. ALSO SEEN BY 8 POLICEMEN FROM SOUTH KENSINGTON POLICE STATION

P. 030130Z JAN 88

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ROUTINE 041000Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D

SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 030200Z UNTIL 0205Z JAN 88

B. ONE OBJECT NO SOUND SAUCER SHAPED WITH BASE THAT HAD FLASHING RED LIGHTS

C. A264 ROAD HOLTYE GOLF COURSE TRAVELLING WEST TO EAST GRINSTEAD

D. NAKED

E. ABOVE AND AHEAD THEN HOVERING IN FRONT

F. 30 DEGREES

H. STEADY

J. OVERCAST

K. TREES TO SOUTH OPEN GOLF COURSE TO NORTH

L. POLICE

M. Section 40

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N. WAS EMPLOYED AT EAST GRINSTEAD POLICE STATION FOR A YEAR ABOUT ONE AND A HALF YEARS AGO

P. 031514Z JAN 88

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 040850Z JAN 88

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 311650Z DEC 87

B. ONE OBJECT OF NO DISTINCT SHAPE WITH 2 RED LIGHT ROTATING AROUND
1 WHITE LIGHT

C. Section 40 [REDACTED] NEWMALDEN

D. NAKED EYE

E. OVERHEAD

F. 30 DEGREES 1500FT

H. STEADY

J. CLOUD 2 OCTAS AT 3500FT (HEATHROW MET)

K. BUILT UP AREA

L. REPORTED TO LONDON AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL CENTRE CIVIL SUPERVISOR

Section 40 [REDACTED]

M. Section 40 [REDACTED]

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N. Section 40 [REDACTED] SAW 2 OF ABOVE ABOUT 2 MONTH AGO

O. Section 40 [REDACTED]

P. 311725Z DEC 87

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

File for,

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	4 th January 1988 1700 hours and 2000 hours. (15 minutes) (15 minutes)
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Bright white light. Like two triangles or a Christmas tree in its size. Straight white.
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	In house. (1 st) In car, (2 nd) Then stopped to have a look.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked eye
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	South West (towards) Worcester second time in North East.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Just over horizon, very low angle.
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Not known. A long way away.
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Backwards and forwards, side to side, moving to quite quickly.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Full moon. Scattered high cloud. No wind.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nothing obvious.

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Air Traffic Control, Birmingham Airport Meteorological Society " Press, Central TV, Police.
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	—
O.	Other Witnesses	His children and other fellow travellers.
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	1600 6 January 1988
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	Obviously saw something unusual. Similar to other sightings seen in early Jan 88. Any connection?

Section 40

Sec (AS) 2a
Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date... 6 Jan 88

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File AF Ops/1/11

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	031600Z Jan 88 More than 20 Mins
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Flat cigar shaped Bright orange, split into two smaller objects 1 higher, 1 lower
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors on Wimbledon Common near Tooting - moving.
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	3 witnesses - naked eye 1 witness - video camera plus 10 other witnesses
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Unknown
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Unknown
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Unknown
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Slow to medium speed
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear, wet, but no rain
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Cleared tops of trees on common.

To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Duty controller
UKRADC, HQSTC
Ext 2307
at 2345 on 5 Jan 88

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Nil

O. Other Witnesses

No other Addressess

P. Date, Time of Receipt

0523445Z Jan 88

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

No

R. Remarks

Nil

Section 40

Date: 5 Jan 87

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

<p>A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting</p>	<p>Sunday 3 January 16:00 hours. 15/20 mins duration</p>
<p>B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)</p>	<p>Bright light covered by haze yellow colour and pointed shape. Very large but couldn't guess</p>
<p>C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving</p>	<p>Outside car</p>
<p>D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)</p>	<p>eye then binoculars</p>
<p>E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)</p>	<p>To the west of observer Just above horizon.</p>
<p>F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)</p>	<p>Low angle.</p>
<p>G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)</p>	<p>Not known. Outside of atmosphere.</p>
<p>H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)</p>	<p>Main object stopped stationary part of it sped away. Gradually faded away.</p>
<p>J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)</p>	<p>Patchy cloudy and hazy. Sunset.</p>
<p>K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)</p>	<p>Crane and tall building.</p>

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Not before reporting to MOS
M. Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 Section 40, Eding WS Section 40
N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered	ex-sailor
O. Other Witnesses	His girlfriend. (Section 40)
P. Date, Time of Receipt	1100 6 January 1988
Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None other sunset.
R. <u>Remarks</u>	Seems to me that this could be refraction of sun's rays as it occurred in west shortly after sunset.

P.S. I note that this corresponds to a report from AFops dated 5 Jan 87 (from a Section 40). Any comments?

Section 40

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Date... 6 Jan 88

Section 40

Sec (AS) 2a
Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

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PRIORITY 271424Z DEC 87

FROM MOD TELEX REFLE
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC 26F

592352 HUMPOL G
0340 HQ TLX 87-12-27 14:24

FROM CC HUMBERSIDE POLICE(BG SUB DIV.)
TO MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DTG 1217/27/12/87

U.F.L.O. SIGHTING

A. 0130/27/12/87 FEW SECONDS.

B. a LARGE ORBOND SHAPE GLOWING BRIGHT YELLOW WITH
50 TO 100 BRIGHT LIGHTS AROUND ITS EDGE.

C. 1ST FLOOR BEDROOM OF DWELLING HOUSE.

D. NOT KNOWN.

E. DITTO.

F. DITTO.

G. DITTO.

H. MOVING SLOWLY IN A SOUTH EASTERLY DIRECTION.

I. RAINING ,GOOD VISIBILITY.

J. DWELLING HOUSES.

K. TOWER BRIDGE POLICE STATION,BG SUB DIV.,PC **Section 40**

L. NOT GIVEN.

M. NOT KNOWN.

N. YES,DETAILS NOT GIVEN.

O. 1130/27/12/87.

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FOR LAV

ROUTINE 130022Z DEC 87

FROM RAF WEST WOODHORN
TO MODUK AIR

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SID 26F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 122230Z DEC 87 FOR 30 MINUTES

B. ONE SPHERICAL OBJECT WITH COLOURED FLASHING LIGHTS

C. INDOORS STATIONARY AT HOME ADDRESS

D. NAKED EYE, BINOCULARS

E. TOWARDS MOUTH OF RIVER NUMBER

F. 45 TO 50 DEGREES

G. 5 TO 10 MILES

H. ERRATIC

I. SKY CLEAR

L. HERRERSIDE CIVIL OPS ROOM

M. Section 40 TELEPHONE FAYINGTON Section 40

N. 122300Z DEC 87

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ROUTINE 121300Z DEC 87

FROM MOD TELEX RECEIVE
TO MODER 61R

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SIC 75F

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0007 HQ TLX 87-12-12 23:50
FROM CC HUMBERSIDE POLICE
TO MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
070 2253 121007

- REPORT OF A UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT
- A. 23:30 HOURS (2:10 PM HALF HOUR SUBSTION)
- B. SPHERICAL FLASHING COLOURED LIGHTS ONE SUBJECT
- C. FROM DORMER WINDOW WINDOW TROOPS STAFF ROOM
- D. THROUGH BINOCULARS
- E. OVER THE MOUTH OF THE RIVER HUMBER
- F. 45 TO 50 DEGREES
- G. 5 TO 10 MILES (NO 50% CLEAR CONDITIONS)
- H. BROKE UP INTO SMOKE LIKE LIGHTS APPROXIMATELY
- I. NOT SUPPLIED
- J. NOT SUPPLIED
- K. HUMBERSIDE POLICE
- L. **Section 40** PATRIOTIC (OR NAME OF HUMBERSIDE) **Section 40**
- M.
- N. WIFE OF CALLER
- O. 2253 12/12/87
- P. NOT KNOWN
- BY SPACE ENDS
- SENDER FC **Section 40**
- HO OPS
- 000002 HUMBERSIDE
- 20041 HUMBERSIDE
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UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. 12/12/87 10-30pm 1/2 hr Duration.

B. Spherical Flashing Colour Lights 1 object.

C. Dormer Bedroom Window,  ~~Pattington~~ PATTINGTON

D. BRICKMANS.

E. MOUTH OF RIVER HUMBERS

F. 45 / 50°

G. 5-10 miles NO FOG CLEAR CONDITIONS

H. ~~NO~~ BROKE UP IN TO LONG SNAKE LIKE LINES

J. AS ABOVE ZIGZAGING + MANOEUVERING

K. NONE

L. HUMBERS IDS POLICE  SGT 

M.  

N. NO

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P. 2253 12/12/87

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Sec.(AS)2
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ROUTINE 110730Z DEC 87

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA

A. 091710 LOCAL TO 091720 LOCAL DEC 87. B. THREE FORMATIONS. FIRST FORMATION OF TWELVE TO SIXTEEN LIGHT IN A STRAIGHT LINE, OUTSIDE LIGHTS WERE RED INSIDE LIGHTS WERE RED. SECOND, WITHIN ONE MILE (APPROX) CAME ANOTHER LINE OF EIGHT LIGHTS IN A DIAGONAL LINE. WHEN OBJECTS VEERED TO LINCOLN THE LINE OF LIGHTS DID NOT BREAK FORMATION THIRD, TWO MINUTES LATER, A SMALLER SIMILAR FORMATION. C. RAF NEWTON D. NAKED EYE E. HEADING NORTH NORTH EAST TOWARDS NOTTINGHAM FL. 1000FT G. PASSED OVERHEAD AIRFIELD H. STEADY THEN VEERING TOWARDS LINCOLN I. J. CAVOK K. NZK L. REPORTED TO NOTTINGHAM POLICE, PC [Section 40] M. CPL [Section 40] RAF NEWTON EXTN [Section 40] N. RAF D. NZK PL 191845 DEC 87 BT

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ROUTINE 101130Z DEC 87

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FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SUBJECT. AERIAL PHENOMENA A. 091710Z DEC 87 FOR 2 TO 3 MINUTES
B. ONE VERY LARGE OBJECT WITH 4 BRIGHT RED LIGHTS AND 1 BRIGHT YELLOW
LIGHT, COULD NOT GIVE SHAPE BUT BELIEVES WAS ONE MASS AS OPPOSED TO
5 SEPERATE LIGHTS, LOW JET LIKE HUMMING NOISE C. INDOORS, STATIONARY
AT HOME ADDRESS D. NAKED EYE E. WEST TO EAST F. DIRECTLY ABOVE
G. N/K H. STEADY J. SKY CLEAR K. TREE L. MILITARY ORGANISATION AND
POLICE (NOTTS) M. Section 40

Section 40

CARLTON, NOTTS. TEL Section 40

O. NONE P. 101020Z DEC

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ROUTINE 101220Z DEC 87

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA A. 9 DEC 87. TIME AND DURATION NOT KNOWN
B. ONE, CONSISTING OF A STRIP OF SIX WHITE LIGHTS IN THREE SETS OF
TWO WITH 1 RED LIGHT FOLLOWING. LOW HUMMING NOISE C. STATIONARY,
OUTDOORS AT HOME ADDRESS D. NAKED EYE E. NOT KNOWN F. NOT KNOWN G.
NOT KNOWN H. STEADY J. SKY CLEAR K. MENTAL HOSPITAL L.
NOTTINGHAMSHIRE POLICE HQ M. Section 40
RADCLIFF-ON-TRENT, NOTTINGHAM O. TWO FRIENDS P. 101114Z DEC 87
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CAV 1 DI 55
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AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL,
BELFAST (ALDERGROVE) AIRPORT

Date 10 December 1987

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time and duration of sighting

2/12/87 Time: 1710 5-6 mins.

B. Description of Object

Two white lights with a third red light below all steady.
No sound.

C. Exact position of observer

Enroute Greyabbey - Bangor, Carrowdore Road, approaching Six Road Ends.

D. How observed

From a car. Naked Eye.

E. Direction in which object was first seen

N.E.

F. Angle of sight

Unable to say, horizon was not visible.

G. Distance

Object approached from NE to a distance of 20-30 yds in the observers
two o'clock descending until it was 20 ft off the ground.

H. Movements

From the position of closest approach the Object broke to its left and
climbed rapidly to the NE - A Red light only observed until it disappeared
to the NE.

I. Meteorological conditions during observations

Clear.

J. Nearby objects

No visible horizon.

K. To whom reported

RAF - RUC - ATC.

L. Name and address of informant

Section 40 [redacted] BANGOR
Evenings
Day

M. Any background on the informant that may be volunteered

- (1) Observer is a Private Pilot flying from Newtownards who initially assumed object to be A/C.
- (2) Observer stressed the very rapid movements, also that no sound was heard.
- (3) The Car radio stopped (Lights unaffected).

N. Other witnesses

NONE

O. Date and time of receipt of report

10/12/87 12.00 a.m. Following request for follow up action from
ASOC. HQNI

P. Is a reply requested?

No

Notes on correct completion of UFO report

- A. Local times to be quoted.
- B. Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc.
- C. Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors. Stationary or moving.
- D. Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera.
- E. A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing.
- F. Estimated heights are unreliable.
- G. By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
- H. Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.
- I. Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc.
- J. Telephone lines; high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields, generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with flood-lights or other night lighting.
- K. Police, military organisations, the press etc.

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From: Section 40

Reference:

1. Details of Complaint.

a. Memo: Section 40

b. Address: Section 40 *Walden, North Yorks*

2. Sighting:

a. Date/Time of Sighting and Duration: *9 Dec 87 17 30-20*

b. Position of Observer: *she was in her back garden*

c. How Observed: *Naked eye*

d. Direction Object first Seen: *it was heading North*

e. Angle of Elevation: *low flew right over house*

f. Distance of Object from Observer: *it was 3/4 houses down her.*

g. Movement of Object: *in a straight line*

h. Met Conditions: *cloud & clear*

j. Nearby Objects: */*

k. To Whom Reported: *SAC Section 40 - Cowden Zone*

l. Other Witnesses: *her daughter*

m. Comments: *one large round object being followed by a small square object. Both had bright lights*

3. Date and Time Received:

10/30 & Dec 87

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
Sec. (AF) 2
15 DEC 1987
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Signed: Section 40
Name: [Redacted]

Rank: *RAA* Tel No: Section 40

Date:

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 091830Z DEC 87

FROM RAF WEST BRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

U N C L A S S I F I E D
SIG Z6F

SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENA A. 031705Z UNTIL 031715Z DEC 87. B. TWO OBJECTS OF NO DETERMINED OR DISTINCTIVE SIZE OR SHAPE WITH SIX WHITE LIGHTS UNDERNEATH ONE ANOTHER ON TOP OF SIX RED LIGHTS UNDERNEATH ONE ANOTHER WHICH WAS VERY NOISEY. C. OBSERVERS WERE BOTH INDOORS AND OUTDOORS AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS: [REDACTED] PC [REDACTED] POLICE WOMAN SGT [REDACTED] AT BROXTOWE POLICE STATION NOTTINGHAM. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] DAYSFORD. SEVERAL NURSES AT BROXTOWE HEALTH CENTRE. D. NAKED EYE E. STEADY AND SLOW F. WEST TO EAST OVER NOTTINGHAM J. SKY CLEAR L. REPORTED TO PC [REDACTED] NOTTINGHAM POLICE STATION CENTRAL ROOM M. AS ABOVE N. NONE P. 091815Z DEC 87 BY

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ROUTINE 091830Z DEC 81

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA. A. 091710 DEC 81. THREE ROWS OF SIX OBJECTS,
LARGE. SHAPE NOT GIVEN, VERY BRIGHT LIGHTS PECULIAR SOUND C. 22

Section 40 [REDACTED] WALSALL OUTDOORS STATIONARY D. NAKED
EYE E. FROM CANNOCK TOWARDS RUGELEY F. NOT KNOWN G. UNABLE TO JUDGE
H. STEADY J. NOT GIVEN K. NOT GIVEN L. POLICE AT CHASETOWN STAFFS
M. Section 40 [REDACTED] WALSALL N.
NONE O. Section 40 [REDACTED] WALSALL 091805 DEC
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CAB 1 Sec 1653 ACTION (CX) 1 AF00
CYD 1 DD GE/AEW
CAV 1 DT 55
CAV 2 DSTI

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	091805Z Dec 87 2 Mins.
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Long and thin, about 200 ft long with 5 red lights to the tail. White in colour.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoor, stationary.
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Middle distance
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	45
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	None given.
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Gliding, no noise.
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Starry and slight haze.
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	None given.

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

PC Section 40
Wellington Police
Tel: Section 40

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Hadley
Wellington.

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

None volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses

No.

P. Date, Time of Receipt

091815Z Dec 87

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

None

R. Remarks

Nil.

Reported by WO Section 40
RAF Cosford.

Section 40

Date: 9 Dec 87

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Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	091709Z Dec 87 Not known
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Rectangular object followed by row of lights.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors, in a road.
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Not given.
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Not given.
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	None given.
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	None given.
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Starry and slight haze.
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	None given.

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc) Telford Police.
091835Z

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Gnosall, Staffs.
Tel: Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered

None volunteered.

O. Other Witnesses

No.

P. Date, Time of Receipt

091855Z Dec 87

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions

None

R. Remarks

Nil.

Reported by WO Foulger
RAF Cosford.

Section 40

Date: 9 Dec 87

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	091950Z DEC 27 15 minutes
B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	8 large orange lights in horizontal line. No noise. (2 pairs of 4 lights).
C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Indoors. Looking east from window. Stationary.
D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye. Binoculars.
E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	EAST. Stationary then moved SE towards porch.
F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	20°. Tree top height.
G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Unknown
H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Moved towards porch.
J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	No cloud. Slight mist. Stars visible.
K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	No nearby objects of note.

L.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	SAC Section 40 Nix ops CAF Wintonham.
M.	Name & Address of Informant	Section 40 Section 40, Hintonham, Section 40
N.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	Housewife. Not been drinking.
O.	Other Witnesses	Henson and a friend. Get off in a car to chase suspect but disappeared as though they went out.
P.	Date, Time of Receipt	Lights visible as reported sighting
Q.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	None
R.	<u>Remarks</u>	

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Squadron Leader
Duty Operations Officer
AF Ops

Date... 14 Dec 87

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF [Name] DECEASED

THE COURT hereby orders that the [Name] be appointed executor of the estate of the decedent, and that the [Name] be authorized to execute all powers and duties of the office of executor of the estate of the decedent.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

WITNESSED my hand and the seal of the Court at [City], [State], this [Date] day of [Month], 19[Year].

[Signature]

Judge of the Probate Court

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 300200Z NOV 87

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC 74F

SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA

- A. 290115Z NOV 87
- B. FOUR FLASHING LIGHTS, TWO RED TWO BLUE TRIANGLE
- C. Section 40 [REDACTED] CHEAPSIDE ASCOT
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. NOT GIVEN
- F. NORTH NORTH EAST DIRECT
- G. ON GROUND IN FRONT OF HIM
- H. ROSE INTO AIR AND DISAPPEARED
- J. HAZE
- K. OPEN GROUND BY HOUSING ESTATE
- L. LONDON AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL CENTRE CIVIL OPS ROOM
- M. Section 40 [REDACTED] DRESS AS AT PARA CHARLIE
- N. NONE

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O. NONE

P. 300133 NOV 87

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 301905Z NOV 87

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA. A. 271728Z NOV 87, 10 MINS. B. SINGLE BRIGHT LIGHT DIVIDING INTO THREE. C. NORTH SIDE A27 LEWES BYPASS FACING EAST. D. BINOCULARS. E. EAST. F. N/K. G. N/K. H. HOVERING THEN LIGHT GREW BRIGHTER, SPLIT INTO THREE IN TRIANGULAR SHAPE. I. CIRCLED LEWES TOWN AT HIGH SPEED STILL WITHOUT SOUND. J. FINE/DRY. K. FARM HOUSES/INDUSTRIAL ESTATE L. SUSSEX POLICE HQ LEWES. M. MR Section 40 POLEGATE, EAST SUSSEX. TEL Section 40. SOUNDED SOBER. O. NONE . P. 271812Z NOV 87
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FOR CAV

ROUTINE/ROUTINE 281100Z NOV 87

FROM RAF FYLINGDALES
TO MODUK AIR
INFO UKRAOC
HQ 11 GP

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SIC Z6F/IEF/IBJ

SUBJECT UFO REPORT

- A. 27 NOV 87 AT 1930 HRS FOR 2 OR 3 SECONDS
- B. A PINPOINT OF WHITE LIGHT FALLING IN ARC AND BECOMING A FIST SIZED BALL OF GREEN/BLUE LIGHT WITH ORANGE/YELLOW SPARKS FALLING FROM IT
- C. OBSERVER IN TRANSIT BY CAR NORTHWARDS ALONG A19 AT JUNCTION OF A684 NEAR OSMOTHERLY YORKS
- D. OBSERVED WITH NAKED EYE
- E. BEARING 030(T) TRANSITING RIGHT TO LEFT FADING AT 010(T)
- F. ELEVATION 060 FALLING TO 030
- G. FAR DISTANCE
- H. SEE E AND F ABOVE

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- J. CLEAR DARK MOONLESS NIGHT AND CLOUDLESS SKY
 - K. HILLY WOODED TERRAIN, ORANGE GLOW OF TEESIDE 25 MILES NNE
 - L. REPORTED TO SENIOR DUTY OFFICER RAF FYLINGDALES
 - M. Section 40
 - N. EX RAF SENIOR NCO
 - O. Section 40 WAS ACCOMPANIED BY DAUGHTER, ALSO WITNESSED EVENT
 - P. REPORTED AT 1000 HRS 28 NOV 87
 - Q. NIL
 - R. NIL
- BT

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	271930Z Nov 87 2-3 Secs
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Pinpoint of white light falling in an arc, becoming cricket ball sized with green blue light and orange and yellow sparks falling away
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Transit by car north on A19 passing junction A684 by Osmotherly Yorks
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	Brg 030° approx transit R to L fading 010
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	60° decreasing to 30°
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Distant
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	See E
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	A very clear, dark, moonless night. Cloudless sky.
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Hilly wooded terrain Orange glow of Teeside 20-25 miles to NNE

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

SDO RAF Fylingdales

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Ex RAF SNCO

O. Other Witnesses

Daughter

P. Date, Time of Receipt

281000Z Nov 87

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

None

R. Remarks

None

Section 40

Date: 28 Nov 87

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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FOR CAV

ROUTINE 271547Z NOV 87

FROM RAF WEST DRAYTON
TO MODUK AIR

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SIC Z6F

SUBJECT AERIAL PHENOMENA. A. 270650Z NOV 87. ONE. NOT GIVEN. ROUND WITH VISIBLE TAIL. BRIGHT WITH DARK RIM AROUND THE CENTRE, TWO VERY BRIGHT LIGHTS THAT LATER MERGED INTO ONE, NONE, NONE, C. HALFWAY BETWEEN KNARESBOROUGH AND FARNHAM N YORKS, OUTDOORS, MOVING IN CAR. D. NAKED EYE E. NORTH TO SOUTH F. JUST ABOVE EYE LEVEL G. QUARTER MILE OR LESS H. STEADY J. CLEAR FROSTY K. QUARRY L. KNARESBOROUGH POLICE M. Section 40 N YORKS N. EX ATC O. ONE OTHER QUARRY WORKER WHO WAS SAT IN STATIONERY VEHICLE P. 271520 Z NOV 87
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ROUTINE/ROUTINE 270800Z NOV 87

FROM RAF VALLEY
TO MODUK
INFO HQRAFSC

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(DO NOT ASSUME MODUK AIR INTENDED)

MODUK FOR DSB, HQRAFSC FOR CPSYO. REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT:

- A. 250830A NOV 87, FIVE MINUTES
 - B. ONE WHITE/OVAL/SMALL
 - C. GRID REF SH730550. INDOORS
 - D. NAKED EYE
 - E. TOWARDS SNOWDON RANGE
 - F. APPEARED TO BE FLYING LOW LEVEL
 - G. FIVE MILES
 - H. FLEW OFF VERTICALLY
 - J. CLOUD ON HORIZON
 - K. NONE SPECIFIED
 - L. RAF VALLEY ATC ONLY
 - M. Section 40 [REDACTED] MENAI BRIDGE
 - N. THIRTEEN YEAR OLD LOCAL RESIDENT
 - O. MOTHER AND SISTER
 - P. 250850A NOV 87
- BT

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CYD 1 DD GE/AEW
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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	270001Z Nov 87 15 to 20 Minutes
B.	Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	One object, approx size of a helicopter, with blue and amber lights - very bright.
C.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	Outdoors and stationary
D.	How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
E.	Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	South
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Nil
G.	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	about 50 miles!
H.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Stationary throughout sighting.
J.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	clear sky.
K.	Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeple, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting)	Nil (viewed from hilltop)

L. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc) Newcastle Airport, then AF Ops

M. Name & Address of Informant Section 40
Sunnyside
Newcastle-upon-Tyne
Section 40

N. Background of Informant that may be volunteered Nil

O. Other Witnesses Section 40 (neighbour)

P. Date, Time of Receipt 270005Z Nov 87

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions Nil

R. Remarks Nil

Section 40

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

Date: 27 Nov 87

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A. Date, Time & Duration of Sighting 251545Z Local Nov 87
About one Min

B. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness) Bright Green light with flames coming from each side in a circular motion. Very large and elongated

C. Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving Indoors and stationary

D. How Observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie) Naked Eye

E. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) South Westerly direction

F. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) Nil

G. Distance (By reference to a known landmark) about 500 yds

H. Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) Hovering initially then moved forward at high speed

J. Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc) clear day, light cloud

K. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lighting) small orchard at bottom of 1/3rd of an acre garden

L. To whom reported (Police,
military, press etc)

Air Force Ops only

M. Name & Address of Informant

Section 40

Hargreave
Wellingborough

Section 40

N. Background of Informant that
may be volunteered

Housewife with two small
children aged 5 & 10 yrs
Did not believe in UFOs
until now

O. Other Witnesses

two small children - the
Mother saw the object first

P. Date, Time of Receipt

261015Z Nov 87

Q. Any Unusual Meteorological
Conditions

Nil

R. Remarks

Nil

Section 40

Date: 26 Nov 87

Sqn Ldr
Duty Ops Officer
AF Ops

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- A. DATE, TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING: .23.11.87... 1900... 6 MINUTES
(Local times to be quoted)
- B. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT: .. LARGE BRIGHT OBJECT, PALE YELLOW, TWO
(Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.) SEEMS COMING FROM IT (LIKE CAR HEADLIGHTS)
- C. EXACT POSITION OF OBSERVER: .IN CAR.. ON BLACKWATER END TO DOCKING ROAD
(Geographical location. Indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving) (RUNS N W TO E)
- D. HOW OBSERVED: ... NAKED EYE
(Naked eye, binoculars, other optical devise, still or movie camera)
- E. DIRECTION IN WHICH OBJECT WAS FIRST SEEN: .IN FRONT OF CAR... Section 40
(A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing) ... STEADY IN SKY 4 MINUTES
- F. ANGLE OF SIGHT: 70°
(Estimated heights are unreliable)
- G. DISTANCE:..... NOT KNOWN
(By reference to a known landmark wherever possible)
- H. MOVEMENTS: ... TO RIGHT... SHOWY N THEN SWIRL 7... 90° AWAY
(Changes in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed) FROM CAR, CLIMBED AND DISAPPEARED
- J. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS:
(Moving clouds, haze, mist, etc.)
- K. NEARBY OBJECTS: NOT REPORTED
(Telephone lines; high voltage lines; reservoir, lake or dam; swamp or marsh; river; high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts; airfields; generating plant; factories, pits or other sites with flood-lighting or other night lighting)
- L. TO WHOM REPORTED: ... POLICE... BRANTREE
(Police, military organisations, the Press, etc.)
- M. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT: Section 40
- N. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED:
- O. OTHER WITNESSES:
- P. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT OF REPORT: ... 23-11-87... 2030
- Q. IS A REPLY REQUESTED?

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