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2028

Date opened

3.6.96

Registered file number

D/SEC(AS) 64/2

Part No. C

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2. Enter notes of related files on page 2 of this jacket.

DIVISION/ESTABLISHMENT/UNIT/BRANCH

SEC(AS)2A

SUBJECT

"UFOs"

"UFO" SIGHTING REPORTS.

Referred to	Date	Min/Encl	Referred to	Date	Min/Encl	Referred to	Date	Min/Encl	Referred to	Date	Min/Encl
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**CLOSED**

No Further Action  
to be taken  
in this  
FILE

Continued on:-  
PART D

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1st Review date

2nd Review date

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# Registered File Disposal Form

FILE TITLE: (Main Heading - Secondary Heading - Tertiary Heading etc) "ufos" "ufos" sightings reports	Reference: (Prefix and Number): DISSEC (AS) 64/2 Part: C
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PROTECTIVE MARKING (including caveats & descriptors): UNCLASSIFIED/RESTRICTED

Date of last enclosure: 27.8.96      Date closed:

**PART 1. DISPOSAL SCHEDULE RECOMMENDATION**  
(To be completed when the file is closed)

Destroy after \_\_\_\_\_ years

Forward to CS(RM) after \_\_\_\_\_ years

No recommendation

*for permanent retention in the public records office*

**FOR CS(RM) USE ONLY**

Date of 1st review	Date of 2nd review	Forward Destruction Date
Reviewer's Signature: _____	Reviewer's Signature: _____	

**PART 2. BRANCH REVIEW**  
(To be completed not later than 4 years after the date of the last enclosure)  
(Delete as appropriate)

a. Of no further administrative value and not worthy of permanent preservation. DESTROY IMMEDIATELY (Remember that TOP SECRET and Codeword material cannot be destroyed locally and must be forwarded to CS(RM)).

b. (i) To be retained for \_\_\_\_\_ years (from date of last enclosure) for the following reason(s): *for permanent retention in the PRO*

LEGAL <input type="checkbox"/>	DEFENCE POLICY + OPERATIONS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CONTRACTUAL <input type="checkbox"/>	ORIGINAL COMMITTEE PAPERS <input type="checkbox"/>
FINANCE/AUDIT <input type="checkbox"/>	MAJOR EQUIPMENT PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/>
DIRECTORATE POLICY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OTHER (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>

PPQ = 100

(Continued overleaf)

(ii) Key enclosures which support the recommendation are:

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(iii) At the end of the specified retention period the file is to be:

Destroyed

Considered by CS(RM) for permanent preservation

c. Of no further administrative value but worthy of consideration by CS(RM) for permanent preservation.

**PART 3. BRANCH REVIEWING OFFICER**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Block Capitals)

Grade/Rank: *C2* Date: *29 Oct 2005*  
(Not below HEO/equivalent)

Branch Title and Full Address:  
*DAS(LA) ops + FOI  
 Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Metropole Building.*

Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART 4 DESTRUCTION CERTIFICATE**

It is certified that the specified file has been destroyed.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Block Capitals)

Grade/Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witnessed by (TOP SECRET\* and SECRET only)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Block Capitals)

Grade/Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*(FOR CS(RM) USE ONLY)

TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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A	Date:	25 AUG 96	Time:	0020(L)	Duration of Sighting:	10 mins
B	Description of Object:					
	Number	B	Size	LARGER THAN A PLANE HUGE	Shape	
	Brightness	DULL	Sound	NO	Smell	NO
	Colour	WHITE				
	Other					
C	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location	TURNERS HILL McCLARY		Indoors		Outdoors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Stationary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moving			
D	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars		Camera	Type
E	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	WEST EAST WEST					
F	Angle of Sight:	60°				
G	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)				NO ABLE TO ESTIMATE
H	Movement of Object:	CIRCULAR MOTION.				
J	Met conditions during Observation:	LOW CLOUD				
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
K	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	NO				
L	To Whom Reported:	Press		Police		
M	Details of Informant:					
	Name:	Section 40		Tel No:	Section 40	
	Address:	Section 40			Postcode:	
N	Any Background of informant that may be Volunteered:					
	OBJECT RETURNED WHILST CALLER WAS ON PHONE					
O	Other Witnesses:	5 OTHER WITNESSES				
P	Date/Time of Report:	25 AUG 96		Q 0020(L)		

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**TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT**

<b>A</b>	Date:	25 AUG 96	Time:	2335(L)	Duration of Sighting:	30M
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number:	ONE CENTRAL TWELVE PERIPHERAL 24 OUTER	Size:	200-400' Diameter	Shape:	CIRCLE
	Brightness:	Dull	Sound:	NO	Small:	NO
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location:	IN GARDEN AT ADDRESS		Indoors:		Outdoors: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Stationary:		Moving:			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars:		Camera:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
				Type:	Still	
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	OVERHEAD					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	90°				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)			?	
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	MOVING IN A CIRCULAR MOTION.				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:	LOW CLOUD.				
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	HOUSES				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Press:		Police:	GATWICK POLICE.	
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:					
	Name:	Section 40		Tel No:	Section 40	
	Address:	Section 40		FURNACE GREEN CLAYLEY	Postcode:	Section 40
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	THIS IS THIRD OBSERVATION AND HAS PHOTO FROM FIRST OB.					
	CARRERS MOTHER.					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:					
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	25 AUG 96		2358(L)		



- a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)  
24/8/96 5 mins 10 mins 2155 LOCAL
- b. Description of Object (No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)  
VERY BRIGHT LIKE A SEARCHLIGHT WITH TWO AT THE SIDE  
ORANGE ON BOTTOM BLUE ON TOP OF MIDDLE LIGHT
- c. Exact Position Observed. (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)  
OUTSIDE IN A CAR
- d. How Observed (Naked eye, Binoculars other optical device, still or movie camera)  
NAKED EYE then binoculars
- e. Direction in Which Object was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)  
Southerly direction from Porton
- f. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)  
Approx 65°
- g. Distance (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)  
Approx 2 miles
- h. Movements (Changes in E,F,G may be of more use)  
IN AIR move rapidly to left at first sighting  
STATIONARY ON GROUND SAID BY OTHER LIGHTS coming down to a
- i. Meteorological Conditions During Observations. (Moving clouds Mist etc.) then both  
CLEAR moved behind the hills & disappeared
- j. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines Spires Etc.)

**Name and Address of Informant**

Section 40

Stockport

MICHAEL POYNON

Section 40

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

**Other Witnesses**

Section 40

**Date and Time of Receipt**

24.8.96

2250.

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS ( Military ), Latoc on ext. Section 40 and

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence ( AFO )


RAF Main Building

Whitehall  
LONDON SW1

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	23 AUG 96 10:30PM 2MINS.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	"FLYING SAUCER" SHAPE. BRIGHT BUT WITH MISTY WHITE LIGHT AROUND IT. ONE RED/ORANGE LIGHT. ENGINE NOISE-GENERATOR.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	INDOORS
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	OVER TIPTON, WEST MIDLANDS
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	QUITE LOW
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR
10. 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

<p>11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)</p>	<p>LOCAL RADIO STATION. WENSBURY POLICE (WHO LAUGHED + PUT PHONE DOWN)</p>
<p>12. Name, address and telephone no of informant</p>	<p>Section 40 </p>
<p>13. Any further detail volunteered</p>	
<p>14. Other witnesses</p>	<p>MUM + GIRLFRIEND.</p>
<p>15. Date and time of receipt</p>	<p>27.8.96 9:30AM.</p>
<p>16. Remarks</p>	<p>REPLY REQUESTED.</p>

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INCIDENT No. 10546:22AUG96

INCIDENT No. 10546 entered at 22:59/22AUG96 by 005480/CX126 in Division CX

INCIDENT is "AWAITING ACKNOWLEDGE" at Division ID, Loggist

REC BY : 0 (ordinary)

PHONE : 71 630 7130

LOCATION: Section 40 WCI

TYPE : 55 UPD (suspicious inc/circs/pers/veh)

RESPONSE: R (referred)

MAP : PAGE 141, GRID REFERENCE 300815

SECTOR : ES [DIVISION : EO:DM]

CALLER : Section 40

VRM :

PROPOSAL: (DIV at 23:08/22AUG96):18EO

ASSIGNED:

DEASSIGN:

TOA :

CLASS :

LINKED :

GAZETTEER COMMENTS : (MAY HAVE EXISTED OR ALTERED SINCE INCIDENT CREATION -  
USE MSS SMF:SPECARCHIVE)

Section 40 WCI

(OFFICES)

REMARKS :

Time	Date	Opid	Termid
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22:59 22AUG96 005480 CX126 (pre 1st routing)

SAW A BRIGHT LIGHT ABOVE A MISTY TYPE OF SKY. IT HOVERED AND MOVED AWAY AT INCREDIBLE SPEED. IT WAS LIKE A SEARCHLIGHT BUT DID NOT HAVE A BEAM. IT HOVERED AND CAME BACK AGAIN. IT WENT ON FOR ABOUT HALF AN HOUR. SEVERAL PEOPLE SAW IT. NO SOUND WITH THE LIGHT. NO STARS IN THE SKY JUST A HAZE. THE OBJECT MOVED VERY QUICKLY AND IT WENT AT INCREDIBLE SPEED AND THEN CAME BACK AGAIN. THE OBJECT HOVERED ABOVE THE BRITISH MUSEUM FOR ABOUT 2 MINUTES AT A TIME. IT WOULD DISAPPEAR BEHIND THE BUILDINGS AND THEN COME BACK AGAIN.

23:09 22AUG96 005480 CX126

ED ^ CX I AM JUST ABOUT TO RING WEST DRAYTON. I WILL UPDATE THE CAD FOR YOU. THE MAN WAS QUITE SERIOUS ABOUT THIS SO I TOOK HIM AT HIS WORD.

23:09 22AUG96 005480 CX126

SI ^ CX FOR YOUR INFO?

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INCIDENT No. 10546:22AUG96

Time Date Opid Termid

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PREVIOUS ACTIONS :

Time Date Opid Termid Action

Time	Date	Opid	Termid	Action
23:08	22AUG96	Section 40	DIV: CX	PI
"	"	"	DIV: ED	AK
"	"	"	"	AK
23:09	"	"	DIV: CX	SI
23:10	"	"	DIV: ED	PR/ED UNITS!!
"	"	"	CCC: IR	MA/** SEEN AND NOTED PS 99500 CULLEN ***
"	"	"	"	LB
23:11	"	"	DIV: CX	PH/01895 426153 INFORMED - REQUEST FAX OF MESSAGE
23:12	"	"	"	PI/ID
"	"	"	"	IP//877CX FOR INFORMATION OF DISTRESS UNIT


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DATA PROTECTION ACT-NO UNAUTHORISED DISCLOSURE-DISPOSE AS CONFIDENTIAL WASTE

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**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	22-8-96 9AM 6 SECONDS.
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	BRIGHT LIGHT.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	IN CAR BEXLEY, KENT.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	OVER BEXLEY
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	SAME HEIGHT AS A LOW-ISH PLANE
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	MOVED ALONG SLOWLY THEN DISAPPEARED
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	A FEW CLOUDS.
10. 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>11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)</p>	
<p>12. Name, address and telephone no of informant</p>	<p>Section 40</p> 
<p>13. Any further detail volunteered</p>	
<p>14. Other witnesses</p>	<p>HER MUM</p>
<p>15. Date and time of receipt</p>	<p>23.8.96 10:00.</p>
<p>16. Remarks</p>	<p>REPLY REQUESTED.                  Reply sent. copy on                  6413 pt E, enc. 91,</p>

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	21.8.96
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	BRIGHT LIGHT. WHIZZED OFF AT HIGH SPEED.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	OUTDOORS.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	ABOVE LIVERPOOL DOCKS.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	MOVED OFF VERY, VERY FAST.
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	
10. 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)	

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	
12. Name, address and telephone no of informant	Section 40 [Redacted]
13. Any further detail volunteered	EX - RAF OFFICER
14. Other witnesses	
15. Date and time of receipt	23.8.96 3:30pm
16. Remarks	DOES NOT WANT REPLY. TOOK BUFORA'S PHONE NO - ↑

SAME SIGHTING WAS  
SEEN ON 4.6.96 . REPLY  
SENT.

Phoned on  
3 Sept.  
Requested  
& reply.

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	21 AUG 96 10PM
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	LIKE A STAR MOVED SLOWLY ACROSS SKY. (POSS. SATELLITE)
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	IN GARDEN
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	VERY HIGH. LEVEL WITH STAR
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	VERY SLOW. TAKES SAME PATH EACH NIGHT
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR, WARM
10. 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

<p>11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)</p>	
<p>12. Name, address and telephone no of informant</p>	<p>Section 40                  [REDACTED]                  WALTHAMSTOW                  LONDON - Section 40 [REDACTED]</p>
<p>13. Any further detail volunteered</p>	
<p>14. Other witnesses</p>	<p>SON :</p>
<p>15. Date and time of receipt</p>	<p>22.8.96 10:45AM</p>
<p>16. Remarks</p>	<p><u>REPLY REQUESTED</u></p>

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TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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<b>A</b>	Date:	21 Aug 96	Time:	2210	Duration of Sighting:	3 mins	
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:						
	Number:	2	Size:	20' Dia.	Shape:	◇	
	Brightness:	RED VERY BRIGHT	Sound:	NONE	Smell:	NO SMELL	
					Other:	NIL	
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:						
	Geographical Location:	PENDFORD WOLVERHAM			Indoors:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Stationary:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moving:	<input type="checkbox"/>			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:						
	Naked Eye:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Camera:	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)						
	<del>SW</del> NE						
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	20°					
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)				400 mtrs approx	
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	First 1 stationary then 2nd started circling around it.					
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:		Sky fairly clear with a few clouds.				
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc						
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	Only housing estate.					
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Press:	Police:	Wolverhampton Police			
	Military Organisation:	(D+D)					
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:	Name:	Section 40		Tel No:	Section 40	
	Address:	Section 40				Postcode:	Section 40
	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:						
	(DAUGHTER - SCHOOLGIRL) - SAW IT / THEM FIRST FOLLOWED BY MOTHER (HOUSEWIFE)						
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:	No other witnesses					
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	Date:	21 Aug 96	Time:	2243		

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# REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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**A. Date, Time, Duration of Sighting.**

2210 hours 21 AUG

**B. Description of Object.**

Number,  
Size,  
Shape, U or V  
Colours, orange  
Brightness, Bright  
Sound, NIL  
Smell, NIL

**C. Exact Position of Observer.**

COYCHURCH  
2 1/2 miles East Bridgend S. Wales.

Geographical Location,  
Indoors, Outdoors,  
Stationary, Moving,

**D. How Object was Observed.**

Naked Eye, Binoculars, Still or Video Camera.

**E. Direction in which Object was first seen.**

(A Landmark may be useful) Over road from church.

**F. Angle of Sight.**

Almost directly underneath to east

**G. Distance.**

(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)

**H. Movement of Object.**

N NW. going SSE.

**J. Met Conditions during Observation.**

Moving Clouds, SPARS  
Haze, Mist, CLOUD - lot of SKY.

**K. Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.**

3 Near Street lights.

**L. To Whom Reported.**

Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport.

Cardiff Airport.

**M. Name and Address of Informant.**

Section 40

**N. Any Background of the Informant that may be Volunteered.**

**O. Other Witnesses.**

NIL

**P. Date & Time of Receipt of Report.**

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# REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. DATE TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING (local times to be quoted)

21 August 96 2200 hrs local

b. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT (number of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell etc)

~~Small dark elongated object~~  
BRIGHT RED GLOWING BALL

c. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED (geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving)

SEEN TO THE SOUTH OF OLATHAM OVER MANCHESTER  
VIEWED FROM HOLINGWOOD AREA OF OLATHAM

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

NAKED EYE FROM BEDROOM WINDOW

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

STATIONARY

f. ANGLE OF SIGHT (Estimated heights are unreliable)

APPROX 25°

g. DISTANCE (by reference to a known landmark wherever possible)

NOT QUASSED

h. MOVEMENTS (changes in S, P, D may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)

NONE

1. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.)

SOME CLOUDS

2. NEARBY OBJECTS (trapezoidal 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).

OBSERVER STATED THAT THE MOON APPEARED SOME TIME LATER (5 MINS)

3. TO WHOM REPORTED (Police, military organisations, the press etc.)

FOULBY BANK

4. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40

5. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE VOLUNTEERED

NONE

6. OTHER WITNESSES

NONE

7. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT

22 11 30 LOCAL

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on extensions Section 40

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFD)  
RAF Main Building  
Whitehall  
LONDON  
SW1

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MAN/FORM/005  
DATE: 02/03/94

ANNEX A TO  
SOP 502

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	2/2245 z for 3 mins
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	Steady white light (star-like) but a very 'fast mover'
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Outdoors
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	S.E.
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Medium Angle
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	NK
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	See 2. above
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Some cloud but generally a clear night
10. 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)	NK

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Direct to news (a previous 'reporter' - on 4 June)
12. Name & address of informant	Section 40 BUTLER Liverpool
13. Background of informant that may be volunteered	nil
14. Other witnesses	nil
15. Date and time of receipt	22 2210 Z Aug 96
16. Any unusual meteorological conditions	nil
17. Remarks	nil

Date: 22 Aug 96

Section 40

Duty Operations Officer  
Air Force Operations

Distribution:

- Section 40 Section 40  
Sec(AS)2a, Room Main Building
- GE3, Room Main Building
- DI55c, Room Old War Office Building
- Section 40

ANNEX A TO  
SOP 502

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	2/2230Z Aug 96 for 30 secs
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	long streak of light - orange coloured, travelling ultra fast ("Mach 4"?)
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Outdoors
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	not sure
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	low
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	N/A
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	see 2. above
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	clear, no cloud
10. 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)	N/A

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Police New read
12. Name & address of informant	Section 40 [redacted] High Wycombe Bucks
13. Background of informant that may be volunteered	NIL
14. Other witnesses	N/K
15. Date and time of receipt	22 0015 Z Aug 96
16. Any unusual meteorological conditions	NIL
17. Remarks	NIL

Date: 22 Aug 96

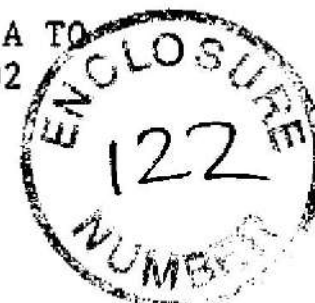
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Air Force Operations

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ANNEX A TO  
SOP 502REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	212000 Z AUG 96 FOR APPROX 90 MINS
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	3 Objects; flashing alternately green, blue & red with a white 'belt' around them.
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	Outdoors at Home address
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	naked eye
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	North
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	low-medium angle
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	N/K
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	Stationary for 30 mins, then started to 'drift' in low hour
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear, no cloud.
10. 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)	N/A

11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Directorcy Enquiries, New Police New roads
12. Name & address of informant	Section 40 Great Houghton, Banbury, Section 40
13. Background of informant that may be volunteered	NK
14. Other witnesses	Husband
15. Date and time of receipt	21 2150Z Aug 96
16. Any unusual meteorological conditions	NK
17. Remarks	NK

Date: 22 Aug 96

Section 40

Duty Operations Officer  
Air Force Operations

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 Section 40

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	19.8.96 2:30 AM ONE HOUR
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	ONE BIG, BRIGHT LIGHT. NO MOVEMENT OR SOUND. PLANET?
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	INDOORS.
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	BINOCULARS.
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	QUITE LOW
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	VERY WARM EVENING.
10. 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>11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)</p>	
<p>12. Name, address and telephone no of informant</p>	<p>Section 40                  [REDACTED]                  LONG BUCKBY                  NORTHAMPTONSHIRE                  Section 40                  [REDACTED]</p>
<p>13. Any further detail volunteered</p>	
<p>14. Other witnesses</p>	<p>HUSBAND .</p>
<p>15. Date and time of receipt</p>	<p>19.8.96 10:30AM</p>
<p>16. Remarks</p>	<p>REPLY REQUESTED .</p>

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**TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT**

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<b>A</b>	Date:	18 AUG 96	Time:	1800	Duration of Sighting:	3 mins
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number:	1	Size:	—	Shape:	ROUND
	Brightness:	FLASHING	Sound:	—	Other:	RED
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location:	PRIVATE RESIDENCE ADDRESS BELOW		Indoors:		Outdoors: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Stationary:	YES	Moving:			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars:		Camera:	Type:
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	TO THE NORTH					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:					
	LOW IN SKY					
<b>G</b>	Distance: (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)					CLOSE
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:					
	HOVERED CLOSE THEN ZOOMED					
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:					
	SUNNY FEW CLOUDS					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:					
	300 YDS					
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:					
	KIDDERMINSTER					
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:					
	Name:	Section 40				Rank:
	Address:	Section 40 KIDDERMINSTER WORLESTER				Postcode:
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	Section 40					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:					
	—					
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:					
	1850			1830		

## REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT



a. DATE TIME AND DURATION OF SIGHTING (Local times to be quoted)

18/8/96 2128 2-3 MINS

b. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT (number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc)...

BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT TRAVELING FAST FOLLOWED BY WHAT  
LOOKED LIKE A STAR NO NOISE

c. EXACT POSITION OBSERVED (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving).

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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).

TOWARDS MANCHESTER AIRPORT

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

OUTSIDE ATMOSPHERE (ESTIMATED)

g. DISTANCE (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).

h. MOVEMENTS (Changes in B, P, G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).

TOWARDS SOUTHWEST

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1. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS DURING OBSERVATIONS (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.)

CLEAR SKY

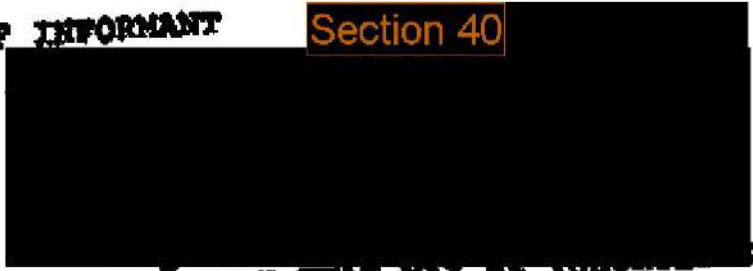
2. NEARBY OBJECTS (Telephone lines, high voltage lines, reservoir, lake or dam, swamp or marsh, river, high buildings, tall chimneys, steeples, spires, TV or radio masts, airfields, generating plant, factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or other night lighting).

3. TO WHOM REPORTED (Police, military organisations, the press etc).

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4. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INFORMANT

Section 40



5. ANY BACKGROUND ON THE INFORMANT THAT MAY BE RELEVANT

6. OTHER WITNESSES

7. DATE AND TIME OF RECEIPT

The above details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on extensions Section 40

The completed form is to be despatched to:

Ministry of Defence (AFO)  
RAF Main Building  
Whitehall  
LONDON  
SW1

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DATE: 03/03/94

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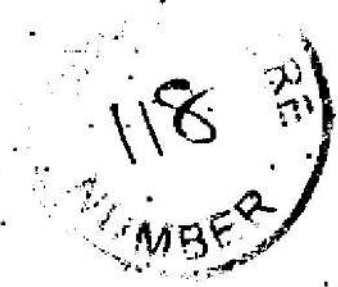
REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED

Section 40

A. Date, Time, Duration of Stationing 18/08/96. 1400. A MINUTE



NAME, RANK, DIVISION OF SIGNALS. 10100 M.O. 1400. 1111111111



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Description of Object.

Number, /  
Size, /  
Shape, OBLONG  
Colour, WHITE  
Brightness, /  
Sound, /  
Smell, /

Exact Position of Observer.  
Geographical Location,  
Indoors, Outdoors,  
Stationary, Moving.

A17 SOUTHERN BYPASS,  
(NR WITTLINGHAM BROAD)  
POSTWICK.

How Object was Observed.

Naked Eye, Binoculars, etc or Video Camera. FROM VEHICLE -  
NAKED EYE

Direction in which Object was first seen.

(A Landmark may be useful) FROM SEWERAGE WORKS.

Angle of Sight.

Distance.

(By reference to a known Landmark if possible) 1 MILE OFF.

Movement of Object.

FROM SEWERAGE WORKS TOWARDS  
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Weather Conditions during Observation.

Moving Clouds,  
Haze, Mist.

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.

To Whom Reported.

Police, Press, Military Organisation, Airport. POLICE

Name and Address of Informant. Section 40



Any background of the informant that may be volunteered.

Other Witnesses.

Date & Time of Receipt of Report.

14443 18/8/96

FROM R Section 40

CENTRAL CONTROL ROOM, NORFOLK CONSTABULARY

MESSAGE Section 40



**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1. Date, time & duration of sighting	SUNDAY 18 AUGUST 96 . 2250hrs
2. Description of object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise)	BLUE/GREEN "STAR" FALLING TO EARTH THEN SHOOTING OFF . NO SOUND . LOOKED LIKE A FLAT CANDLE FLAME .
3. Exact position of observer (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving)	
4. How observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder)	
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a roughly estimated bearing)	
6. Angle of sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	SKIMMED THE TREES .
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	CLEAR NIGHT
10. 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>11. To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)</p>	
<p>12. Name, address and telephone no of informant</p>	<p>Section 40 [REDACTED]                  SOUTH NORMANTON                  DERBYSHIRE                  Section 40 [REDACTED]</p>
<p>13. Any further detail volunteered</p>	
<p>14. Other witnesses</p>	
<p>15. Date and time of receipt</p>	<p>28 NOV 96 4PM</p>
<p>16. Remarks</p>	<p>REPLY REQUESTED .</p>

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 enc. 74

# TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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<b>A</b>	Date:	18 AUG 66	Time:	2028	Duration of Sighting:	5 mins
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number:	TWO	Size:	5x2	Shape:	5x2
	Brightness:	1/2 BLUNT 2/NOT SO BLUNT	Sound:	NIL	Smell:	NIL
					Colours:	WHIT
					Other:	✓
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location:	LIVERIDGE W YORKS	Indoors:		Outdoors:	
	Stationary:	✓	Moving:			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye:	✓	Binoculars:		Camera:	
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	THE DIRECTION OF SHEFFIELD W-E.					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	45°				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)	UNABLE TO GUESS ACCURATELY			
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	RIGHT TO LEFT				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:		CLEAR			
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	HOUSES				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Press:	✓	Police:	✓	
	Military Organisation:	D&O				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:		Section 40			
	Name:	Section 40		Tel No:	Section 40	
	Address:	Section 40		Postcode:	Section 40	
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	NIL					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:					
	NIL					
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	18 AUG 66	Time:	2134		

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# TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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<b>A</b>	Date:	18 Aug 96	Time:	1240	Duration of Sighting:	5 mins
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number	1	Size	LARGE	Shape	ROUND
	Brightness	VERY	Sound	NIL	Smell	—
					Colours:	WHITE + FLAME ASHEN
					Other:	—
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location:	SOUTHGATE, LONDON		Indoors:	—	Outdoors:
	Stationary:	—	Moving:	✓		
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye:	✓	Binoculars:	—	Camera:	—
	Type:					
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	EAST - WEST					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:					
<b>G</b>	Distance: (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)					
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object: EAST → WEST					
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:					
	CLEAR SKY					
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:					
	—					
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:					
	Press:	—	Police:	—		
	Military Organisation:	D+D				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:					
	Name:	Section 40			Tel No:	
	Address:	Section 40			Postcode:	
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:					
	1 OTHER PERSON					
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:					
	Date:	18 AUG	Time:	0100		

**TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT**

113

<b>A</b>	Date:	18 Aug 96	Time:	0130	Duration of Sighting:	?
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number:		Size:	Shape:	DUMBBELL CHANGED TO HOORSESHOE	Colours:
						ORANGE
	Brightness:		Sound:	Smell:		Other:
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location:			Indoors:		Outdoors:
	Stationary:		Moving:			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye:		Binoculars:	Camera:	Type:	
			TELESCOPE			
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:					
<b>G</b>	Distance: (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)					
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object: MOVING NORTH					
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:					
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:					
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:					
	Press:		Police:	BIRMINGHAM. (CAB 1204)		
	Military Organisation:					
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:					
	Name:	Section 40		Tel No:	Section 40	
	Address:	Section 40			Postcode:	
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	HE IS AN ASTRONOMER.					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:					
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:					
	Date:	18 Aug 96	Time:	0130		

# TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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<b>A</b>	Date:	18 AUG 96	Time:	2000Z	Duration of Sighting:	30 mins
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number	1	Size	LARGE ABOUT 2K B747 WHEN HIGH UP	Shape	DIAMOND
	Brightness	VERY BRIGHT	Sound	NO	Smell	NO
					Other	NO
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location	BORDON PRIVATE RESIDENCE		Indoors	Outdoors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Stationary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moving			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars		Camera	Type
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	ABOVE OBSERVER					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	HIGH				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)			COULDN'T GUESS	
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	NORTH TO SOUTH IN A STRAIGHT LINE				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:	CLEAR CLOUD FREE EVENING				
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	OTHER HOUSES				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Press	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Police	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Military Organisation:	D&D				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:	Name	Section 40		Tel No	Section 40
	Address	Section 40 HANTS			Postcode	
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	14 YRS OLD					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:	NONE				
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	Date	18 AUG 96	Time	2212Z	

**TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT**

113

<b>A</b>	Date:	18 AUG 96	Time:	20.07	Duration of Sighting:	2 mins
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number	2/1	Size	COULDN'T ESTIMATE	Shape	CIRCULAR BIG LIGHTS
	Brightness	VERY BRIGHT	Sound	/	Smell	/
					Other	/
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location	HALL GREEN BIRMINGHAM		Indoors	Outdoors	✓
	Stationary	✓	Moving			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye	✓	Binoculars	10X50	Camera	Type
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	ABOVE OBSERVER 2 OBJECTS FOLLOWED BY ONE DIMMER OBJECT WHICH MOVED TO HORIZON THEN CHANGED DIRECTION AND ACCELERATED. SINGLE FOLLOWING OBJECT INCREASED TO VERY BRIGHT AT HORIZON					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	HIGH IN SKY				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)				
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	WEST TO EAST IN A STRAIGHT LINE				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:	CLEAR NIGHT				
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	TREES				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Press	Police			
	Military Organisation:	D & D				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:	Name	Section 40	Tel No	Section 40	
	Address	Section 40		Postcode	Section 40	
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:	2 FEMALE COMPANIONS				
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	Date	18 AUG 96	Time	2210 Z	



TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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<b>A</b>	Date:	18 AUG 96	Time:	0420 L	Duration of Sighting:	2 mins
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number	2	Size	STAR	Shape	STAR
	Brightness	1- BLIND 1- OBLIV	Sound	/	Smell	/
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location	SWINTON			Indoors	Outdoors
	Stationary	/	Moving			/
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye	/	Binoculars		Camera	Type
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	EAST ONLY					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	HIGH				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)			NOT KNOWN	
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	WEST TO EAST				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:					CLEAR
	Moving Clouds. Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	HOUSES				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Press	/	Police	/	
	Military Organisation:	DRO				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:		Name	Section 40	Te No	Section 40
	Address	Section 40			Postcode	Section 40
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	NIL					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:	Section 40				
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	Date	18 AUG 96	Time	0420 L	

# TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

<b>A</b>	Date:	18 AUG 96	Time:	2030Z	Duration of Sighting:	305
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number	2 1	Size	SMAZ ---	Shape	SMAZ ---
	Brightness	BRIGHT 80% 50%	Sound	NO	Smell	NO
					Colours	WHITE CRANKY RED TAIL
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location	BIRMINGHAM SOUTH		Indoors		Outdoors <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Stationary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moving			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars		Camera	Type
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	WEST TO EAST					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	OVERHEAD				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)			HIGH	
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	WEST TO EAST				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:		CLEAR			
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	HOUSES				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Press	NIL	Police	NIL	
	Military Organisation:	DOD				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:		Name		Section 40	
	Address		Section 40		Postcode	
					Section 40	
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	NIL					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:	FATHER				
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	18 AUG 96	Time		2100	

TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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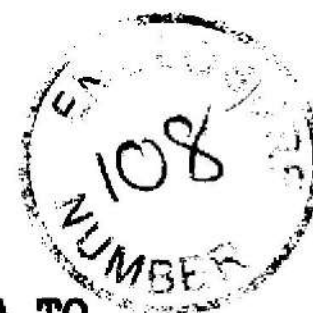
A Date: 18 AUGUST		Time: 2025		Duration of Sighting: 1 minute	
B Description of Object:					
Number: 3	Size: <del>SMALL</del> LARGE	Shape: ROUND	Colours: WHITE		
Brightness: WHITE	Sound: /	Smell: /	Other: /		
C Exact Position of Observer:					
Geographical Location: SOUTH BIRMINGHAM AT ADDRESS BELOW		Indoors:	Outdoors: /		
Stationary: /	Moving:				
D How Object was Observed:					
Naked Eye: /	Binoculars:	Camera:	Type:		
E Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
WEST TO EAST AT GREAT SPEED ESTIMATED SPEED 1000 MPH					
F Angle of Sight:		HIGH			
G Distance: (By reference to a known Landmark if possible)		5 miles or more.			
H Movement of Object:		FROM WEST TO EAST IN A STRAIGHT LINE			
J Met conditions during Observation:		CLEAR BUT FEW HIGH CLOUDS			
Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
K Nearby Objects or Buildings:		HOUSES			
L To Whom Reported:		Press: NO	Police:		
Military Organisation:		D & D			
M Details of Informant:		Name: Section 40	Tel No: Section 40		
Address: Section 40		Postcode: Section 40			
N Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
NO					
O Other Witnesses:		2 SONS 4 OR FIVE MILES AWAY CAULD RANG THEM AND THEY SAW THEM AS WELL			
P Date/Time of Report:		Date: 18 AUG 96	Time: 2043		

# TELEPHONE REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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<b>A</b>	Date:	18 AUG 96	Time:	2035Z	Duration of Sighting:	70 Secs
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number:	TWO	Size:	STAR SIZE	Shape:	STAR
	Brightness:	ONE BRIGHT ONE LESS BRIGHT	Sound:	NIL	Smell:	NIL
	Colours:					
	WHT					
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location:	LONDON				
			Indoors:		Outdoors:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Stationary:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moving:			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars:		Camera:	
	Type:					
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	WEST TO EAST					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	OVERHEAD				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)			NOT ABLE TO JUDGE	
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	WEST TO EAST				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:		CLEAR SKY			
	Moving Clouds. Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	NO BUILDINGS OBSCURING SIGHT				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Class:	N-L	Police:	MET	
	Military Organisation:	D&D				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:		Name:	Section 40	Tel No:	Section 40
	Address:	Section 40				Postcode:
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	NO					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:					
	NO					
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	18 AUG 96		2100Z		

WITNESSES TO BE CALLED

ANNEX A TO  
SOP 502**REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT**

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting	182015 Z AUE 2 MIN
2. Description of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	YELLOW/ORANGE DELTA - SHAPE - STRAIGHT MEDIAN - BRIGHT LIGHT
3. Location (indoor/outdoor stationary/moving)	OUTDOOR
4. How observed (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or moving)	NAKED EYE
5. Direction in which object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	SOUTH WEST - MOVING TO NORTH EAST
6. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	HIGH
7. Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	NOT KNOWN
8. Movements (Changes in 5, 6 & 7 may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	SEE 5. ABOVE
9. Met conditions during observations (Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc)	CLEAR STARRY NIGHT
10. 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
11. To whom reported (Police, military, press, etc)	POLICE / MIA

12. Name and Address of Informant Name Address	Section 40 LEYTONSTONE Section 40 Section 40
13. Background of informant that may be volunteered	NIL
14. Other Witnesses	WIFE
15. Date, Time of Receipt	18 2140Z AUG 96
16. Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	NIL
17. Remarks	NIL

Date: 19/8/96

Section 40  
 R02  
 Duty Operations Officer  
 Air Force Operations  
 Section 40

Distribution:  
 Section 40 Section 40  
 Sec(AS)2a, Room Main Building  
 AEW/GE3, Room Main Building  
 DI55c, Room Old War Office

NB. Note that the format of this form accords with Civpol formats

REPORT OF UFO

SUNDAY 18/08/96

2200L

3 minutes



ONE OBJECT - BRIGHT - WHITE COLOUR  
(NOT BLINDINGLY SO)

Section 40

DUNMURRY  
BELFAST (OBSERVED FROM BACK GARDEN)

NAKED EYE

Routing SE to NW.

From behind to directly overhead then disappeared to NW

Unknown

STEADY disappearing into slight haze

Clear from S - MISTY to NW

MOUNTAIN

ATC BELFAST INTNL

Section 40

SEEMED GENUINE

Section 40

(WIFE)

19/08/96 1240L.

<b>A</b>	Date:	17 AUG 96	Time:	2400 L	Duration of Sighting:	1 hr
<b>B</b>	Description of Object:					
	Number	ONE	Size	MILK BOTTLE TOP SIZE	Shape	ROUND / EYES WIDE
	Brightness	VERY BRIGHT	Sound	NIL	Smell	NIL
					Colours	WHT
					Other	106
<b>C</b>	Exact Position of Observer:					
	Geographical Location	GQAYS, ESSEX		Indoors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Outdoors
	Stationary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moving			
<b>D</b>	How Object was Observed:					
	Naked Eye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars		Camera	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
					Type	CANON 11 MINUTES 05 SECONDS
<b>E</b>	Direction in which Object was first seen: (A Landmark may be useful)					
	NEAST					
<b>F</b>	Angle of Sight:	30°				
<b>G</b>	Distance:	(By reference to a known Landmark if possible)			UNABLE TO ASCERTAIN	
<b>H</b>	Movement of Object:	STATIONARY				
<b>J</b>	Met conditions during Observation:		CLEAR			
	Moving Clouds, Mist, Haze etc					
<b>K</b>	Nearby Objects or Buildings:	HOUSES				
<b>L</b>	To Whom Reported:	Police	MARSH NEWBURY	Police	ESSEX	
	Military Organisation:	D20				
<b>M</b>	Details of Informant:		Name: Section 40		Tel No: Section 40	
	Address:	Section 40			Postcode: Section 40	
<b>N</b>	Any Background of Informant that may be Volunteered:					
	NIL					
<b>O</b>	Other Witnesses:	WIFE				
<b>P</b>	Date/Time of Report:	18 AUG 96	Time:	2210Z		



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**DEVON & CORNWALL  
CONSTABULARY**

# Facsimile Message

Date: 17-8-96

To: Section 40 - AERONAUTICAL  
INFORMATION SERVICE

From: POLICE HELPLINE - PAIGNTON  
TEL Section 40 P.C Section 40

Fax Number: Section 40

Number of pages (including this page):

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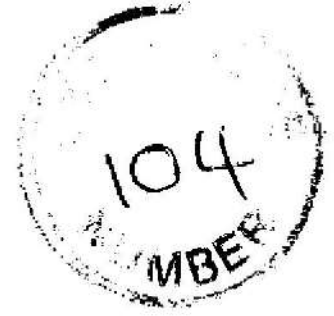
SIGHTED BY Section 40 OF  
Section 40 PAIGNTON  
TEL Section 40

TIME 0105 HRS 17-8-96

A WHITE ROUND LIGHT SIMILAR TO A  
VERY SMALL FULL MOON AT 15° ELEVATION  
FROM GROUND LEVEL MOVING VERY SLOWLY  
ACROSS SKY TOWARDS SOUTH WEST TOOK  
AN HOUR BEFORE IT WAS OUT OF SIGHT

SIGHTED FROM HOME ADDRESS OF WITNESS,

No SOUND HEARD.

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

AIS/PFS

- A. 15<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 0115HRS LOCAL 15MINS.
- B. ONE  
4 TIMES B7A7.  
OVAL (LONG OVAL)  
DARK SHAPE  
LIGHTS - ARC LIGHTS (ROUND) VERY VERY BRIGHT.  
CRACKLING SOUND. - AFTER NO SOUND.  
NO SMELL - ELECTRIC FEELING IN AIR. - MADE OBSERVER FEEL UNCOMFORTABLE  
HEAVY STATIC
- C. Section 40 HAYWARDS HEATH,  
INDOORS (WINDOW OPEN),  
STATIONARY.
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. TOWARDS DITCHLING BEACON. (SOUTH WEST)
- F. 10°.
- G. NOT KNOWN
- H. STEADY  
ROSE STEADILY  
ALL LIGHTS WENT OUT AND OBJECT VANISHED.  
NR CLEARER AFTERWARDS - LESS STATIC
- J. CLEAR.
- K. NONE KNOWN
- L. GATWICK - TOLD TO RING L.A.T. CC.  
REPORT RECEIVED BY ATC ASSISTANT SUPERVISORS DESK. A.C.R. OPS. EXT Section 40
- M. Section 40 (MOTHERS ADDRESS).
- N. OBSERVER FELT FRIGHTENED AND UNEASY,  
WHEN OBJECT GONE OBSERVER FELT SOMETHING DEFINITE HAD GONE  
FEELING OF PRESENCE.
- O. MOTHER.
- P. 15<sup>th</sup> AUGUST. 1700Z

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Date, Time, Duration of Sighting. 15-08-96 - 0005hrs - ~~24-11-1996~~ 3-4 mins

Description of Object  
Number, Size, Shape, Colour, Brightness, Sound, Smell.  
1 OVAL. VERY BIG.  
CRAWLING, WHITE.

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Exact Position of Observer.  
Geographical Location, Indoors, Outdoors, Stationary, Moving.  
OUTDOORS  
STATIONARY / MOVING

How Object was Observed.  
Aided by, Binoculars, etc or Video Camera. NAKED EYE

Direction in which Object was first seen (A Landmark may be useful) EAST TO WEST

Angle of Sight. DIRECTLY ABOVE

Distance. (By reference to a known Landmark if possible) DON'T KNOW. 300/400

Movement of Object. VERY FAST - STOPPED DEAD. CRYING

Weather Conditions during Observation. Moving Clouds, Haze, Mist. CLEAR

Nearby Objects or Buildings etc.

To Whom Reported. Police, Press, Military Organization, Airport. POLICE

Name and Address of Informant. Section 40

NO. WITH

Any Background of the Informant that may be volunteered.

Other Witnesses. Section 40

Date & Time of Receipt of Report. 0020 HRS - 15-08-96

Report Taken By. Section 40

C.C.R. - National Archives - Section 40