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Section 40 Northolt

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Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2 €

Date October 2003

· Dear

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I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 17 September, the details of which were passed to us by RAF Northolt. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs'.

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With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for the 17 September from Northolt. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	HAPPENS EVERY NIGHT WHEN IT GETS DARK.
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	IX OBJECT WHITE BRILLIANT LIGHT, FLICKERING YELLOW & RED. EXTREMELY BRIGHTER THAN OTHER STARS AROUND IT.
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	OUTSIDE OF PROPERTY WITH BINOCULANS.
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	NAKED FYE + BINO'S.
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	NORTH WESTERLY FROM OBSERVERS ADDRESS. (NORTHOLT)
6.	Approximate distance.	unknown.
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	SIPE TO SIDE AND STILL.
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	CLEAR NIGHT.

9.		RAF POLICE, RAF NORTHOLT. Section 40 Section 40
10.	Name, address and telephone no of informant.	Northor. Section 40
11.	Other witnesses.	HUSBAND,
12.	Remarks.	THE OBSERVER STATES SHE SEE'S THE OBJECT EVERYWIGHT WHEN IT GETS DARK.
13.	Date and time of receipt.	17 SEP 03 2180HAS.



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Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

October 2003

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I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 17 September, the details of which were left on the DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 answerphone. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs'.

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With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for the 17 September from Northamptonshire. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Wednesday 17 th September 2003 @ 20:45
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Two small star size objects, much darker orange or rust colour, followed by another two, doing manoeuvres
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Outdoors walking the dog.
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Travelling north, two airliners were travelling in the same direction
6.	Approximate distance.	At a very high altitude, at the altitude that would show a vapour trail though couldn't see that in the dark
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Astronomically fast
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	

9.	To whom reported.	DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 Answerphone
	(Police, military, press etc)	
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10.	Name, address and telephone no	Section 40
	of informant.	
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11.	Other witnesses.	Informant's wife
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12.	Remarks.	Informant said he was an ex-aircraft man,
		used to work for the Section 40 company
	ą.	and made sophisticated equipment for Section 40etc and could recognise that
	4	the objects he saw were not Tornados or
		Harriers.
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13.	Date and time of receipt.	Wednesday 17 September 2003 @ 23:57 & Thursday 18 September 2003 @ 13:24
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I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 13 September, the details of which were passed to us by the Aeronautical Information Service (Military) at RAF West Drayton. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs'.

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With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for the 13 September from Great Yarmouth. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.

Report of Unidentified Flying Object

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UFO REPORTS

Ref: CAP 493 - MATS Pt 1, page 6-20

UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS

A controller receiving a report about an unidentified flying object must obtain as much as information as possible required to complete a report in format shown below.

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В	Description of Object
	Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc
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D	How Observed?
	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.
	South over sea. moved South east director.
F	Angular Elevation of Object
	Estimated heights are reliable.
	110° angle, from head, very high up.
G	Distance of Object from Observer
	By reference to a known landmark, wherever possible.
	NA:
Н	Movement of Object
G0000	Changes in E, F and G may be more useful than estimates of course and speed.
	Straight line slowly South East.
J	Meteorological Conditions during observations
	Moving clouds, haze, mist etc.
	Clear night
K	Nearby Objects
•	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.
i	To whom reported
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The details are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LTCC. The completed report is to be sent by the originating ATSU to the Ministry of Defence Sec (AS).

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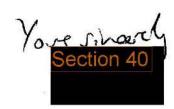
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I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 13 August. The report was passed to this office by RAF St. Athan, as we are the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 13 August from anywhere in the United Kingdom. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.



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Please find attached a UFO Sighting Report

I apologise for the delay in sending this report, there was a problem in it reaching my office.

Thank you for your attention to this matter

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REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Name, address and telephone of informant: a. Section 40 Section 40 b. 13 Aug =3, 2255 hr. - InitiAL Sighting. OBJECT STILL PRESENT AT OULONS. Description of object: C. ROUNDISH (FOOTBALL SIAPRE) FLASHING LIGHTS-MULTI COLCURES INITIALLY AROUND TOP THEN LIGHTS MONED AROUND OBJECT. Exact position of observer: d. FRONT MASTER BEDROOM NINDON. How observed: (naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or video camera). e. WITH NAKED EYE, B. NOCULARS, VIDEO CAMERA. Direction in which the object was first seen: (A landmark may be more useful than a f. badly estimated bearing). Using Compass - NNE g. Angle of sight: ARUTE ANGLE - CRIET Law In Sky Fram Obselvation Peint Distance: (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible) h. LAR DISTANCE - NO ESTIMATE AVAILABLE i. Movements: RANDOM MOVENENT ACTHOUGH CONTINED TO INITIAL OBSERVATION AREA Meteorological conditions during observations; (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc). INITIALLY CLEAR, LONGER OBSERVATION CONTINUED. Male CLOUD COVER HRESENT. 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 sights with floodlights or other night lighting). W/A. To whom reported: (Police, military organisations, the press etc). 192 - D. RECTURY ENQUIRES - REQUESTED STATHAN Any background on the informant that may be volunteered: ~/_ Other witnesses: N/4. Is a reply requested? Ya.

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RECORD OF ANSWERPHONE MESSAGE RECEIVED ON WEDNESDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER 2003 @ 21:22



CALLER

Section 40

Tel: Section 40

Saw two pairs of objects over the Northampton area, on 24 September at approximately 20:45, not recognisable as aircraft and purple in colour.

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RECORD OF ANSWERPHONE MESSAGE RECEIVED ON THURSDAY 25^{TH} SEPTEMBER 2003 @ 08:04



CALLER

Warrant Officer Section 40
AIS West Drayton
Section 40

Wanted to report a 'UFO' sighting from Section 40

Barry
Wales
Section 40

who saw an unusual object, falling from a cloud, like it was burning, very fast. Viewed for 5 minutes.



REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Monday 22 September 2003
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	A red unidentified flying object, definitely not an aeroplane
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3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Moving East to West
6.	Approximate distance.	
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	
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8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	

9.	To whom reported.	DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 Answerphone
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12.	Remarks.	Reported to Sussex Police, Incident No. 1805. Tel: Section 40
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13.	Date and time of receipt.	Monday 2 September 2003 @ 22:00
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Your Reference

18 September 2003

Thank you for your enquiry concerning the sighting of an "unidentified flying object" over Bonnybridge on 17 August 2003 at approximately 23:45. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

First, it may be helpful if I explain that the Ministry of Defence examines any reports of 'unidentified flying objects' it receives solely to establish whether what was seen might have some defence significance; namely, whether there is any evidence that the United Kingdom's airspace might have been compromised by hostile or unauthorised air activity. Unless there is evidence of a potential threat, and to date no 'UFO' report has revealed such evidence, MOD does not attempt to identify the precise nature of each reported sighting. We believe it is possible that rational explanations, such as aircraft lights or natural phenomena, could be found for them, but it is not the function of the MOD to provide this kind of aerial identification service. We could not justify expenditure of public funds on investigations which go beyond our specific defence remit.

With regard to your query, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 17 August from anywhere in the United Kingdom. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.

Finally, I can confirm that no military aircraft were operating below 2000 feet in the area at that time. It is, of course, possible that a civilian aircraft was in the region. If you wish to pursue your investigations on this basis, you should contact: The Civil Aviation Authority, CAA House, 45-59 Kingsway, London, WC2B 6TE.

Yours sincerely,

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DAS-LA-Ops+Pol1a

From:

DAO-AIRC2-SO1

Sent:

15 September 2003 14:25

To:

DAS-LA-Ops+Pol1a

Subject:

RE: UFO REPORT - 17 AUGUST 2003

Apologies for the delay, but there actually was nothing of any AD importance logged that relates to the attached credible witness report.

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DUK, SO1 Air Ops 2

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From:

DAS-LA-Ops+Pol1a

Sent:

08 September 2003 11:08 DAO-AIRC2-SO1

To: Subject:

UFO REPORT - 17 AUGUST 2003

Importance:

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<< File: credible witness sighting.doc >> Please see attached

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting.	Thursday 18 th September 2003 @ 03:00
	(Duration of sighting.)	
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Triangular object, copper coloured
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Hovered over flat for about a minute then disappeared
6.	Approximate distance.	
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	

9.	To whom reported.	DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 Answerphone
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12.	Remarks.	Informant found the experience very scary.
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13.	Date and time of receipt.	Friday 19 September 2003 @ 13:11
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1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Saturday 13 th September 2003 @ 22:40 for about 40 minutes
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Round, white lights in the sky
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3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	
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11.	Other witnesses.	Informant rang her Father who lives about 5 miles away and could also see the object from where he lived.
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13.	Date and time of receipt.	Saturday 13 September @ 22:49

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RECORD OF ANSWERPHONE MESSAGE RECEIVED ON FRIDAY 5^{TH} SEPTEMBER 2003 @ 00:11

CALLER

West Yorkshire Police Section 40 Duty Officer

on 4 Les at appex 23:40

A member of the public had reported seeing unusual aerial activity in the Queensbury Moor area; an object was spotted towards Todmorden between approx 23:12-23:40, comprising of six lights that split, at one point becoming eight lights orange and red in colour. They were definitely not street lights and did not appear to be moving. An officer went out but could not see anything.





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Newport Gwent Section 40 Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

Date 26 August 2003

Dear

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I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 14 August 2003, which was passed to us by the Community Relations Officer for the RAF in Wales. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 14 August from anywhere in the United Kingdom. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.

Your sincerely Section 40 Section 40

UFO Report for your records

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RAF COMMUNITY RELATIONS OFFICER(WALES)
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Ffôn/Phone Section 40

REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

		11.00pm
Α.	Date, Time & Duration of Sighting	5-10min
В.	Desciption of Object (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness)	Orange circular
c.	Exact Position of Observer Location, indoor/outdoor, stationary/moving	our on the path.
D.	How Observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie)	Naked Eye
Е.	Direction in which Object first seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing)	2/4
F.	Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable)	Not very Righ
G	Distance (By reference to a known landmark)	Miles Away
н.	Movements (Changes in E, F & G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed)	stationen
ı.	Met Conditions during Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc)	Clear Still Evening
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 night lighting)	Up à the Sky

к.	To whom reported (Police, military, press etc)	Reported to Guent Police who eported to ATC Caudiff Rivport and US. Section 40
L.	Name & Address of Informant	Hereort Guert Section 40
м.	Background of Informant that may be volunteered	the previous evening saw the same thing.
N.	Other Witnesses	neavest neighbours
0.	Date, Time of Receipt	14/8/03
Р.	Any Unusual Meteorological Conditions	
Q.	200	a sighting of Mans as it has been reported in the media
ă		but not wible until the 27 Aug 03. Maybe an
·		early visual sighting

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

A	Date, Time and Duration of Signting - Local times to be quoted. 1408/03 23:09 (ONGOING)		
В	Description of Object - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc.		
С	Exact Position of Observer - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving		
	OUTSIDE - CRUMUN LLOUD ANE STATIONARY		
D	How Observed - 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. LOTO AVENUE		
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F	Angular Elevation of Object - Estimated heights are unreliable		
G	Distance of Object from Observer - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible. **RELET OF 2 PAR TREES		
Н	Movements of Object - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed.		
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J.	Meteorological Conditions During Observations - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc.		
K	Nearby Objects - 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.		
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L	To Whom Reported - Police, military organisation, the press, etc. Section 40 Gwar Pouce Ha (or No บณ755) 14/08/03		
M	Name and Address of Informant Section 40 CRUMUN GWONT		
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered (16) (16) (16) (16) (16) (16) (16) (16)		
0	Other Witnesses		
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P	Date and Time of Receipt of Report 14/08/03 11:35/M.(LOCAL)		
The de	etails are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40		
	ompleted form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of ce Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.		
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Related Procedure: CDF/MATS Pt2/EMG

Form: CDF/UFO/01 Issue 1 13 January 1999

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Low Flying Complaint

Details of Complainant

Name of

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Tel No:

NK

Address:

NK, Worcester/Malvern area

Details of Incident

Date & Time of

27 Aug 03, about 11pm

No of AC:

nil

Height:

3000ft

Heading:

Details of Aircraft

Type (prop/jet):

Military/Civil

Model:

Colour:

Remarks:

Location of Complaint

Claims

Full Details of Complaint

A helium type balloon, size of moon, with flashing blue and red lights, moving north along the line of the A 38 over the area south of Worcester/Malvern

Date and Time Report Received

28 August 2003

1955 Hrs

{CHOtS Signed}

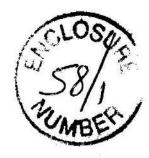
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Potternewton Leeds

Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

Date **27** August 2003

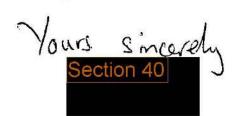
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Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 17 January 2000. The report was passed to us by RAF Menwith Hill as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 17 January 2000 from Yorkshire. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.



REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	17 January 2000 21:20L
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Disc Illuminated. Height 200 feet 150ft long
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Outdoors Above his property
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Naked Eye
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	
6.	Approximate distance.	
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	

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(Police, military, press etc) RAI	Menwith Hill
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Sec	(Home) (Mobile)
11. Other witnesses.	
Police	was reporting this in 2003, see checked date with Section 40 who rmed that this happened in 2000.
13. Date and time of receipt. 20 A	ugust 2003





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West Kilbride Ayrshire ection 40

Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

26August 2003

Dear

Section 40

Thank you for your letter dated 10 August, regarding your sightings of 'unidentified flying objects' on 8 and 10 August 2003. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs'.

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With regard to your particular observations, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for either 8 or 10 August from anywhere in the United Kingdom. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.

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Section 40

Rhonda Mid Glamorgan Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

Date 2 \ August 2003

Dear

Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 12 July 2003, the details of which were left on the DAS(LA) Ops & Pol 1a answerphone. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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With regard to your query, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 12 July from anywhere in the United Kingdom. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.

REPORT OF UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

Α	Date, Time and Duration of Sighting - Local times to be quoted. 12/7/03 22:05 L for 10 mins
В	Description of Object - Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell, etc. 2x Round with legs - black-spinning. Size?
C	Exact Position of Observer - Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving. Zmiles North of Llantrisant, South Unles (Secanders Gelow). Outdoors. Stationary.
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. West
F	Angular Elevation of Object - Estimated heights are unreliable.
G	Distance of Object from Observer - By reference to a known landmark wherever possible.
Н	Movements of Object - Change in E, F and G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed. Stationary
J	Meteorological Conditions During Observations - Moving cloud, haze, mist, etc. Few Cloud at 20,000 approx. Light minds. Excellent Vis
К	Nearby Objects - 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. NONE
L	RAF St Athan + Carpliff ATC
M	Rhonda Section 40
N	Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered NONE
0	Son of Informant
P	Date and Time of Receipt of Report 22.20 L 12/7/03
	tails are to be telephoned immediately to AIS (Military), LATCC on Section 40 NOT POSSIRE ATS CLOSED NO TELTNE
	mpleted form report is to be sent by the originating air traffic service unit to the Ministry of see Sec (AS), RAF Main Building, Whitehall, London, SW1A 2HB.

Related Procedure: CDF/MATS Pt2/EMG

Form: CDF/UFO/01 Issue 1 13 January 1999







1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Tuesday 19 th August 2003 @ 23:30
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Object with 2 white lights and 1 red and 1 orange, in the middle, both flashing.
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3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	
6.	Approximate distance.	Object gradually moving across the sky.
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	
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9.	To whom reported. (Police, military, press etc)	DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 Answerphone
10.	Name, address and telephone no of informant.	Perthshire Section 40
	State 186 (\$40)	Tel:Section 40
11.	Other witnesses.	
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12.	Remarks.	
13.	Date and time of receipt.	Wednesday 20 August @ 15:12

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Section 40

Solihull West Midlands Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

Date 18 August 2003

Section 40

I am writing with reference to the message you recently left on the DAS (LA) Ops and Pol 1 answerphone, in which you report a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' and said that there had been similar sightings in the West Midlands area recently. As you may be aware, this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs'.

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With regard to your particular observation, and sightings form the West Midlands in general, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings from that area during the past twelve months. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity. I hope this is helpful.

RECORD OF ANSWERPHONE MESSAGE RECEIVED ON WEDNESDAY 6^{TH} AUGUST 10:21

Caller

Section 40

Dunton Wood Solihull

It was a general enquiry; about a year ago she had seen a UFO and was thinking of ringing someone about it but didn't because she had no evidence. Now she was really concerned because there had been a lot of reports in the West Midlands recently, which fitted a similar description. She had quite a lot of information related to the two bright lights she saw that night which she felt were connected to the recent spate of sightings in the West Midlands.





REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Saturday 16 August 2003 @ 21:00 About ten minutes
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour,	Flying Saucer shape
	brightness, noise.)	*
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3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors,	Amesbury, Wiltshire
	stationary/moving.)	
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other	
1	optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	
6.	Approximate distance.	
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7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	
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8.	Weather conditions during observation.	
8	(cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	≝ 4
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9.	To whom reported.	DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 Answerphone
	(Police, military, press etc)	
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10.		Section 40
2	of informant.	Tel Section 40
		No address given.
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11.	Other witnesses.	
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12.	Remarks.	Seen by other people as well.
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13.	Date and time of receipt.	Monday 25 th August 2003 @ 08:09
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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Thursday 14 August @ 23:57
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Very bright white light, bigger than a star but quickly diminishing in size until it completely disappeared.
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3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Over Kidderminster.
6.	Approximate distance.	
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	

9.	To whom reported. (Police, military, press etc)	DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 Answerphone
10.	Name, address and telephone no of informant.	Worcester
11.	Other witnesses.	
12.	Remarks.	Wanted DAS(Lower Airspace) to confirm that it was not breaching UK Airspace.
13.	Date and time of receipt.	Friday 15 th August 2003 @22:59

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Fax: Section 40

REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

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1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Thursday 14 August 203 @18:00
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour,	Unusual object, with flashing lights but not like an aircrafts, more like reflections from
£	brightness, noise.)	the sun. No trail
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Moving North East to North West
6.	Approximate distance.	Very high
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	
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9.	To whom reported.	DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 Answerphone
	(Police, military, press etc)	
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10.	Name, address and telephone no	Section 40
	of informant.	Southfleet Kent
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13.	Date and time of receipt.	Friday 15 August 17:28
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Section 40

MOD Police Stirling Lines Hereford Herefordshire HR4 7DD Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

Date 12August 2003

Dear

Section 40

Thank you for the message you left on the DAS (LA) Ops & Pol 1 answerphone on 9 July concerning a stationary, triangular object, seen over Hereford Garrison on the evening of 8 July.

You may be interested to know that any reports of 'unidentified flying objects' are examined by the Ministry of Defence solely to establish whether what was seen might have some defence significance, namely, whether there is any evidence that the United Kingdom's airspace might have been compromised by hostile or unauthorised air activity. Unless there is evidence of a potential threat, and to date no 'UFO' report has revealed such evidence, MOD does not attempt to identify the precise nature of each reported sighting.

The details you gave us were passed to the appropriate Air Defence experts in the MOD, who were satisfied that the report did not represent anything of air defence interest. Once again, thank you for reporting this sighting to us.

Section 40

D/DAO/1/13

29 Jul 03

DAS(LA)Ops+Pol1a

CREDIBLE WITNESS 'UFO' REPORT - 8 JUL 03

Reference:

A. D/DAS/64/2 dated 9 Jul 03.

At Reference, you asked whether the report submitted by Section 40 regarding "a stationary, triangular object" over Hereford Garrison on 8 Jul 03 represented anything of air defence interest. I can now confirm that the incident does not represent anything of air defence interest.

Signed on CHOtS
Section 40
Wg Cdr
DAO SO1 Air C2
MT405 Section 40

LOOSE MINUTE

D/DAS/64/2

q July 2003

DAO-AIRC2-SO1

CREDIBLE WITNESS 'UFO' SIGHTING REPORT -8 JULY 2003

- 1. In line with current policy, please find attached details of a 'UFO' sighting on 8th July from an MOD policeman at Hereford Garrison, received on our answerphone this morning.
- 2. I would be grateful if you could let me know if the report represents anything of air defence interest.

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RECORD OF ANSWERPHONE MESSAGE RECEIVED ON WEDNESDAY 9TH JUNE 2003 @ 00:29

Caller

Section 40

MOD Police at Hereford Garrison

Tel: Section 40

On Tuesday 8th July a stationary, triangular object was seen by residents over married quarters at Hereford Garrison around 20:00 and was subsequently reported to MOD police at 22:00. Section 40 and a colleague observed the object for approx 30 mins, in that time it remained stationary at quite at height. At 00:45 they viewed it again through Night Vision Goggles but could not find a logical explanation for it. They informed HQ, RAF Brize Norton, the local police and local airfields about it. In total the object remained visible for approx four and three quarter hours, a few residents being aware of its presence. Section 40 said that he expected that the incident might attract interest from local media considering where it occurred.

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Malvern Worcestershire Section 40

Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/3 Date 30 July 2003

Section 40 Dear

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 15 July 2003. The details have been passed to me as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

First, it may be helpful if I explain that the Ministry of Defence examines any reports of 'unidentified flying objects' it receives solely to establish whether what was seen might have some defence significance; namely, whether there is any evidence that the United Kingdom's airspace might have been compromised by hostile or unauthorised air activity. Unless there is evidence of a potential threat to the United Kingdom from an external military source, and to date no 'UFO' report has revealed such evidence, we do not attempt to identify the precise nature of each reported sighting. We believe it is possible that rational explanations, such as aircraft lights or natural phenomena, could be found for them, but it is not the function of the MOD to provide this kind of aerial identification service. We could not justify expenditure of public funds on investigations which go beyond our specific defence remit.

With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 15 July from Worcestershire. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised military aircraft.

Yours sincerely,



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At 00001. Section 40 called again with an update. He said that the light was moving again for S= to E in an almost vertical ascent. It was significant movement since he first reported it. He described the movement as shower than a saletime moves across the sky and it was still below the cloud cover.

He admitted that he had had a couple of drinks, but he was not druk (he sounded sober). He said-that he knew the basic constetlations and that he knew what normal arroralt lights were like.

The boc + DEOC had a look outside, but could not see anything musual in the sky. There was very light cloud, but a greatly clear sky and full moon.



Caller



from Northamptonshire

Tel: Section 40



The gentleman said he worked for Northants police on switchboard and saw an object on his rest day on 14th July at 21:30. He went into his back garden for a cigarette, from his garden he has a good view of Northamptonshire and saw the biggest white light he had ever seen. He was with his girlfriend at the time and couldn't work out what it was, whether it was a star or not. Watched it shoot off across the sky and then disappeared. He called the police station but there were no other sightings reported.



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Bridlington East Yorkshire Your Reference

Our Reference D/DAS/64/2 Date 30 July 2003

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 20 July 2003 the details of which have been passed to us by RAF Fylingdales. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

First, it may be helpful if I explain that the Ministry of Defence examines any reports of 'unidentified flying objects' it receives solely to establish whether what was seen might have some defence significance; namely, whether there is any evidence that the United Kingdom's airspace might have been compromised by hostile or unauthorised air activity. Unless there is evidence of a potential threat to the United Kingdom from an external military source, and to date no 'UFO' report has revealed such evidence, we do not attempt to identify the precise nature of each reported sighting. We believe it is possible that rational explanations, such as aircraft lights or natural phenomena, could be found for them, but it is not the function of the MOD to provide this kind of aerial identification service. We could not justify expenditure of public funds on investigations which go beyond our specific defence remit.

With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 20 July from anywhere in the UK. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised military aircraft.

Yours sincerely,

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Action Precedence:

ROUTINE

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Subject: ACTION:

DAS-EXEC-REG3

To:

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SUBJECT:

SUBJ: FYL 0001 202330Z JUL 03 SUBJECT: AERIAL PHENOMENON

1. THE FOLLOWING SIGHTING OF A POSSIBLE UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT IS

REPORTED

A. 20 JUL 03, 2205Z TO 2250Z

- B. BRIGHT WHITE STAR LIKE LIGHT
- C. OUTSIDE CARAVAN BELOW
- D. NAKED EYE
- E. SW BRIDLINGTON TOWARDS DRIFFIELD
- F. 50 DEGREES
- G. NOT KNOWN
- H. SIDE TO SIDE, UP AND DOWN AND IN CIRCLES
- J. CLEAR STAR FILLED SKY WITH OCCASSIONAL CLOUD
- K. NIL
- L. NIL

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BRIDLINGTON, E YORKS

- N. NIL
- P. FATHER, MOTHER AND PARTNER
- Q. 202250Z JUL 03
- R. NIL
- S. SPOKE TO IDO AT RAF NEATISHEAD, NO SAR OPS KNOWN TO BE ONGOING AT THIS TIME
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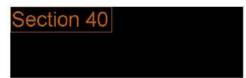
Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 27 July, the details of which you left on our answerphone. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

First, it may be helpful if I explain that the Ministry of Defence examines any reports of 'unidentified flying objects' it receives solely to establish whether what was seen might have some defence significance; namely, whether there is any evidence that the United Kingdom's airspace might have been compromised by hostile or unauthorised air activity. Unless there is evidence of a potential threat to the United Kingdom from an external military source, and to date no 'UFO' report has revealed such evidence, we do not attempt to identify the precise nature of each reported sighting. We believe it is possible that rational explanations, such as aircraft lights or natural phenomena, could be found for them, but it is not the function of the MOD to provide this kind of aerial identification service. We could not justify expenditure of public funds on investigations which go beyond our specific defence remit.

With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 27 July from anywhere in the UK. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised military aircraft.

Yours sincerely,





REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	27 th July 2003	18.00 - 19.00L 20.55L			
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Silver ball up in the sky for about an hour. Disappeared and then returned again at 20.55.				
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3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given				
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Naked eye	*			
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Not given				
6.	Approximate distance.	Not given				
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given				
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given				
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9.	To whom reported.	Message left on DAS answerphone.
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11.	Other witnesses.	Non mentioned
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12.	Remarks.	
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13.	Date and time of receipt.	27 th July 2003
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Our Reference D/DAS/64/3 Date 30 July 2003

Dear Section 40

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your letters of 13th, 15th, 28th and 29th July.

Following my colleague, Section 40 letter of 12 May in answer to your previous correspondence, it would appear that you have misunderstood the Ministry of Defence's limited interest in reports of 'unidentified flying objects'. It may therefore be helpful if I clarify our position.

The MOD does not have any expertise or role in respect of 'UFO/flying saucer' matters or to the question of the existence or otherwise of extraterrestrial lifeforms. While we remain totally openminded, to date we know of no evidence which substantiates the existence of these alleged phenomena.

Reports of sightings of 'UFOs' received by MOD are examined solely to establish whether they contain any evidence that the United Kingdom's airspace might have been compromised by hostile or unauthorised air activity. Once it is established a report does not contain such evidence we do not attempt to establish the precise nature of the sighting, as this would go beyond our specific defence remit.

With regard to the identification of possible planets you have viewed through your telescope, we have no expertise in this field. I note you have also written to the Royal Observatory at Greenwich who, I hope, will be able to assist you.

Yours sincerely, Section 40

PAGE 1

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE,



we 24 58P.

Deer Sir or Madam, 29/7/03. In pay maure book I have collected 143 pages of information about Aliens and space craft and some information about myself, over the part few years. Most of which has been in my mind or through Telepathy. What seems to come to mind is the Alien race called the Procyons. From 61 crani. One of them stars was going Nova so they had no choice but to prepair to make large space ships to guide there home world or planet to another suitable solar system. They orbso had bots of small craft. The nearest was our solar system. They decided to come in peace, so they did not develope any weapons.

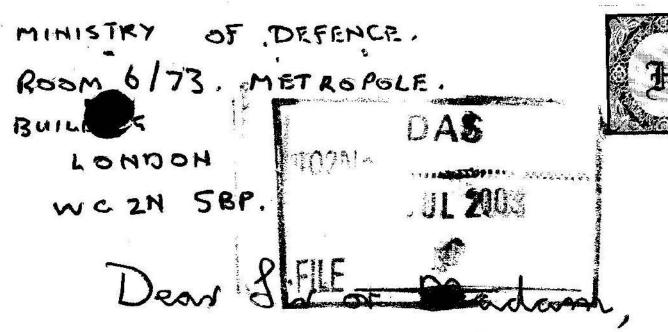
They decided to land there Large space craft in the main civilized countries of the world hopeing they would be civilized enough to try to contact them searcefully and not try to destroy them. They are Telepathic. And possibly have a "soul". I am thinking that there soul is the same as ours. I have a bad feeling about this, that we have destroyed them. And also destroyed our Juture, Both materially and Spiritually. There large sporce craft come to align there Planet which I call planet No 10. To fit in with the rest of our Jolan system. Without any disruption to our world. They came to help our people and Try to help the disabled. But perhaps we did not.

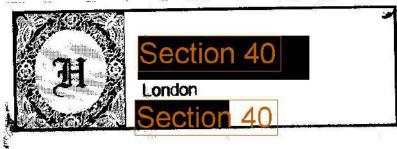
anderstand the processors, or there intentions. Perhapes we could not believe that a Alien race simular to ourselves could come in peace, and also try to help disabled people, and our condition.

My maure book has other possible Alien races some could be fact and some could be fiction. But the one that stands out most is the procyons from 61 CYGNi.

Thanking you for your Kind attention.

Yours Faithfully Section 40





28/7/03,

I have had an idea for some time about what has happened over Kent ie south EAST. Lightning without Thunder a possible Star Wars cenario conceived possibly by the Americans. To discredit any possible contact with Aliens. Making them seem like ag ersons. I wrote to the Royal Artillery woodwich Barracks SE18. a few years ago about Lightning without Thunder, coursing chaos, 9 did not get a reply. I deduced that it could have something to do with IN PHOTOGRAGRY D. I. N. FLASH, A CODE, D FOR DEUTSCHLAND . . I. EITHER IRELAND OR

INDIA OR BOTH. and N. FOR NORTH KORFA.

Possible Satalite dish for activating

de arial array which would Look like stars in the sky.

I think that my next door section 40

reighbour Section 40

sotalite dish for activating arrial weapons, and did so a few years ago, and possibly still got the patalite dish working now, I don't know. The aircraft possibly deploying the objects in the sky.

SARB FAIRCHILD 340, Commercial Transport. military V. I. P. AIRCRAFT. Redesigned

Focke WULF, T. A. 183 =
"MUCKEBEIN" JET. AIRFIELD POSSIBLY IN IRFLAND.

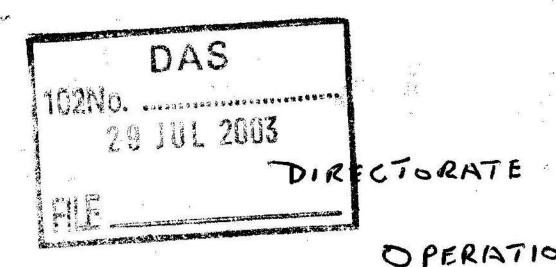
Possibly 3 or 4 satalite dishes in
blackheath area, alone. All this is a
possible threat to the Sanity of our
people. All this is whats in my mind.

I have made a diorama of an airfield possibly in IRELAND. with 2 FOCKE WULF T.A. 183, HUCKEBBIN JETS. ONE MESSERSCHMITT P. 1099 B/I. HEAVY SCOUT HELICOPTER, A WESTLAND THE THREE GERMAN JETS WERE POSSIBLE EXPERIMENTLE PROJECTS NEVER DEVELOPED PURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR! SO THERE WOULD BE NO RECORD OF ANY TEST FLIGHTS. In the diorama there is a hanger, and a small dome beside it with iron railings around it, with a electricity pylon near the hanger. Beside the railings LO ON BACHAM "NATTER" ROCKET FIGHTER, ON A STAND. Oll this is whats in my mind and also what I constructed, The diorama I made a few years ago. It also has 3 flag masts.
Thanking you for your K
attention. Yours Faithful PAGE 3. TURN TO PAGE 4. P. S. Section 40

All the ideas on pages 1 To 3. that have been in my mind I cannot prove. Perhaps other people might know more about

yours Faithfully.

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too.



Dear Sir or Madam, On

8 TH JULY 03. I noticed between 3 AND 4 AM. what booked like a yellow orange star in the South. I got my Telescope out and sow what booked like a planet. It was not Jupitor because there were no Balilean moons. It was not Saturn, because there was no ting's, and I don't think it was venus because venus through my telescope usually shows a slight descent in shape, and is usually bright white in colour. I wondered if you could tell me what you think it could be. There was not any visible stars in the south at that time, so 9 think that could rule out Mars,

> PLEASE SO TO PAGE (2)

PAGE 2

I observed the planet until
13 JULY 03. There was no sign of
it on 13 JULY 03, It Reappeared
on monday 14 JULY 03, and I
made the last observation on
Tuesday 15 JULY 03, at 3 am approximatly. I have also sent al
simular letter to the Royal
Disservatory Greenwich SE10.
Thanking you for your
Kind attention.

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Theory.

61 argni twin Star System Red-Red 11.1 light years away Possibley different in size to one another. One possibly whent Nova. RED "B" Planetary System round it. Possibles with high intelligent Life forms, I call the Procyons. Knowing One of there Stars was going Nova. They Built Large Triangular Star Ships. The Particles of the Red "B" going Nova Emmitted Particles of Nutrons which helped Propell the Star Ships of the Procyons away from the Nova Star. Using there telepathic minds they Plotted a course to our solar system. Using our outwork

Toughts and Knowing we had also plotted its Parralax successfulls Determined by Trigonometry, so for the first time it was possible to Determine a stars distance from the sun. Once embarking on there Long Journy they where able to recycle certain things of importance Drake sent Signals out to Star systems with Possible Planetary Systems round them. I a name two Tau-Ceti. and Epsilon Eridani. But the Project was discontinued Because the massive Radio Pelescope at Greenbank Virginia did not Pick up any signals which could be of intelligent Life. The Tenth Planet could be from 61 cygni. And there Ships could come to land possibly mitchem common, possibly Rome and america, and France, To help

Evide there Planet and Place it in a formable position in our solar system, with as little disruption as possible to our planet Earth. The large triangular craft would not have any weapons on them toly guidance systems. If distroyed it could become dangerows, And very unstable. The procyons or Aliens would try to make contact with us possibly using telepathy. of a Kind. I think I might have made some contact a few years ago with a colonel longar. The tenth planet I named Congur attention **`P**:\$.

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with 143 pages of Alien and spacecraft study-





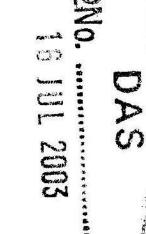
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Our Reference D/DAS/64/2

Date 17 July 2003

I am writing with reference to your report of a sighting of an 'unidentified flying object' on 13 July 2003, which was passed to us by London City Airport. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs'.

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With regard to your particular observation, I have looked back through our sighting report files and can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 13 July 2003 from anywhere in the United Kingdom. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised air activity.