


Still there. But not as many as in August 'Sept'.  
 But it's been too cold - too cloudy to keep watch.  
 They fly quite fast. Sort of slight pendulum movement  
 Star size. But one knows how fast they can come down.  
 But on April 15<sup>th</sup> 10 20 PM. witnessed one.

" 16<sup>th</sup> 10 40 / 10.55 witnessed two.  
 10<sup>th</sup> May 1 sphere 10.47 - 04

Better weather - clear skies probably more. It too well  
 to stay more than 15 minutes or so. too much cloud.  
 However I am also uneasy to stay longer, as I  
 wrote the white Zebra after one. Appeared behind my  
 back. 'I' lashed me to turn around. 3 times it  
 lit up & went out. It was awesome to see.

But I felt tremendous calm, like a UFO. So what?  
 But was quite tired for a few days. I think it  
 more 'profound' than I realise what I have witnessed.  
 The green Zebra after the Sucker was an astonishing entry  
 wobbled & lit up. Very Angelic looking, the way  
 it floated down.

The spheres are there for all to see. I can point them out

to people like I did with my son. There spheres as  
 'ge. Ball' looking when close, grow bigger & take of  
disproportionally at a tremendous speed.  There  
 are stark differences around to one we saw before  
 it took off. As I said they're in the sky they  
 actually flash each other if they end up on same path  
 like a Tard flash. while doing.

I don't know if they 'ever' went away. all I  
 know by the end of Sept when more was clear  
 there were a lot more, sometimes 3 lined up  
 at once, some not as high as others.  
 There spheres are still there. as better weather  
 comes, I'll be able to witness more.

In truth I'm not too happy to linger and not  
 sure of their 'agenda' - what maybe inside.  
 It's unknown that makes me uneasy.  
 Everything is true here - honestly telling truth. They are  
 Sucked craft. Yours Sincerely

Section 40

Section 40

Ministry of Defence  
Room 6/73 Metropole Building  
Northumberland Ave.  
London WC2N 5BP





From: **Section 40**  
 Directorate of Air Staff (Secretariat)3a



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 (Fax) **Section 40**

**Section 40**

Skipton  
 N. Yorks

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:  
 D/DAS/64/2

Date:  
 26 May 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 20 May 2004, the details of which you reported to Manchester Air Traffic Control. 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.

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received two other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 20 May 2004, one in Lancashire and the other in Surrey. We are satisfied that there is no corroborating evidence to suggest that the United Kingdom's airspace was breached by unauthorised military aircraft, on any of these occasions.

Yours sincerely

**Section 40**

REPORT of an UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

a. Date/Time and Duration of Sighting( Local times to be quoted )

20.5.2004 1330 30 SECS.

b. Description of Object ( No. of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc )

'LIGHTISH, TRANSPARENT RING'

c. Exact Position Observed. ( Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving )

SKIPTON, OLD BAILEY

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 THE EAST

f. Angle of Sight ( Estimated heights are unreliable )

'NOT HIGH' BUT 'DIFFICULT TO JUDGE'

g. Distance ( By reference to a known Landmark if possible )

4-5 NM

h. Movements ( Changes in E,F,G may be of more use )

NO MOVEMENT - JUST DISAPPEARED

i. Meteorological Conditions During Observations. ( Moving clouds Mist etc. )

BLUE LIGHT CUMULUS CLOUD.  
SKY

j. Nearby Objects ( Telephone lines Spires Etc. )

OPEN COUNTRY

k. To Whom Reported ( Police, Military Organisations, the Press )

MANCHESTER ATC



l. Name and Address of Informant: Section 40

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SKIPTON, N. YORKS.

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

NONE

n. Other Witnesses

NONE

o. Date and Time of Receipt

20-5-2004 1350

The above details are to be faxed immediately to AIS (Military), LATTC on Section 40

Section 40

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Ministry of Defence

Sec (AS) 2A

Room 8245

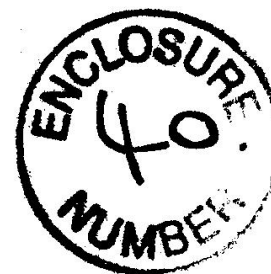
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**Section 40**

Guiseley  
 Leeds  
 West Yorkshire

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

18 May 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 14 May 2004, 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.'

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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 sighting reported to us. We believe that rational explanations, such as aircraft lights or natural phenomena, could be found for them if resources were diverted for this purpose, but it is not the function of the MOD to provide this kind of aerial identification service. It would be an inappropriate use of defence resources if we were to do so.

With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 14 May 2004 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

**Section 40**



**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	14 May 2004 03.10L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Was a very bright light. Saw strobe lights near the bright light.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Indoors, looking through lounge window.
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Naked eye.
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Not given
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given

9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Das answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	<p>Section 40</p> <p>Guiseley Leeds West Yorkshire Section 40</p>
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	His girlfriend.
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	<p>Rang Heathrow, said something about it not being a 24 hour airport?!</p> <p>Could it be Terrorist activity?</p>
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	<p>17 May 2004 16.45L</p>





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**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Storth  
 Nr Milnthorpe

**Section 40**

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

14 May 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 10 May 2004, the details of which you reported to the Cumbrian Police Contabulary. 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.

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 10 May 2004 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

**Section 40**

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

ATTN:  
Section 40

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	10 MAY 2004 2245-0045.
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	BRIGHT STAR! SPOKE EFFECT MOVES AROUND LIKE A KITE DISAPPEARS OVER THE HORIZON
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	FROM LOUNGE IN HOUSE AT HOME ADDRESS.
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	NAKED EYE & 16X50 BINOCULARS.
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	NW - TOWARDS LANCDALE PICES.
6.	Approximate distance.	40 MILES? LANCDALE PICES
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	UP & DOWN, LIKE A KITE.
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	CLEAR.



9.	To whom reported. (Police, military, press etc)	Section 40 [REDACTED] ASST PCRO (Clerk)
10.	Name, address and telephone no of informant.	Section 40 [REDACTED] STORTH 17 HILNTHORPE
11.	Other witnesses.	Section 40 [REDACTED] TEL Section 40 [REDACTED]
12.	Remarks.	
13.	Date and time of receipt.	1430 11 MAY 2004.

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in Cumbria  
please call about a UFO...





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**FAX MESSAGE**

**TO:** Section 40

**SUBJECT:** UFO Form

**DATE:** 7 May 2004

**NUMBER OF PAGES INCLUDING THIS COVER:** 3

Section 40

Here is the UFO form as discussed. Please feel free to keep a blank copy just in case you get any other UFO reports. You can fax these to me on the complaints fax number.

Section 40



From: **Section 40**  
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 (Fax) **Section 40**

**Section 40**

Chederton  
 Staffordshire

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

12 May 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 29 April 2004, 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.'

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 29 April 2004 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

**Section 40**

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	29 April 2004 22.30L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	She saw four bright lights, absolutely unbelievable. The outer circle of the round object, had eight lights going round in a clockwise direction and inner circle of lights, didn't say how many, going round in an anti-clockwise direction.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Not given
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Flying just outside Derby, for 20 minutes.
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	A couple of miles up in the air.
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given



9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Das answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	<div>Section 40</div> <div>Chederton Staffordshire</div> <div>Section 40</div>
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	Not given
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	Was it a military plane?
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	10 May 2004 15.30L



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**Section 40**

Ealing  
 London

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:  
 D/DAS/64/2

Date:  
 12 May 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 25 April 2004, 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.'

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 25 April 2004 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

**Section 40**

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	25 April 2004 08.50L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	The object was a rectangle shape with a white light.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Not given
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Moved from right to left, then dissapeared over Primrose Hill.
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	About a mile away and 500ft up in the sky.
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given



9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Das answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40 Ealing London Section 40
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	His son.
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	At first, Section 40 thought it was a helicopter.
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	10 May 2004 15.45L



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**Section 40**

West Winch  
 Kings Lynn

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

11 May 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 5 May 2004, the details of which were passed to us from RAF Marham. 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 can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 5 May 2004 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

**Section 40**

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SERIAL 9 - MINIMUM CLOUD COVER, CLEAR NIGHT, SERIAL 10 -  
CONSTELLATION OF THE PLOUGH, SERIAL 11 - MILITARY (RAF MARHAM),  
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LYNN, Section 40 TEL: Section 40 SERIAL 13 - NIL, SERIAL 14 - NIL,  
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**Section 40**

Filey  
North Yorkshire

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

27 April 2004

Dear **Section 40**

Thank you for the reports of the sightings that you witnessed on the 19 April and the 22 April 2004. I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings on these dates from anywhere in the UK.

Your reports will be placed on our files.

Yours sincerely

**Section 40**

Section 40

Filey  
North Yorkshire  
Section 40

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to you regarding a report of a (unidentified object) reported

Seen at ( Filey Brig )

On ( 19 - 4 - 04 )

Time ( 10.10 PM )

Heading ( East out to the North sea )

I am writing to you regarding a report of a UFO, there where two objects travelling to giver. And almost touched each other at one point , then an other object just appeared at the side of the first two objects . the object then climbed at an incredible speed, and headed south down the coast.

I thank you in advance for your co-operation in this matter

Yours

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Filey  
North Yorkshire  
Section 40

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to you regarding a report of a (unidentified object) reported

Seen at ( Queensbury Bradford )

On ( 22 - 4 - 04 )

Time ( )

Heading ( )

I am writing to you regarding a report of a UFO, did you resev any other reports  
in this area, or in the UK.

I thank you in advance for your co-operation in this matter

Yours

Section 40



Section 40

Filey

North Yorkshire

Section 40

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to you regarding a report of a (unidentified object) reported

Seen at (Goole East Yorkshire)

On (22-4-04)

Time ( 4.30pm )

Heading ( stationary )

I am writing to you regarding a report of a UFO, the object was stationary above Drax power station. The object looked like a boomerang, an aircraft was circling the object.

I thank you in advance for your co-operation in this matter

Yours

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 (Fax) **Section 40**

**Section 40**

Honley  
 West Yorkshire

Your Reference:

Our Reference:  
 D/DAS/64/2  
 Date:  
 20 April 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 14 April 2004, the details of which you reported to the West Yorkshire Police Constabulary. 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.

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 14 April 2004 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

**Section 40**

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	14 April 2004 20.27L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Looked like a Jellyfish flying in the sky.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Not given
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Not given
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given



9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	The object was reported to West Yorkshire Police and then the message was left on the das answerphone, <i>by the police.</i>
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40 Honley West Yorkshire
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	Not given
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	The informant reckons he might have seen two bright white lights on the side of the object.
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	19 April 2004 15.00L



From: **Section 40**  
 Directorate of Air Staff (Secretariat)3a

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 (Switchboard) 0171 218 9000  
 (Fax) **Section 40**

**Section 40**

Dimchurch  
 Kent

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

15 April 2004

Dear **Section 40**

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 9 April 2004 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

**Section 40**

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	9 April 2004 19.30L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Just said it was an object.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Not given
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Not given
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Object was flying over and going very fast and then dissapeared.
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given



9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Das answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40 Dimchurch Kent Section 40
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	Father.
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	Was it a Military plane?
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	14 April 2004 15.00L



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**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

14 April 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 11 April 2004, the details of which you reported to the Lancashire Constabulary. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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Yours sincerely

**Section 40**



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11-APR-2004 23:14 FROM LANCASHIRE CONSTABULARY

TO Section 40

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Lancashire Constabulary

**SOUTHERN COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE**  
**Police Headquarters, Hutton,**  
**Preston, PR4 5SB**

Telephone No. Section 40

Fax No. Section 40

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**Fax Front Sheet**

For the Attention of: Section 40 Manchester Airport Air Traffic Control

From : Southern Communications Centre

Extension:

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Date: 11/04/04

**MESSAGE**

**UFO SIGHTING:** Informant: Section 40 mob no: Section 40  
 Section 40 plus 3 other adults in veh. Approx 2043hrs, inf was driving down Formby dual carriageway heading from Formby >> Southport just going past Woodvale RAF base. They all saw a static UFO, with a cluster of 4 bright white lights in a ring shape on it, in front of clouds. 3 beams of white light shone upwards & then it disappeared. The UFO appeared to be sucked backwards at great speed into the clouds behind it. Inf heard no sound. Other witnesses: Section 40

Our log :  
 350 SQ/110404

TOTAL P.01



REPORT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

- a. Date/Time And Duration Of Sighting (Local times to be quoted)  
**11.04.04 20:43**
- b. Description Of Object (Number of objects, size, shape, colours, brightness, sound, smell etc).  
**4 BRIGHT LIGHTS**
- c. Exact Position Observed (Geographical location, indoors or outdoors, stationary or moving).  
**RAF WOODVALE**
- d. How Observed (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, still or movie camera).  
**NAKED EYE**
- e. Direction In Which Object Was First Seen (A landmark may be more useful than a badly estimated bearing).
- f. Angle Of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable).
- g. Distance (By reference to a known landmark wherever possible).
- h. Movements (Changes in E, F, G may be of more use than estimates of course and speed).
- i. Meteorological Conditions During Observations (Moving clouds, haze, mist etc).  
**CLOUDS**
- j. Nearby Objects (Telephone lines, Spires etc).
- k. To Whom Reported (Police, military organisations, the press etc).  
**SEE ATTACHED FAX.**

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11/04/2004 23:46

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l. Name And Address Of Informant

m. Any Background On The Informant That May Be Volunteered

n. Other Witnesses

o. Date And Time Of Receipt

*Recd e MACC 22:30 / 11.04.04*

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

The completed form is to be despatched to:

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Sec (AS) 2A  
Room 8245  
RAF Main Building  
Whitehall  
London  
SW1A 2HB



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*Our log :  
 390 52/110404*

TOTAL P.01



National Air Traffic Services Ltd, Control Tower Building, Manchester Airport,  
Wythenshawe, Manchester M90 2PL

Telephone: **Section 40**

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**WITH COMPLIMENTS**





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 (Fax) **Section 40**

**Section 40**

Greater Chesterford  
 Essex

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

14 April 2004

Dear **Section 40**,

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 9 April 2004, 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.'

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Yours sincerely

**Section 40**



**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	9 April 2004 17.57L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	60 foot long Symetrical object.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Outdoors.
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Naked eye.
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	The object came from Duxford direction flying into the wind, flying in the direction of Stansted.
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Object was 3,000ft up in the sky.
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given

9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Das answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40 Greater Chesterford Essex Section 40
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	Six people witnessed it.
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	Section 40 was one of the six.
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	13 April 2004 17.00L



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**Section 40**

Leighton Buzzard  
 Bedfordshire

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:  
 D/DAS/64/2

Date:  
 30 March 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 25 March 2004, 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.'

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Yours sincerely

**Section 40**



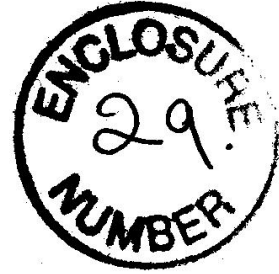
**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	25 March 2004 22.10L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Large ball of light, looked like a rocket. No sound generally, but at times, a slight whirring sound.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given.
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Naked eye.
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	From North to South over Leighton Buzzard.
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	A thousand feet up in the sky.
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Object was falling slightly. The speed was like a helicopter.
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given.

9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Das answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40 Leighton Buzzard Section 40 Section 40
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	None given.
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	No more to give.
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	30 March 2004 10.30L



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**Section 40**

Edinburgh

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

19 March 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 17 March 2004, the details of which you passed to Scottish Air Traffic Control. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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Yours sincerely

**Section 40**



18/03/2004 11:12 FAX

Section 40

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**Report of Unidentified Flying Object**

- a) **Date, Time and Duration of Sighting.** 17/3/04 20<sup>20</sup> 40 to 50 seconds
- b) **Description of Object** FAST MOVING BRIGHT LIGHT.
- c) **Exact Position of** DUNBAR
- d) **How Observed** NAKED EYE.
- e) **Direction in which Object was First Seen** EAST.
- f) **Angular Elevation of Object** HIGH
- g) **Distance of Object from Observer** NOT KNOWN
- h) **Movements of Object** SOUTH TO NORTH.
- j) **Meteorological Conditions During Observations** CLEAR.
- k) **Nearby Objects** NIL
- l) **To Whom Reported** Section 40, ATC SUPERVISOR  
SCOTTISH AIR TRAFFIC CENTRE,  
SHERWOOD ROAD, PRESTNICK,
- m) **Name and Address of Informant** Section 40, EDINBURGH  
Section 40  
Section 40 TEL Section 40
- n) **Any Background Information on the Informant that may be Volunteered**  
NIL.
- o) **Other witnesses**  
HER BOYFRIEND.
- p) **Date and Time of Receipt of Report**  
17/3/04 20<sup>40</sup>.



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**Section 40**

Lowestoft  
 Suffolk

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

9 March 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 1 March 2004, 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.'

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Yours sincerely

**Section 40**

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	1 March 2004 20.00L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Yellow light in circular formation. The flash shot across the sky and the lights went out.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Outdoors.
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Not given
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Object going across Lowestoft, East Anglia.
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Object/lights moving fast up into the sky and across the sky.
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given



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# REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	12 January 2004 16.30L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Round object with white lights all around it over the Huddersfield area.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	No details given.
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	No details given
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	SW of Huddersfield
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given

9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Reported to the switchboard of Leeds/Bradford Airport who relayed the message to DAS answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40  No address given  Tel: Section 40
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	12 January 2004 17.35L

No answer on Section 40 number.  
NFA.





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 (Fax) **Section 40**

**Section 40**

Rhyl  
 North Wales

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

24 February 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 18 February 2004, the details of which you passed to the Police. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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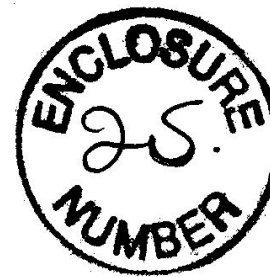
1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	18 February 2004 16.02L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Large black object over Rhyl.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Not given
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Not given
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given

9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Policeman
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40 Rhyl North Wales Section 40
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	None mentioned.
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	NVW Police helicopter was up at the time and saw a civilian aircraft in the area.
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	Message left on our answerphone by Sargeant Section 40





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 (Fax) **Section 40**

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Holbeach  
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**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:  
 D/DAS/64/2

Date:  
 19 February 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 11 February 2004, the details of which you passed to RAF Wittering. 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 can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 11 February 2004 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

**Section 40**

D UK/270/01/15  
DATED 20 NOV 03

# REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	11 FEB 04 APPROX 2105Z DURATION OF APPROX 3 SECS
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	2 OBJECTS, DESCRIBED AS A FAST PAIR OF SPEEDING LIGHTS. NO SIZE OR SHAPE. VERY FAST BRIGHT LIGHT, NO NOISE. PASS CONTRAIL (BLURRED LIGHT)
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	OUTSIDE, STANDING IN GARDEN. STATIONARY Section 40 HOLBEACH LINES Section 40
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	NAKED EYE
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	STARTING FROM SSE HEADING NW - FROM DIRECTION OF RADIO MAST/ CONIFER TREE
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	UNSURE
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	EXTREMELY FAST LEVEL 2ND OBJECT TURNED 180° BACK ON ITSELF INSTANTANEOUSLY
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	CLEAR SKY LITTLE / NO AMBIENT LIGHT
9.	<b>Details of any other agencies that have been informed.</b> (such as police, press etc)	RAF WITTERING GUARD ROOM (C/T Section 40, INFORMED RAF NEATISHEAD SURVEILLANCE DIRECTOR



10.	Name, address and telephone no of informant.	Section 40 HOLBEACH LINGS Section 40
11.	Other witnesses.	NIL
12.	Remarks.	Section 40 WAS SHAKEN BUT COMPOSED. A POLICEMAN OF 30 YEARS, CLAIMS HE NEVER BELIEVED IN UFO'S BUT DOES NOW!
13.	Date and time of receipt.	2210Z 11 FEB 04
14.	Name and telephone no of person submitting report form to MOD.	FLT LT Section 40 SURVEILLANCE DIRECTOR CRC NEATISHEAD WROXHAM, NORWICH NORFOLK Section 40

Completed Unexplained Aerial Sighting Reports should then be either:

E-mailed on CHOTs or RAF CCIS to DAS-Sec3;

Faxed to DAS Sec 3 on Section 40 or Section 40

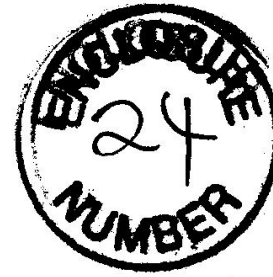
Posted to DAS Sec 3  
Ministry of Defence  
Room 6/73  
Metropole Building  
Northumberland Avenue  
London  
WC2N 5BP;

Or a message left on answerphone: 0207 218 2140 or Section 40





From: **Section 40**  
 Directorate of Air Staff (Secretariat)3a



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**Section 40**

Ely  
 Cambridgeshire  
**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:  
 D/DAS/64/2

Date:  
 19 February 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 8 February 2004, 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.

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we received no other reports of 'UFO' sightings for 8 February 2004 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

**Section 40**

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	Sunday 8 February 2004 21.45-23.00L
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	4 Lights, 1 brighter than others, sometimes fading, other lights not as bright.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Not given
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	With a camera.
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Not given
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not given
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given

9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Das answerphone
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	<p>Section 40</p> <p>Ely Cambridgeshire</p> <p>Section 40</p>
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	None mentioned
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	<p>She checked with the Police who did not have any helicopters in the area.</p> <p>She said it was not a plane, stars or helicopters.</p> <p>Also took some photographs.</p>
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	Message left on Sunday 8 February 2004 at 23.21 Local.





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**Section 40**

West Kilbride  
Ayrshire

**Section 40**

Your Reference:

Our Reference:

D/DAS/64/2

Date:

16 February 2004

Dear **Section 40**

Thank you for your letter dated 1 February concerning 'unidentified flying objects'.

You will be aware from our previous correspondence that the MOD examines UFO reports, sent to us, solely to establish whether they present any evidence of a breach of UK airspace by unauthorised aircraft. We do not have any expertise or role in respect of 'UFO/flying saucer' matters to the question or to the question of the existence or otherwise of extraterrestrial lifeforms, about which we remain totally open-minded. I should add that to date the MOD knows of no evidence which substantiates the existence of these alleged phenomena.

I therefore have nothing further to add to our previous correspondence. Your letter has, however, been placed on our files.

Yours sincerely,

**Section 40**

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125 Feb 04

West Kelbridge  
Ayrshire

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Ref D/DAS/64/2.

When I last wrote to you sometime in Sept last.  
about my views the wave, as stated letter 26 August 03  
Then also the one my son & I watched A/Ger we heard cows  
bellowing & night. & gave us some Anxiety.

The second one that let up, there is something I left out  
about that one, I was attracted by a flash at my Back  
As I turned round, couldn't see a thing as I stated.  
But the strange thing was, when it did light up. Fibre optic  
white, it let up in a line from front - straight across to  
the back, before I reached the Back I could see its structure  
from reflection of the front. It was definitely structured &  
colour grey metal looking, with cut out - windows. Solid  
grey like a fence post, as I said 3 lines of disappearance  
let up. It had good depth of height too, <sup>large</sup> & was as slim as  
the fibre optic theresons green with slight fibre optic yellow in centre.  
with the Peroflene. That part though is only black dirty cloud.  
wobbled & then let up. Just thought I did not imagine it either. It



was for Real. The 'wave' of the yellow spheres, some flew in a  
Dead Straight line too for miles, perfectly straight North to South.  
 What worries me **Section 40** I Reported a wave of UFO. & asked  
 you to come & witness them. & you wouldn't for lack of funds etc.  
 This Reminds me of my Stepfather, telling me, He did Morse code  
 Ham Radio. Picked up from other Ham Radio Morse code that  
 the Japs were heading to America, & He sent I over to the  
 Americans who ignored it, because they didn't think it was  
feasible. So Hence Pearl Harbour.

Someday Somebody is going to tell 'Ministry of Defence' something  
 really serious, & not going to be acknowledged. Just because they  
 think they are so superior in knowledge that nobody at a "lower  
 level" has none. This is not acceptable now, Bright people  
 don't take very long to notice lack of knowledge in our Superiors.  
 The world is changing & everybody is entering a new information  
 Age. and Beginning to Question Authority.

If we want a future at some time you 'look' heed of Responsible  
 people's 'Views'. & not treat them as fools. Or Be No Future.  
 We have to deal with these 'Views' with no support. It all  
 seems 'wasted space'. I'm a High IQ & could have been a  
 member of Mensa, & I could have done maths, my Daughter  
 Edinburgh University is a mathematician. Physics Maths Pure Maths  
 So were not a Stupid Family. We need Respect of our 'Views'. Yours Sincerely  
**Section 40**



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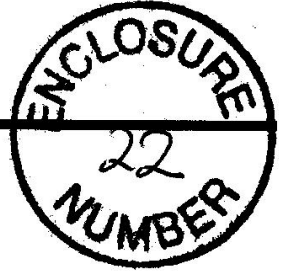
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LONDON WC2N 5BP.

22 Dec 03

DAS-Sec3

To: D News RAF  
 Subject: Press Enquiries on UFOs



## Section 40

I have received two enquiries on UFO matters direct from the press. One left a message on our answerphone and one called the public low flying complaints line. I do not normally deal direct with the press so would be grateful if someone in the press office could contact the following. I attach a few lines which can be given to both of them.



UFO PRESS  
 Enquiries.doc

## Section 40

Thame News  
 Jordan's Courtyard  
 8 Upper High Street  
 Thame  
 Oxfordshire  
 OX9 3ER  
 Tel: Section 40  
 e-mail: editor@thamenews.net

Note:  
 The Press Office left a message on Section 40  
 answerphone. There have been no further  
 calls. 12/2/2004

She left a message on the DAS UFO answerphone concerning a loud noise, like an air balloon heard in the area in the early hours of 2 December.

## Section 40

Flame TV Company

## Section 40

Note: Press Office called Section 40 Resolved over  
 the phone using lines to take provided. NFA. 12/2/2004.

Telephoned our Low Flying complaints line and said his company are making a programme about UFOs. No further details given. Please inform him that if he needs any further information, we would be happy to answer his questions if he would like to send them by fax or e-mail via yourselves.

Thanks for your help.

## Section 40

DAS-Sec3

MT6/73 Section 40

**REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING**

1.	<b>Date and time of sighting.</b> (Duration of sighting.)	2 December 2003 Between 0130-0200L for 5-10 minutes.
2.	<b>Description of object.</b> (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	Loud noise like a hot air balloon heard, but nothing seen.
3.	<b>Exact position of observer.</b> <b>Geographical location.</b> (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Information passed by the local newspaper. No details given.
4.	<b>How object was observed.</b> (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	Nothing seen, only heard.
5.	<b>Direction in which object was first seen.</b> (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	Nothing seen.
6.	<b>Approximate distance.</b>	Not given
7.	<b>Movements and speed.</b> (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Nothing seen.
8.	<b>Weather conditions during observation.</b> (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	Not given.



9.	<b>To whom reported.</b> (Police, military, press etc)	Local newspaper. Thame News and then to DAS answerphone.
10.	<b>Name, address and telephone no of informant.</b>	Section 40 Thame News Jordan's Courtyard 8 Upper High Street Thame Oxfordshire OX9 3ER Tel: Section 40 e-mail: <a href="mailto:editor@thamenews.net">editor@thamenews.net</a>
11.	<b>Other witnesses.</b>	Members of the public have reported this to the newspaper. The newspaper has not provided us with their details.
12.	<b>Remarks.</b>	Section 40 said that a similar noise was heard in the area 10-11 months ago. A local person with an interest in these things has told her it may be a Flying Triangle or the military could be testing "an anti-gravity method of propulsion". She wondered if we could identify what this was.
13.	<b>Date and time of receipt.</b>	Tuesday 2 December 2003



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 Directorate of Air Staff (Secretariat)3a



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**Section 40**

Billingsley  
 Kidderminster  
 Shropshire

Your Reference:

Our Reference:  
 D/DAS/64/2

Date:  
 12 February 2004

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 28 January 2004 the details of which you passed to RAF Shawbury. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to 'UFOs.'

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Yours sincerely,

**Section 40**



MON, 09-FEB-04 14:58

CRO RAF SHAWBURY

01939 250351

Unit Ref: 2033/17/CR0

**MILITARY AIRCRAFT ACTIVITY  
PUBLIC COMPLAINT FORM**

For completion by the author within 5 days.  
Forward to the authority at Section 1

**SECTION 1: ACTION AUTHORITIES**

Action	Info	Action	Info	Action	Info
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Comd Sec HQ Land	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> RAF HQ PTC
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MOD Sec(AS)2b	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> D/C+L (F+S) Claims 3	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
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OS Grid Ref:	S07184	Serial No:	04/2/68	File Ref:	69/4/47E57
LFA:	4	Previous Complaint		No. of Complaints to date:	15
NS:		Serial No:		File Ref:	

**SECTION 2: DETAILS OF COMPLAINANT**

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms/Dr/Other:	Section 40
Surname:	Section 40
Forename(s):	Section 40
Address:	Section 40
BULLINGSLEY	
Town/City:	KIDDERMINSTER
County:	SARUMSHPRE
Postcode:	Section 40
Telephone No:	Section 40

**SECTION 3: LOCATION OF INCIDENT**

<input type="checkbox"/> Address at Section 2,
or:
Address:
Town/City:
County:
Postcode:

**SECTION 4: DETAILS OF INCIDENT**

Date:	WED 28 JAN 04
Time:	1815-2000
How many aircraft involved:	??
Type of aircraft	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jet <input type="checkbox"/> Prop <input type="checkbox"/> Helo <input type="checkbox"/> Light a/c	
Other (Specify)	LIGHTS
Markings	
<input type="checkbox"/> Grey <input type="checkbox"/> Camouflaged <input type="checkbox"/> Red/White <input type="checkbox"/> Black/Yellow	
Other (Specify)	
Height	
<input type="checkbox"/> Low <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medium <input type="checkbox"/> High	
Estimation in Feet:	
Direction:	NE
Inside MATZ?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
If Yes which MATZ?	

**NOW TURN OVER**



