

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 27 Nov. 1954 3:07 PM 10Z	2. LOCATION Palos Verdes, California one witness
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Aircraft (possible)
4. NUMBER OF SUBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2½ minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer watched an object that was about 3/4 the size of a 707 jet, traveling in a ENE direction. When first seen a series of bright lights was all that was visible. All of a sudden these lights changed to three different lights - one red, one green, and one pink. Also white lights were observed. Observer stopped his car and watched the object. The observer stated that the object came over his head and disappeared behind some buildings. Observer got in his car and drove to another location but could not find the object again. The description is consistent with that of an aircraft observation.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE ENE	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

29 Nov 66

To whom it may concern:

On the night of November 29, 1966 at approximately 10:10 PM local time I observed an unidentified flying object at Redondo Beach, California. This object was flying generally in a WSW to ENE direction at about 1,500 feet with an approximate speed of between 300-400 mph. The object appeared to be a little more than $\frac{3}{4}$ the size of a jet.

When I first saw this object, I was stopped at a traffic light on top of a hill about 750 yds. from the beach. I was facing the beach at this time. While I was waiting for the light to change a series of large bright lights over the ocean attracted my attention. At first I thought that they might be some kind of flares but they suddenly changed to three different lights - one red, one green and one pink. The white lights seemed to be stationary, but when they changed colors, they seem to start moving in my direction. By this time the traffic light had changed so I drove down the street to a parking lot at the beach. I had the object in full view while I was driving. When I reached the parking lot, I turned the engine and lights off and watched this object. After watching this object closely I thought that it was an airplane. But as it flew over me I could tell that it was definitely not an airplane. The object made virtually no noise and its wings or fins were only about $\frac{1}{4}$ the size of an airplane. Since the

traffic near the beach where I was and all the stores were closed, I would have been able to hear any noise that the object made. After the object flew over me, I got into the car and drove from the parking lot to the top of a nearby hill in a residential section and parked the car and got out to look again. I did this because some large building blocked my view of the object from the parking lot.

This time when I looked, I couldn't find the object. It seemed like it had just disappeared. It was a clear night and there were only a few stars out. There were no airplanes, etc. in the sky at this time, so I would have been able to see the object again if it was still there. I then went back to the parking lot and retraced my steps and found that it took


12 to 14 seconds from the time that the object disappeared behind the buildings to the time that I had driven around the buildings to a point where I could see the whole sky again. From the time that I first spotted the object to the time it disappeared behind the buildings was approx. 2 minutes. I do not know for sure whether anyone else saw the object or not but while I was stopped at the light I saw a man in a car across the street from me looking up in the sky in the direction of the object.

I don't know what the object was but I am positive that it was not a balloon or any kind of a reflection from something else. It could have been an airplane except for the facts that

were too small to belong to an airplane. This object was generally cigar shaped and had no tail, fins of any kind. It emitted no fire or exhaust. When the object was coming towards me, its lights appeared to be flashing but when it flew overhead the red light on the bottom seemed to slowly pulsate while the other two lights seemed to flash rapidly.

This is not a hoax of any kind and everything in this letter is completely true. Although I have read some articles on U.F.O's before and believe that they could exist, what I described and saw was real, not exaggerated, and not imagined.

Sincerely,


Dr. Soth.
Palos Verdes, California

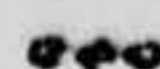
white glowing object



Horizon

Object after lights changed

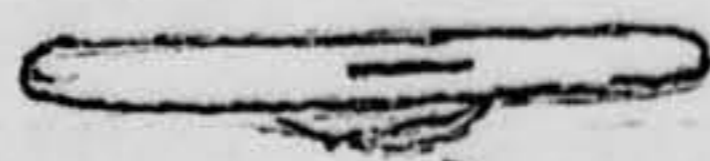
Red, Green, Pale Pink



Horizon

Object as it passed overhead

side →



Red Light

top →



It all happened so fast that I am confused as to the position of the other two lights. At first I thought that they were on the wings but when it passed overhead I thought that they were on the ends.

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