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Our Ref: UFO Report

27 October 2009

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 26 October 2009 over Bolton, 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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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Oct 09	17:46	Bolton	Lancashire
DESCRIPTION			
Red and orange lights high in the sky moving slowly, numerous sightings over several weeks			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Slow			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Partner			
REMARKS			

UFO Report



DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Oct 09	17:15	Eastbourne	Brighton
DESCRIPTION			
like a flying bonfire, or similar to a plane on fire, too dark for a balloon			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Outside			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
North of Eastbourne			
APPROX DISTANCE			
300-400 feet			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
quite fast			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
5 year old boy&neighbour			
REMARKS			
No address or phone number left			



Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC DHd1 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 26 October 2009 21:10
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: Unusual jet stream in Sky
Importance: High
Attachments: Sharp Turn.jpg

FILE - NFA,

Attached is an image with a very sharp turn in a jet stream (I think thats the right word).

Taken about a week ago, driving down the M1 south bound I think.

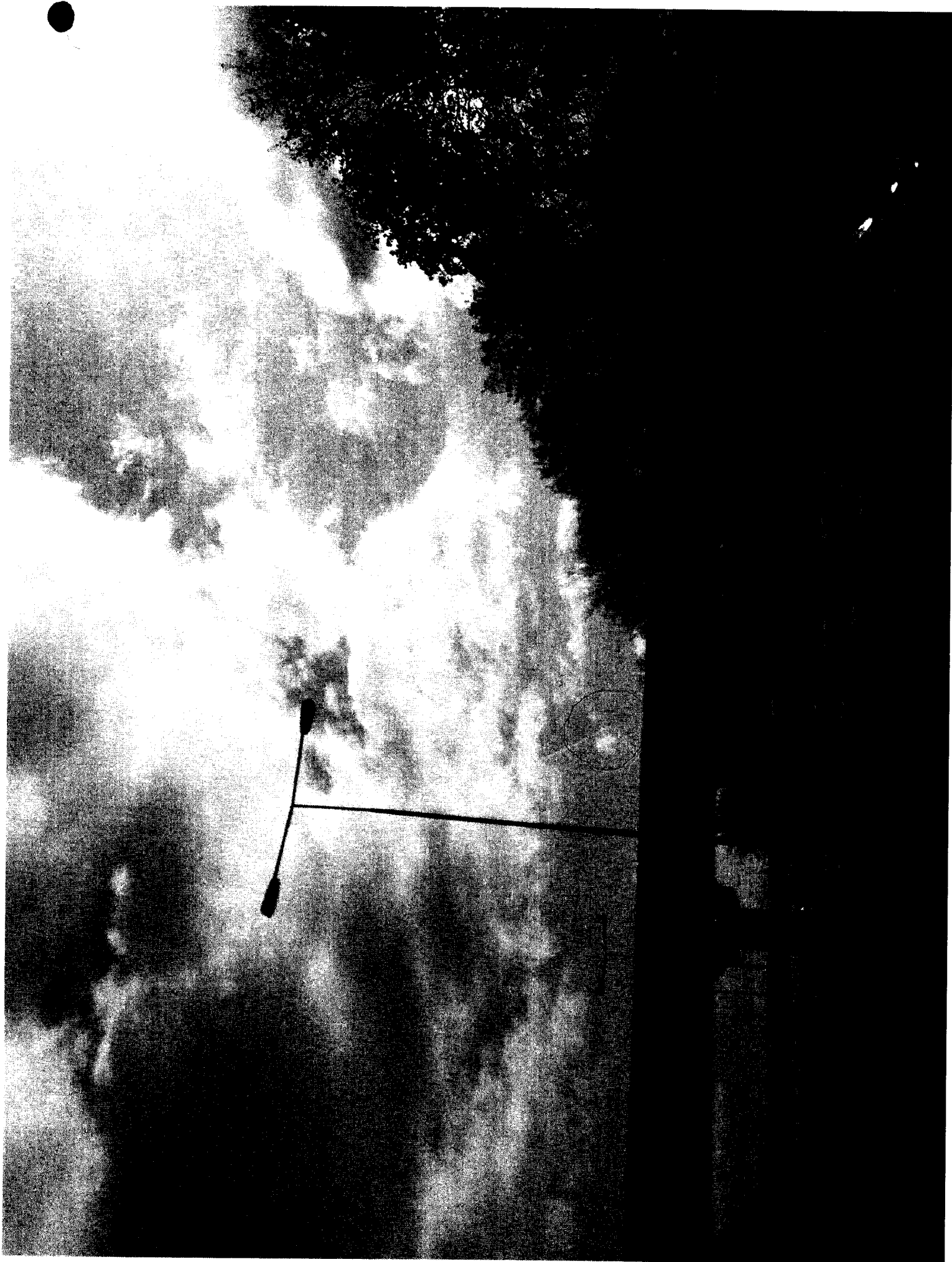
Just seemed a very sharp turn for any of our aircraft. It was very high up, like a usual Airliner height.

Thought it was worth sending it!

Regards

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
01 Oct 09		M1 South	
DESCRIPTION			
very sharp turn in jet stream, very sharp for an aircraft and very high up like a usual Airliner height			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
In Car on M1			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Des	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
very few details, picture attached, no need to respond			



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Our Ref: UFO Report

26 October 2009

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
23 Oct 09	19:04	Rotherham	South Yorkshire
DESCRIPTION			
glowing object like aircraft on fire from low down over the town centre rising fastly straight up in a straight line across town.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Yes			
REMARKS			

Air CmdSecCS-RAFBusSec2 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 23 October 2009 19:32
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: UFO SIGHTING OVER ROTHERHAM SOUTH YOEKSHIRE

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Rotherham

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Hi there, I have just witnessed a UFO sighting over the town of Rotherham. This UFO seemed to come from low down over the town centre then rise fastly straight up in a straight line then across the town. It seemed to be glowing as at first sight thought this was air craft on fire. However soon realised this was not the case. The UFO then just disappeared in to the night. I do have two still images as it rises then I have video footage taken on a mobile phone as it shoots across the sky. This sighting was seen at approx 19:04 pm on the 23.10.09 an have several witness to what i saw.

Thankyou

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBusSec2 [Section 40]

From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBusSec2 [Section 40]
Sent: 26 October 2009 10:27
To: Air CmdSecCS-RAFParliBusiness (MULTIUSER)
Subject: UFO response
Attachments: 20091022-ufo-desk [Section 40] rham.doc

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
23 Oct 09	22:06	Yeovil	
DESCRIPTION			
metallic ball in the sky chased by fast jet then helicopter from Yeovilton			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
date of sighting 2007. No personal details left			



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Our Ref: UFO Report

26 October 2009

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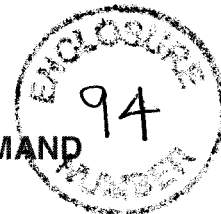
UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
23 Oct 09	23:38	Brigstock	Northants
DESCRIPTION			
Bright orangey red light lit from one end to the other, no noise, approx 40 - 50 feet long			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Outside			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
North East			
APPROX DISTANCE			
1000-1500 feet			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
120 mph approx 20 degrees			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Wife			
REMARKS			



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26 October 2009

Dear Sir

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
23 Oct 09	21:30	Leverton	Boston
DESCRIPTION			
2-4 Dancing lights with no density to them.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Inside house			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
6 miles from Boston			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
no name but full address given			

UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
22 Oct 09	19:35	Whitehaven	Cumbria
DESCRIPTION			
2 orange balls. No sound. No strobe lights.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Near harbour			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
south to north over Solway Firth			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
same speed as helicopter			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
people on harbour			
REMARKS			
only left telephone number			

UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
16 Oct 09	15:00	Saffron Walden	
DESCRIPTION			
Strange cluster of objects at high altitude flying close together towards London.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Outside a school			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
towards London			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Clear	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Other parents			
REMARKS			
only mobile number left for POC			



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Our Ref: UFO Report

22 October 2009

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I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 21 October 2009 over the Flookburgh area. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBusSec2 Section 40
Sent: 22 October 2009 11:05
To: Air CmdSecCS-RAFParliBusiness (MULTIUSER)
Subject: UFO response
Attachments: 20091022-ufo-desk Section 40 file Edinburgh-U.doc

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From: Section 40

Sent: 22 October 2009 09:39

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

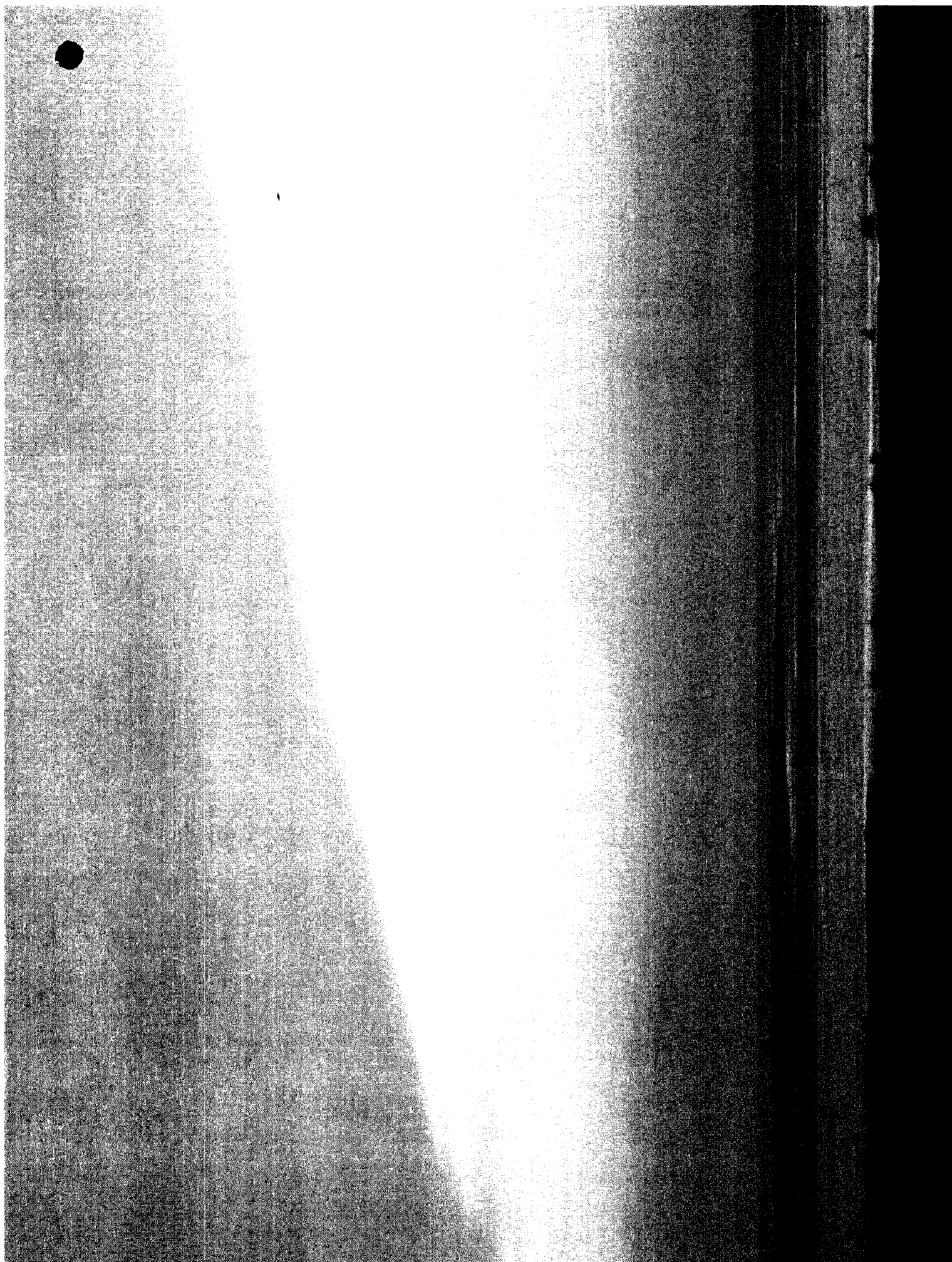
Subject: ??????????

I took this photo yesterday at 12 minutes past midday from the shore near Flookburgh , Cumbria , but didn't realise I had an object on the screen until I downloaded . There was no sound .

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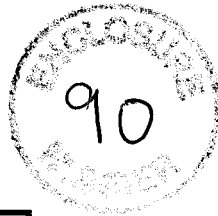
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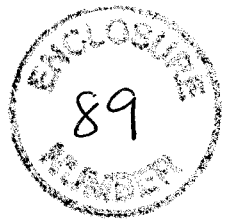
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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
21 Oct 09	12:12	Flookburgh	Cumbria
DESCRIPTION			
Strange object in the sky over the sea, far away so difficult to define			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Outside on the coast			
HOW OBSERVED			
Camera			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Fair Cloudy	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			

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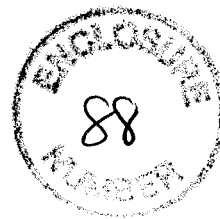


DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
19 Oct 09	21:00	Alton	Staffs
DESCRIPTION			
Strange light activity, and lots of helicopters, unusual for the area			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
only mobile number left for POC			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
18 Oct 09	20:25	West Ealing	London
DESCRIPTION			
Orange object moving across the sky, flickering			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
flickering			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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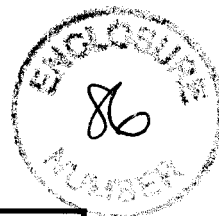
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18 Oct 09	22:34		
DESCRIPTION			
Object wasn't flashing, moved across below cloud then dropped down to the ground then disappeared			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Garden			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No details left			

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
18 Oct 09	22:30		Merseyside
DESCRIPTION			
2 Orange lights, no noise, 1 disappeared, 1 static hovered then went away came back and went away again			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
from Liverpool towards the Wirral			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No details left			

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
17 Oct 09	23:35	Enfield	London
DESCRIPTION			
No details given			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
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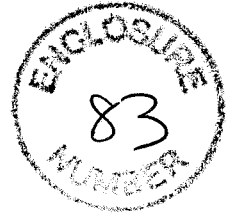
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17 Oct 09	19:15		
DESCRIPTION			
Approx 24 objects			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Very little Info left, no address			

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
16 Oct 09	20:20	March	
DESCRIPTION			
7 orange and red lights, not moving, no shape, disappeared one after another			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
South West			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
16 Oct 09	19:25	Shah Delf area	Nr Oldham
DESCRIPTION			
Slow pulsing orange light, 3 lots of lights slow speed and silent			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Slow			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
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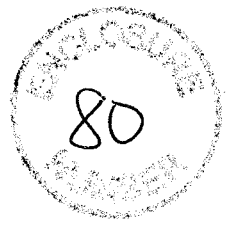


DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
16 Oct 09	19:00	Gargrave	Skipton
DESCRIPTION			
3 Red and Orange lights no noise			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
2 miles SW of Skipton			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Yes			
REMARKS			
no address given			

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
12 Oct 09	20:35		Plymouth
DESCRIPTION			
Orange light, round shape, solid in the middle and straight			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



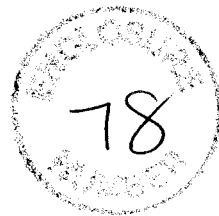
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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
11 Oct 09	19:45	Gilberdyke	East Yorkshire
DESCRIPTION			
14 balls of light, no formation, no noise			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
South East towards airport			
APPROX DISTANCE			
300/400 Feet			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
90-100 miles per hour			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	Worked for BAE systems	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Neighbours			
REMARKS			



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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
10 Oct 09	23:15	Aberdeen	
DESCRIPTION			
9 red lights over the North Sea in a V formation - disappeared then came back and was there for some time			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
From Lossiemouth to Aberdeen city			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Incident reported to Grampian police			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
11 Oct 09	22:00		Wigan
DESCRIPTION			
White arrow shaped with green lights, moving slowly			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
10 Oct 09	12:20	Widnes	Cheshire
DESCRIPTION			
14 objects one every minute, no sound			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Bedroom			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
North West Warrington to Widnes			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Wife			
REMARKS			



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Our Ref: UFO Report

21 October 2009

Dear Section 40

*West Drayton
Middlesex*

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC2 **Section 40**

From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC2 **Section 40** on behalf of Air CmdSecCS-
RAFPARLI-BUSINESS (MULTIUSER)
Sent: 21 October 2009 11:12
To: **Section 40**
Subject: Release-Authorised: UFO Desk Response
Attachments: 20091021 **Section 40**-UO-Desk-WDrayton-U.doc

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC DHd1 [Section 40]

From: [Section 40]

Sent: 16 October 2009 23:13

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: ufo sighting

hi i was sitting in my garden having a cigarette as we don,t smoke in the house,when i noticed something about the size of a star which i first thought it was a plane but then i realized that it was not a plane when its movements became erratic and it looped and then went out of sight and then reappeared and done further loop and its flight was very strange something that a plane could not do and then it was gone this happened at 22.30 on the 16/10/2009 and our address is [Section 40] west drayton middlesex [Section 40] we live be side heath row airport so we are familiar with aircraft and there movements and know that no aircraft could have made these movements.it was not like a shooting star with a tail the loops were very small and there is no way a plane could loop or turn that tight. thanks [Section 40]

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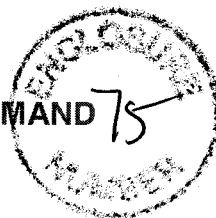
DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
16 Oct 09	22:30	West Drayton	Middlesex
DESCRIPTION			
Light, size of a star erratic movements, looped then went out of sight, reappeared and did futher loop.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
In garden			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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Our Ref: UFO Report

21 October 2009

Dear *Leith*
Edinburgh
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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC2 Section 40

From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC2 Section 40 on behalf of Air CmdSecCS-
RAFParliBusiness (MULTIUSER)
Sent: 21 October 2009 11:03
To: Section 40
Subject: Release-Authorised: UFO Desk Response
Attachments: 20091021 Section 40 UFO-Desk-Edinburgh-U.doc

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC DHd1 Section 40

From: Section 40
Sent: 18 October 2009 00:00
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: UFO sightings in Edinburgh - 17th October 2009

See ufo hotline

Section 40

I am writing to tell you about a happening this evening which was witnessed by several people, including my husband, myself and my daughter.

Time: 6.45 - 7.00 approximately, 17th October 2009.

Place: We were in Leith Dock area

Heading: from the S/SW towards the north east coast of Edinburgh and then veering due east into the Firth of Forth.

My husband called us as he had seen around 14 objects which he first thought were planes, but they were a yellowey orangey colour. My daughter and I went outside and we saw another 8-9. There was no sound at all and they looked quite different from the planes arriving in Edinburgh - and they were not on the same flight trajectory.

We came home and went on the internet to see if we could find a way of reporting this - and came across some articles on chinese lanterns. Although it is possible (perhaps more probable) that this is what they were, we nevertheless thought it would be worth informing you of this sighting as it may coincide with other reports.

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17 Oct 09	18:45	Leith	Edinburgh
DESCRIPTION			
14 objects, yellowey orangey colour. Then saw another 8-9. No sound. Mot on same flight trajectory. States it could be chinese lanterns.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Leith dock area			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
S/SW towards NE the veered due East			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Daughter			
REMARKS			



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Section 40

*Stockton on Tees
Cleveland*

Our Ref: UFO Report

21 October 2009

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 17 October 2009 over the Teesside area. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC2 Section 40

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Sent: 21 October 2009 10:58
To: Section 40
Subject: Release-Authorised: UFO Desk Response
Attachments: 20091021-Section 40 UFO Desk-Teesside-U.doc

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC DHd1 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 17 October 2009 22:05
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: report object in the sky Teesside.

Hi,
I live in Stockton on Tees, Cleveland.

I went into the garden to let my dogs out at roughly nearly 9pm on 17th October. I saw a big burning orange object up in the sky. It was an Object. It looked quite large, I thought at first it was maybe a huge hot air balloon on fire - it's the only way I can describe it. It was bright orange, the colour of a Halloween pumpkin. Yet not the shape of a hot air balloon. It looked like it was on fire ??? I shouted my husband to come and look as I have never seen anything like it. My husband never answered so I ran in the house to get him.

When I came back out the object was going up right up into the clouds. I gather from this it was moving fast.

Now I live in Teesside and we are on the flight path of Teesside (Durham Tees Valley Airport) so I cannot imagine a hot air balloon being in the sky.

It was 100% NOT an aircraft, nor helicopter nor a light. I am curious as to what it was?

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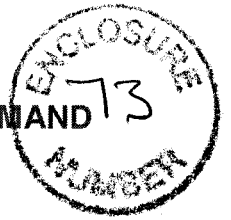
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17 Oct 09	21:00	Stockton on Tees	Cleveland
DESCRIPTION			
Large orange burning object.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
In garden			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Fast			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Cloudy	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			

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Our Ref: UFO Report

21 October 2009

*warbuton
cheshire*

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 17 October 2009 over the Warbuton Toll Bridge area in Cheshire. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC2 [Section 40]

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Sent: 21 October 2009 10:55

To: [Section 40]

Subject: Release-Authorised: UFO Desk Response

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC DHd1 Section 40

From: Section 40
Sent: 17 October 2009 23:29
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: Possible sighting

Hello, this evening at approximately 10.50pm my partner and I saw 2 very odd orange glowing lights in the sky high above warburton toll bridge in Cheshire. They were a strange shape like a number 7 but fuzzy, and close together - we couldn't hear any sound but they soon moved slowly upwards into the clouds above and were soon gone. Probably nothing but I felt the need to report it.

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
17 Oct 09	23:50	Warburton	Cheshire
DESCRIPTION			
Two orange glowing lights in sky high above Warburton Toll Bridge - strange shape like a no 7, fuzzy and close together. No sound.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Slow			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Cloudy	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Partner			
REMARKS			



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Our Ref: UFO Report

21 October 2009

Gee Cross

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 18 October 2009 over Coombes Avenue, Gee Cross. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBusSec2 Section 40

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Sent: 21 October 2009 10:51
To: Section 40
Subject: Release-Authorised: UFO Desk Response
Attachments: 20091021 Section 40 UFO-Desk-GeeCross-U.doc

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC DHd1 Section 40

From: Section 40

Sent: 19 October 2009 08:44

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

To Whom it may concern

18th October 2009 19:00hrs approx. Coombes Avenue Gee Cross.

I would like to report a UFO sighting regarding the date and time above.

Around the time stated me and friend were sat chatting, and out of the blue came a orangey yellowy bright light which we passed off as being a plane or some sort of aircraft it travelled along the sky line and some speed, then within 30 seconds another which again we passed off as some sort of aircraft, this then repeated approximately 10 times with very similar distance and at some speed, coming down from the sky line and the up and disappearing

The objects had what looked like 3 balls of lights 1 on top 2 either side, this was the strangest thing I have ever seen and feel a bit silly reporting it but these were defiantly not planes as there was no sound. Maybe there is an explanation but air craft don't follow in transit like that especially at that speed and no other light then this orangey yellowy one and they just disappeared, it was fascinating to see and would like to know if anyone else in the area have seen this.

Kind Regards

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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
18 Oct 09	19:00	Gee Cross	
DESCRIPTION			
Orange yellow bright light tavelled fast across sky, followed by another within 30 secs and repeated around 10 times. 3 balls of light - 1 on top, 2 either side. No sound.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Fast			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Friend			
REMARKS			

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A81 to
Strathblane

Our Ref: UFO Report

21 October 2009

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC2 Section 40

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To: Section 40
Subject: Release-Authorised: UFO Report Response
Attachments: 20091021 Section 40 UFO-Desk-Strathblane-U.doc

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**Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC DHd1** **Section 40****From:** **Section 40****Sent:** 19 October 2009 23:05**To:** Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1**Subject:** ufo sighting

I would like to report a sighting last night (18/10/09) I was travelling home to Strathblane on A81 when in front of the campsie hills appeared three orange lights traveling west to east direction they were visible for a while but soon disappeared behind clouds, we pulled our car in to milndavie road where a car pulled in and stopped also. A further orange light came from nowhere again and seemed to be above us again disappeared soon after. These lights were definately not from an aircraft. It was a weird experiance!.

This is not the first time we have witnessed these strange orange lights we also noted on our callander on 26/6/09 when from our house window we watched at least eight this time travelling west they remain visible for a while then just seem to go.

I would be interested to know if you have recieved anymore reports of these ufo's.

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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
18 Oct 09		A81 to Strathblane	
DESCRIPTION			
3 orange lights appeared then deisappeared behind clouds. Further orange light and disappeared again.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
On road - A81			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
West to east			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Wife			
REMARKS			
Saw something on 26/6/09			



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Kirkcaldy
00:25

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Our Ref: UFO Report

19 October 2009

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UFO Report

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16 Oct 09	00:25	Kirkaldy	
DESCRIPTION			
Orange lights front and back with white lights chasing sounded like fireworks but no flashes			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
South to North			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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17 Oct 09	22:45	Nepan?	Orpington Kent
DESCRIPTION			
25 Lights red and orange with vapour trail, disappearing into blue green colours, spinning.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Heading towards Gravesend direction			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
spinning			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Son and Niece			
REMARKS			



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Edinburgh
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Our Ref: UFO Report

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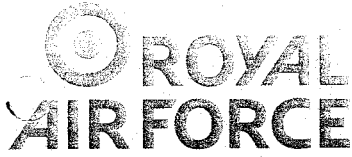
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09 Oct 09	21:45	Edinburgh	Midlothian
DESCRIPTION			
No details			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No details left			

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Luton
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Our Ref: UFO Report

16 October 2009

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08 Oct 09	01:55	Luton	Beds
DESCRIPTION			
Red & Green lights in sky with twinkles underneath, 3-4 minutes hovering, shot up and came back down, and hovered then shot off. Funny noises on mobile phone recorded.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Funny noises recorded on phone			





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UFO Report

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10 Oct 09	19:10	Huddersfield	West Yorkshire
DESCRIPTION			
Bright orange light travelling slowly			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Slowly			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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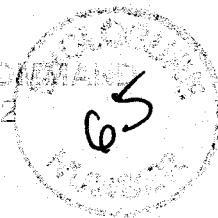
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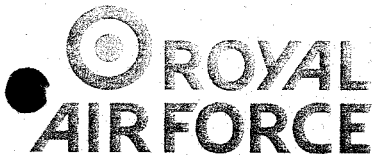


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UFO Report

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16 Oct 09	00:25	Kirkaldy	
DESCRIPTION			
Orange lights front and back with white lights chasing sounded like fireworks but no flashes			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
South to North			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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Livingston
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Our Ref: UFO Report

16 October 2009

20:45

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10 Oct 09	20:45	Edinburgh	Midlothian
DESCRIPTION			
2 objects, no sound. One object 3 weeks ago			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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16 October 2009

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UFO Report

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11 Oct 09	14:39	Crosby	Liverpool
DESCRIPTION			
triangle shape, with an orange ball in the middle, no noise			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Going West to Crosby			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



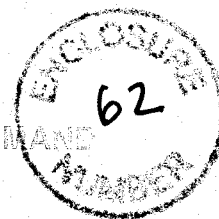
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16 October 2009

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UFO Report

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13 Oct 09	10:00	Birchington	Kent
DESCRIPTION			
Bright lights moving closer			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
In Garden			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Moving closer			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Girlfriend			
REMARKS			



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<http://www.nmm.ac.uk/contact/astronomy/>. Similarly, the Met

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Yours sincerely

[Original Signed]

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*ref to Met Office
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Subject: Sighting above Willsbridge, Bristol.
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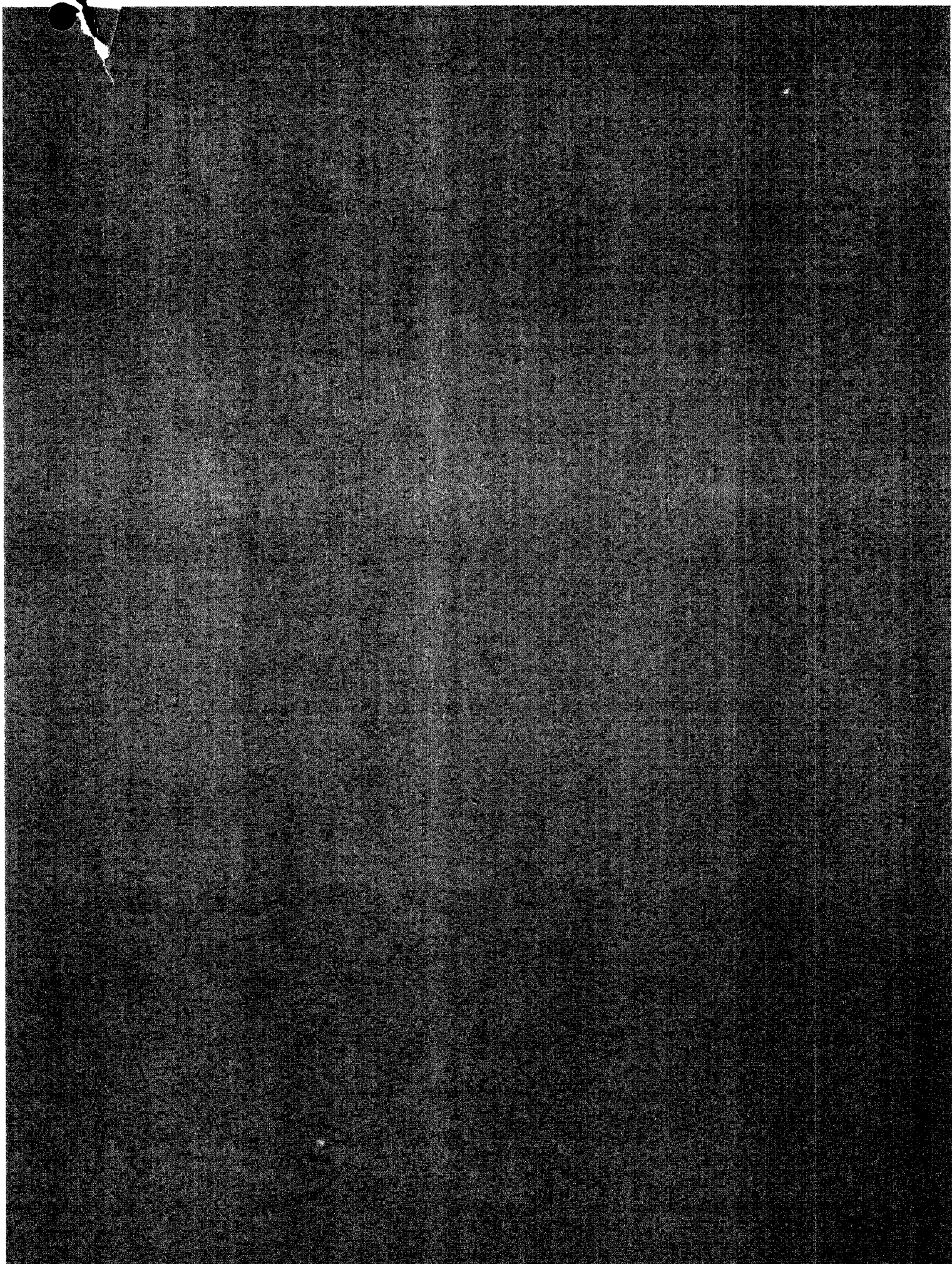
My partner and I saw three objects at at 6pm today. We live in Willsbridge, Bristol. I photographed two of them. I was wondering if you could tell me how to find out if they are satellites/weather balloons as we dont know how to find out what they were. They disappeared behind the Cirrus clouds and didn't reappear. We saw them for about 10 minutes and they appeared stationary in the sky. it did look as though they changed shape from cigar to round but they were so far up we couldnt tell. they also appeared to be either red or white alternately.

I have attached the best photo, i do have a few more.

Thankyou for your time,

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Our Ref:
UFO Reports

13 October 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your report of an 'unidentified flying object' seen on 10 October over Beaumaris, Anglesey. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence (MOD) for correspondence related to UFOs.

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Yours sincerely

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**

Sent: 10 October 2009 23:28

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: Possible sighting 10/10/09

2310 on the 10th Oct 2009 Beaumaris, Anglesey.

I saw two triangular orange lights appear to the east one after another about 10 seconds apart, moving slowly further east in a seemingly flat trajectory they then faded away.

Perhaps these were parachute flares, although they tend to spiral downwards with visible smoke. These objects made no sound at this distance.

If you want to reply, please use this address

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Halesowen
West Midlands

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12 October 2009

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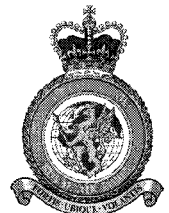
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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 [Section 40]

Standard response

From: [Section 40]

Sent: 08 October 2009 07:30

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: Reporting a sighting

Dear Sirs,

I would like to report a sighting by both my husband and myself.

The sighting took place on Sunday 4th October 2009 at 19.25. Our address is [Section 40] [Section 40] Halesowen, West Midlands [Section 40]. We were stood in the garden admiring the cloud formations when we saw two orange glows, travelling quite fast, one in front of the other. Our garden faces NNE. As they approached the one behind caught up and they both turned quite sharply and headed East. As they turned it was just possible to make out their shape which appeared triangular or arrow shaped.

Thank you for your time.

Yours

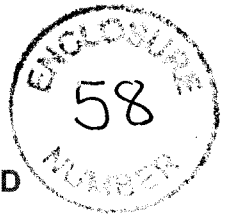
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Email: Section 40

Our Ref:
Air/CmdSec/BusSec/M&C/Parl/TOC/2009

12 October 2009

Dear Section 40

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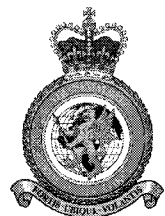
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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 [Section 40]

From: [Section 40]
Sent: 09 October 2009 01:36
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: UFO sighting
Attachments: warning.htm

To whom it may concern...

I wish to report a UFO sighting in Southgate London [Section 40]

It was roughly 11pm 8th Oct, when i looked out of my kitchen window and saw 3 red/orange coloured lights, in the shape of a triangle, it looked as though they were on a solid object... I asked my daughter to grab the video camera quick and she just caught the strange object/lights coming over the back, it was silent and looked as though it had an exhaust type object coming from it..

I have attached the video footage...please feel free to contact me on [Section 40] or [Section 40] and ask for [Section 40]

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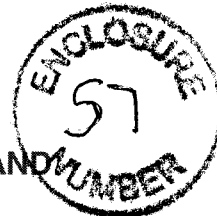
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Send
Nr Woking
Surrey

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Our Ref: UFO Reports

12 October 2009

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
03 Oct 09		Woking	Surrey
DESCRIPTION			
Eight lights at intervals, slowly flying			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Moving west to east			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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Chipping Sodbury
Bristol

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Our Ref: UFO Reports

12 October 2009

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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
04 Oct 09		Chipping Sodbury	Bristol
DESCRIPTION			
Ball of fire shot across the sky over her house			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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Eye
Peterborough

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Our Ref: UFO Report

09 October 2009

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	21:22	Peterborough	
DESCRIPTION			
Loads of lights coming over the village, gaining height very quickly			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Heading east			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Quick			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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Ditton
Kent

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Our Ref: UFO Report

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	20:50	Ditton	Kent
DESCRIPTION			
Three bright orange/red lights, followed by another three			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Family			
REMARKS			
Took pictures			



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High Peak
Derbyshire

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Our Ref: UFO Report

09 October 2009

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	12:00	High Peak	Derbyshire
DESCRIPTION			
Eight orange lights over top of house			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Above house			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Floating			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Thought it was a hot air balloon			



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Findhorn
Morayshire

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Jul 04		Forres	Morayshire
DESCRIPTION			
Tiny round silver ball in sky, no trail			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Between Forres and Nairn			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
No far from RAF Kinloss			
APPROX DISTANCE			
Very High			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Flashed across the sky			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Clear blue sks	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Seen in the morning, only reporting now having seen article in the Times			



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London

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Our Ref: UFO Reports

09 October 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your report of an 'unidentified flying object' seen earlier this year over Eltham. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence (MOD) for correspondence related to UFOs.

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With regards to your particular report I can confirm that we have received no other reports of UFO sightings in the Eltham area in the past year.

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We are proud to be a part of the RAF family and to support the armed forces in their mission. We will continue to work closely with them to ensure we meet their needs and provide the best possible service.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

[Name]

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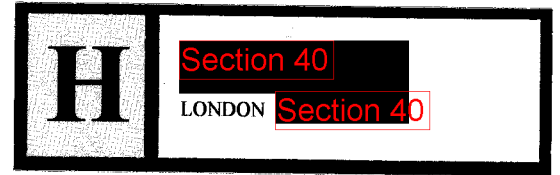
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25/9/09.

Dear Sir or Madam,
A few months ago I saw for a split second what appeared to be a Black shaped square object partly in or silhouette in front of a cloud. It was about 10 PM quite dark. It appeared to be in the direction of Eltham. I thought I would let you know, in case anyone else has seen a similar object. I was in, Eastchurch in August and noticed there was quite a large memorial dedicated to early Aviators ie Short Brothers de-Havilland etc.

From one point on the coastline I believe you can see "GRAIN". I wondered if this part of the world there is U.F.O. activity perhaps some locals might have seen something there.

Thanking you for your
Kind attention.

Yours Faithfully

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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
04 Oct 09	20:30	Pudsey	Leeds
DESCRIPTION			
Incredibly bright light in sky, at first light was white but changed to bright orange. Appeared to be big and pulsating and followed him. Light shot across sky then disappeared.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
1000 ft			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Desk	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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Longlees
Falkirk

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Our Ref: UFO Reports

09 October 2009

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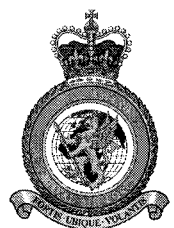
Yours Sincerely

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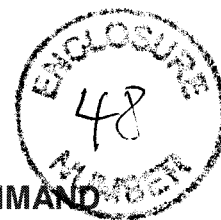


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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	22:00	Grangemouth	
DESCRIPTION			
Two bright orange objects. One from south at ferocious speed, then dead halt with others. Not man-made, no sound			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Between Grangemouth and Forth Bridge			
HOW OBSERVED			
Nake Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
SE heading NE			
APPROX DISTANCE			
Low elevation "in front of us"			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Overcast	ATC Prestwick	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Daughter-in-law			
REMARKS			



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Sudbury

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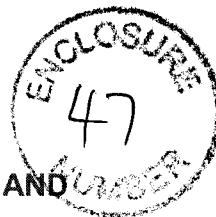
UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
25 Sep 09	20:45	Long Melford	Suffolk
DESCRIPTION			
Pulsating/shimmering object flashing red, blue and green			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Through telescope			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/NE just below constellations of Ursha Major and Gemini			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Pulsating/shimmering			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Partner			
REMARKS			
Been observing object for one month and object looks as though it's getting nearer			



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Ammanford

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Email Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

09 October 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your report of an 'unidentified flying object' seen on 19 September 2009 over Betws, Ammanford. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence (MOD) for correspondence related to UFOs.

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With regards to this particular report, I can confirm that we have received no other reports of UFO sightings in the Dyfed area on the 19 September.

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Yours Sincerely

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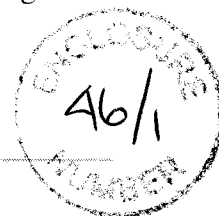
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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
19 Sep 09	20:15	Betws	Dyfed
DESCRIPTION			
Three objects, like bright orange tennis balls stuck together flying across the sky.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Over Betws, Ammanford			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	Journalist	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Approx 2 dozen			
REMARKS			
"Lots of concerned people"			



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From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

Sent: 05 October 2009 12:59

To: **Section 40**

Subject: Release-Authorised: 20091005-UFO Report **Section 40** Hove-U

Dear **Section 40**

I am writing with reference to your e-mailed report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 3 October 2009 over Hove. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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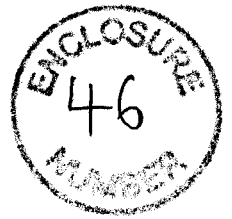
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Sent: 05 October 2009 10:40
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk (MULTIUSER); Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: FW: Low Flying Complaints

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Sent: 03 October 2009 22:18
To: Low Flying (MULTIUSER)
Subject: Low Flying Complaints

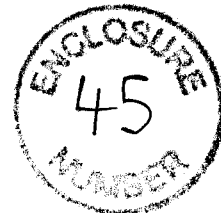
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txtlastname: **Section 40**
txtaddress1: **Section 40**
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txttowncity: Hove
txtstatecountry: East Sussex
txtzipcodepostcode: **Section 40**
txttelephone: **Section 40**
txtcountry: United Kingdom
txtemailAddress: **Section 40**
txtincident: 21:50 03/10/2009
txtrequest: 2 bright unidentified objects in the sky. Disk shaped with a red light that goes into yellow then back again. 1 of them the light was going off then on, and then they both went out. It looked that there was only 1 light on the ship.



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
05 Oct 09		Aberporth	Ceridigion
DESCRIPTION			
UFO seen			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Call cut off after less than 30 seconds			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
05 Oct 09		Cardiff	
DESCRIPTION			
Two objects seen in sky			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No address left			



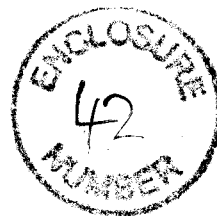
UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
05 Oct 09			Sussex
DESCRIPTION			
Two bright lights hovered, then turned north and headed in land			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Heading north			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	Sussex Police	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Brother			
REMARKS			
No address left			



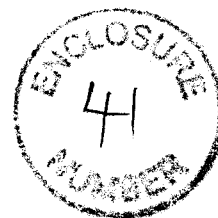
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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
04 Oct 09			South Penines
DESCRIPTION			
Bright orange lights in the sky			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	Lancashire Police	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
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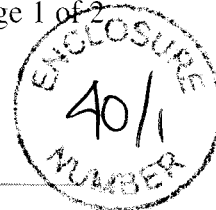
UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
04 Oct 09		Stonehaven	Aberdeenshire
DESCRIPTION			
White and red lights moved around			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	Grampian Police	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No usable address left			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
03 Oct 09			Kent
DESCRIPTION			
Little moon thing			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No address left			



Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 Section 40

From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 Section 40

Sent: 02 October 2009 14:42

To: Section 40

Subject: Release-Authorised: 20091002 UFO Report Section 40 Liverpool-U

Dear Section 40

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From: **Section 40**
Sent: 02 October 2009 08:46
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: UFO sighting in Maghull Liverpool

Hi,

I would like to report a UFO sighting that occurred on Sunday 27th September in Maghull Liverpool at around 9.15pm.

I first spotted it as I approached the central square in Maghull, it was a perfect rectangle, about the length of a car but maybe only 3 foot wide. It had a light on either end, and at first I thought it was just some type of unusual plane but its movements were very unusual. It started swaying a bit like a seesaw in the air, then swooped all around like a bird, coming right down to just above street light level then up again. I followed it all through Maghull, until it reached a wooded area and I got a bit scared then so I went home.

As I pulled into my estate I saw it again (I assume it was the same one) it was hovering over the play park in the centre of the housing estate. I pulled over to watch it as it swooped and swayed in the sky. All of a sudden it swooped down low and as it came back up just vanished before my eyes.

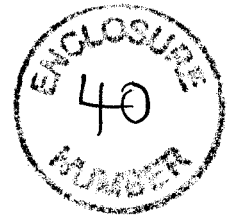
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Yours

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
02 Oct 09	20:45	Hastings	East Sussex
DESCRIPTION			
Saw eight oranges lights on an oblong shaped object, no noise.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No usable address left			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
Oct 09	00:00	Chippenham	Wiltshire
DESCRIPTION			
Lights not sure what number			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
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Our Ref: UFO Report

30 September 2009

Dear Section 40

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we have received no other reports of UFO sightings so far from Connahs Quay for 29 September 2009.

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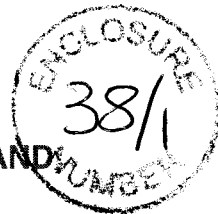
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30 September 2009

Dear Section 40

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From: **Section 40**
Sent: 27 September 2009 20:39
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: UFO sighting - RAF Northolt

I am currently serving in the RAF living in married quarters 2 miles away from RAF Northolt. On 27 Sep 2009 at 2040 and then at 2045 myself and 3 others witnessed 2 unexplained flying objects. The objects looked like balls of fire heading from North to South towards RAF Northolt. As they approached Northolt the lights (fireball) went out however the craft was still visible and was in the shape of a 'jellyfish type dome'.

I have witnessed many flying objects throughout my career in the RAF and can honestly say I have never seen anything of this nature.

The sky was very busy at the time with Heathrow traffic and these 2 resembled nothing ever seen before. The crafts were not travelling particularly fast and were approximately 5 minutes apart.

I feel embarrassed being in the military and not able to explain these sightings however we all felt that they should be reported.

Please feel free to contact me with any other questions that you may have.

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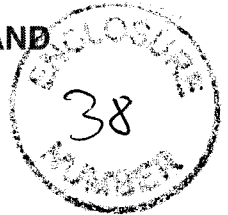
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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we have received no other reports of UFO sightings so far from Letchworth for 26 September 2009.

I am sorry I could not be more helpful.

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From: CIO-CI-AccessOps4 Section 40
Sent: 28 September 2009 11:59
To: Air CmdSecCS-RAFParliBusiness (MULTIUSER)
Subject: Release-Authorised: FOI written request PF 28-09-2009-115411-003 Section 40

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Blue

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One for you.

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CIO-CI-AccessOps4

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-----Original Message-----

From: no-reply@feedback.mod.uk [mailto:no-reply@feedback.mod.uk]
Sent: 28 September 2009 11:07
To: CIO-FOI (MULTIUSER)
Subject: FOI written request PF 28-09-2009-115411-003 Section 40

This request has been received via www.mod.uk.

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txtfirstname: Section 40
txtlastname: Section 40
txtaddress1: Section 40
txtaddress2: Section 40
txttowncity: letchworth
txtstatecountry: hertfordshire
txtzipcodepostcode: Section 40
txtcountry: UK
txtemailAddress: Section 40
txtinforequest: we was driving home at about 10.30 pm on the 26th sept and saw a orange object in the sky getting higher and higher it kinda looked like a plastic bag with a flame in the middle. but it was round and glowing. and as i got my camera out it stoped in the middle of the sky and disappered.

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Section 40

Lincoln
Lincolnshire

Our Ref: UFO Report

29 September 2009

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 27 September over Lincoln, details of which have been passed to us by RAF Waddington. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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I sorry I could not be more helpful.

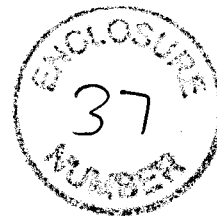
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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
27 Sep 09	19:40	Lincoln	Lincolnshire
DESCRIPTION			
Could not see a defined shape but no noise, no rear, port or starboard lights. Two coned lights (yellow and white) flickering randomly. Finally disappeared into cloud.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Heading west to east			
APPROX DISTANCE			
0.5 miles away			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Not too low, not too fast. Started off low ascended and levelled out. Finally disappeared into			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
High cloud- Few low clouds g	RAF Waddington	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			

UFO Report

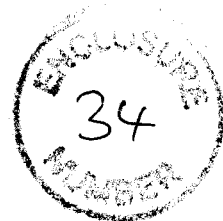


DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	22:32	Matlock	Derbyshire
DESCRIPTION			
Saw three orange lights, then as they rounded a corner saw five in formation. No noise.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
In Car			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Off A38			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Started changing positions then disappeared.			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Friend			
REMARKS			
No address left			



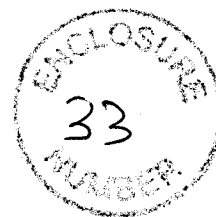
UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	21:50	Formby	Lancashire
DESCRIPTION			
Large luminous, pulsating object changed colour and shape			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
N/A			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Quick			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Took pictures, no address left			



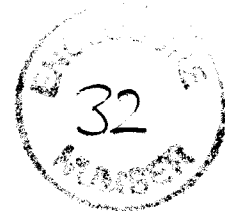
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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	21:30	Cradley Heath	West Midlands
DESCRIPTION			
Seven lights			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Over Barrs Road			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
One other			
REMARKS			
Advised by police who saw strange object at 23:00. No address left.			



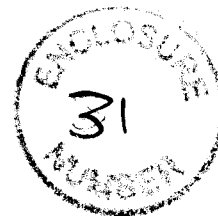
UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
26 Sep 09	20:00	Tattershall	Lincolnshire
DESCRIPTION			
Three separate orange lights with no sound, hovered for approx 40 minutes then blanked out of sight			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
Above Tattershal Castle			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
From Tattershall to Conningsby			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Hovered			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Clear	Lincolnshire Police	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
3 local lads			
REMARKS			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
25 Sep 09	20:45	Long Melford	Suffolk
DESCRIPTION			
Pulsating/shimmering object flashing red, blue and green			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Through telescope			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/NE just below constellations of Ursha Major and Gemini			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Pulsating/shimmering			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Partner			
REMARKS			
Been observing object for one month and object looks as though it's getting nearer			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
24 Sep 09	23:40	Hednesford	Staffordshire
DESCRIPTION			
Large orange light, stopped for several minutes and then disappeared			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	Staffordshire Police	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Contact does not require feedback			



REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	13 SEP 09 2025 - 2035 A
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	7 OBJECTS IN TOTAL, SILENT, NO DISCERNABLE SHAPE DUE TO EACH EMITTING BRIGHT AMBER LIGHT. ONE GROUP OF THREE LIGHTS, THEN SINGLES
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	SHEPTON MALLET, SOMERSET. OBSERVED FROM OUTSIDE OF PROPERTY
4.	How object was observed. (Naked eye, binoculars, other optical device, camera or camcorder.)	SEEN THROUGH NAKED EYE, THEN NVG. ESTIMATED HEIGHT - 1500 FT
5.	Direction in which object was first seen. (A landmark may be more helpful than a roughly estimated bearing.)	OVERHEAD SHEPTON MALLET, MOVING EAST - SOUTH EAST
6.	Approximate distance.	1/2 MILE
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	OBJECTS TRACKED APPROX 120° AT ABOUT 100 KTS, THEN TURNED RIGHT ONTO SOUTH, TRACKING TOWARDS YEDEVILTON
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	CLEAR VISIBILITY BELOW SCATTERED CLOUD
9.	To whom reported. (Police, military, press etc)	-
10.	Name, address and telephone no of informant.	LT CDR Section 40 Section 40 SHEPTON MALLET Section 40 WORK TEL: Section 40
11.	Other witnesses.	Section 40 SHEPTON MALLET Section 40
12.	Remarks.	I AM A MILITARY AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER WITH 27 YRS EXPERIENCE IN AVIATION. THESE OBJECTS WERE NOT SHOWING NAV. LIGHTS, NOR EMITTING ANY NOISE, NEITHER WERE THEY ON ANY ESTABLISHED AIR ROUTE. I AM CURRENTLY AWAITING A PLAYBACK OF LOCAL RADAR RECORDINGS -
13.	Date and time of receipt.	

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* Arriving up from RNAS Merryfield radar.
Have spoken to Lt Cdr Section 40 he is involved
in the subject.
NFA unless there is any other witness.

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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

30 September 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your email of 19 September reporting an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 17 September, over Worthing. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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Yours sincerely

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 **Section 40**

From: Low Flying (MULTIUSER) [LowFlying@mod.uk]
Sent: 21 September 2009 07:32
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: FW: Unidentified Flying Object Aviation Report with address

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 19 September 2009 18:50
To: Low Flying (MULTIUSER)
Subject: Unidentified Flying Object Aviation Report with address

Unidentified Flying Object Aviation Report

Dear Sir/Madam

After contacting the CAA and NATS on the evening of the 17th Sept 2009 I was referred to the MoD and having spoken to a representative of the MoD I was asked to file a report to the low flying dept of the MoD.

Firstly I am not simply an un educated member of the public with little understanding of aviation I am a former Member of **Section 40** Technical Aircrew and flew as a Flight Loadmaster and Flight Mechanic operating from the flight deck from **Section 40** and briefly continued flying freelance as a Flight Loadmaster & Flight Mechanic. Additionally I trained as a pilot in **Section 40** Upper Heyford USAF's Aero Club in Oxfordshire. I am also a former Flight Lieutenant in the **Section 40** and was a member of **Section 40** at RAF Odiham and lastly commanded the RAF **Section 40** I have gained a total of 3000 hours in the air in one capacity or another.

On the evening of the seventeenth September 2009. I was standing on the patio of my back garden with two friends having a cigarette brake. The area I live in is on the edge of town and is semi rural and is not particularly affected by light pollution as I live in **Section 40** Worthing West Sussex **Section 40** around 21:40 I noticed an extremely bright star like light in the sky it looked like a bright star and was the brightest light in the sky. The single white light was travelling at the sort of speed I would expect a commercial aircraft travelling below FL100 and I estimated that its altitude was between 6000ft and FL100 but no high than that. The heading was around 120 to 140 and its speed was between 180 kts and no faster than 250knts at the time it was flying straight and level. The aircraft made no sound what so ever, there were no high bypass gas turbine jet engines or the sound of helicopter blades turning which I would normally expect to hear from a helicopter. We regularly get the local police helicopter flying over the house at night time and it was not making the sound of a twin squirrel helicopter which is the local aircraft type used by Sussex police.

I am always sceptical about such things as "UFO's" However there was no anti collision beacon lights no strobe lights or navigation lights just a single ball of brilliant white high candela large ball of light and it was not any form of commercial aircraft or conventional military aircraft. Having established in my mind that this was not a normal type of aircraft what so ever and did not display any normal forms of required navigation lighting or viewable fuselage. All three of us then witnessed the following:

The aircraft continued to fly at about 180knts along the heading of about 120 and then started to climb vertically there was no visible change attitude of the aircraft it simply started to climb upwards at a tremendous speed way beyond any military aircraft, and within less than 10 seconds or so the white ball of light which had shown so brightly in the night sky was at an altitude well above that of any commercial aircraft or UK military aircraft in fact it disappeared at that point it was now a dim moving light which

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disappeared in to a faint light and was gone. I'm no astronaut but I am interested in space travel and I would have said that the light was leaving the atmosphere of our planet.

All three of us witnessed this first light and within the next three to five minutes at around 21:45 a second ball of light appeared again on a heading of around 130 degrees and behaved in a the same way as the first again it had no navigation lights or anti collision beacon or strobes just a single ball of white light this seemed to be flying at around 6,000ft and was steadily climbing at a more conventional air speed one would expect from a commercial aircraft. An as it reached around FL100 the aircraft "Craft" made an abrupt turn which was completed much quicker than could be achieved in a commercial or military aircraft and seemed to be on a new heading of roughly 160 to 180 degrees and then like the other craft rapidly climbed tens of thousands of feet in around fifteen seconds. The sky was cavok and the light ended up getting fainter and fainter until it appeared to have reached space.

I have seen a similar bright light before however the last time I saw such a light was in the summer of 2005 it travelled directly over my home and passed over my neighbours roof and when I looked up again realising that it made no sound and had no navigation lights which was seconds later I looked for it expecting to see it as I placed myself in a clear view to see the craft only seconds later it was gone.

Now I have no idea what you plan to do with this report if anything at all but I state for the records that the information I have provided is the truth.

Kind regards

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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

29 September 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your email of 28 September, reporting 'unidentified flying objects', seen on 26 September over Chatham, Kent. I have been asked to reply 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 can confirm that we have received no other reports of UFO sightings so far from Chatham for 26 September 2009.

I am sorry I could not be more helpful.

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 28 September 2009 23:04
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: Sighting

Good evening.

This morning, I tried 3 times to call your published telephone number, 01494 496254, but the automated response system advised that there was no-one to take the call, nor could a message be left.

On Saturday evening, I parked my car in Chatham, Kent at 19:22 and my partner went to get a ticket. I looked up over a building and saw two orange balls of light approaching relatively slowly from a northerly direction. From my viewpoint, I estimated them to be about ½ mile away and at about 2000-3000 ft. One ball of light was leading, with the other behind it and keeping track on its port side. A third ball of light then appeared, also from the same direction. The first two seemed to stop their forward motion, hover for a second, then turned and climbed away in a west to north-westerly direction at an approximate angle of 45 degrees. A few seconds later, the third ball did precisely the same. The entire incident was over in about 30 seconds, with my partner witnessing the departure of the third 'ball'. There was no sound of any engines, nor were there navigation or strobe lights.

I did manage to get one photograph of the departing 3rd 'ball' using the camera on my cell phone, but it is very indistinct.

I would be very grateful if you could clarify what these objects may have been and if they were witnessed by anyone else.

I would also appreciate your confirmation of receipt of this e-mail.

Kind regards

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**From: **Section 40**

Sent: 28 September 2009 18:43

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: Report from Ex Royal Air Force (Service no **Section 40**)

STANLEY
REPLY
PLEASE

Section 40

Westbury-On-Trym.
Bristol.

Section 40**Section 40**Tel : **Section 40**Mob: **Section 40**

Hi.

I am Ex Royal Air Force (Service no **Section 40**) and have considerable experience with most of the Bomber and Fighter aircraft dating back to the 1960's. I have worked with military aircraft until I retired a few years ago, so have a very good idea as to what can be classified as UFO, Military or weather related sightings.

I have tried several times to report the following to a Ministry Of Defense Official both via the internal military phone numbers beginning 95 & 96 and the civilian 24hr line 01494 496254 to no avail. So am sending this email for your attention as a matter of urgency.

On Saturday 24th September 2009 between 21.55hrs and 22.05hrs, I and my Wife witnessed a constant stream of about 15 to 20 very bright orange lights spaced about half a mile apart and in a perfectly straight line traveling from the South West toward the North East.

They were at a height of about 20,000 feet and kept a very precise distance between each other. The first of these lights came to a stop whilst the second light came up closer to it and also stopped. While motionless in the sky, these first two lights started to fade until they could no longer be seen. As the first two vanished from sight so another of these orange lights moved into the same area and stopped.

It was joined by the fourth orange light and that too started to fade until it could no longer be seen. This whole process continued until all of the orange lights had disappeared. (all in exactly the same area.)

In all, this process took about ten minutes from start to finish.

During this time I had got hold of my binoculars to see if I could get a better view of these lights, but

could not see through the very bright and intense orange glow, so was unable to determine the source.

Most regrettably I did not have any camera to hand so could not capture the events on film.

Also during this "Spectacular Parade" of lights a Jet Airliner flew underneath them on a course from East

to West (part of the commercial air corridor) so must have had a close up view. The Aircraft was flying at

about 15,000 feet. Apart from this airliner we heard no sound whatsoever from any of these bright

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orange lights.

The sky was completely clear with no cloud and the stars were clearly visible.

In my view these sightings fit very definitely into the UFO category.

Bearing in mind that such precision in their maneuvering and flight paths would indicate intelligent control, this sighting should warrant immediate investigation by the Ministry Of Defense.

Local newspapers have apparently had no reports from the general public in relation to this event. Neither have I found any report about these bright orange lights on the Internet.

What I have since found however, is an almost identical sighting reported in the website at the following url:

<http://dandare.wordpress.com/2008/04/08/national-ufo-reporting-centre-a-wealth-of-ufo-information/#comment-5583>

containing this report:

Section 40 said

September 13, 2009 at 9:37 am

Last night 12 September 2009 at 1030 pm we saw at least 20 bright orange lights, low in the sky moving fairly fast and completely silent following a similar trajectory one after the other over Henley in Arden. A car stopped to say he had seen at least 35 of them all following each other exactly. Any ideas?

This has started to ring alarm bells as it points to the possibility that our defense systems could be under scrutiny from an unknown source and may become vulnerable to some form of action from that unknown source.

I would be very grateful if you could take this matter seriously and launch an investigation into these events.(I say events due to the report on 13th September

2009 by **Section 40** who has witnessed an almost identical event just a week or so before the incident that my Wife and I had witnessed)

You are very welcome to contact me at any of the above telephone numbers or via return email for any further information.

Yours faithfully.

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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

29 September 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your email and photograph of the strange sighting you saw on 27 September over Deal. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 28 September 2009 10:25
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: ufo sighting
Attachments: ufo.JPG

Dear Sirs,

Whilst in my garden on Sunday 27th September 2009 Location Deal in Kent time about 11:15am I spotted something strange in the sky, I got my camera and took the attached photo.

Is there a logical explanation has to what is on the photo.

Kind Regards

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Kent

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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

29 September 2009

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**

Sent: 26 September 2009 23:09

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: ufo sighting

Dear Sir/Madam

We have just witnessed two orangey/red dots in the sky at 10:30pm tonight on the 26/9/09 we are in Farncombe in Godalming Surrey, and at first they seemed to be quite still but after watching them for a further few minutes they moved slowly adjacent to one another then one disappeared, and the other followed about a minute later as there were two aircrafts coming in to view, I tried in vain to get a photo on my mobile although I doubt they have come out very well.

Have you an explanation of what this could have been? I will of course try and upload my pics tomorrow, and if you wish me to email them to you please don't hesitate to ask.

Kind regards

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28/09/2009

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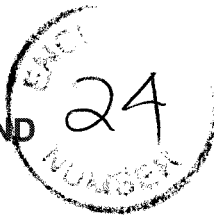
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Section 40

Lincoln
Lincolnshire

Our Ref: UFO Report

29 September 2009

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REPORT OF AN UNEXPLAINED AERIAL SIGHTING

1.	Date and time of sighting. (Duration of sighting.)	Sun 27 Sep 09 1940L
2.	Description of object. (No of objects, size, shape, colour, brightness, noise.)	He couldn't see a defined shape, but no noise, no rear, port or starboard lights. 2 coned lights (yellow + white) flashing randomly.
3.	Exact position of observer. Geographical location. (Indoors/outdoors, stationary/moving.)	Section 40 He started indoors + went outdoors to get a better look.
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.)	Heading West → East 0.5 miles due South of his location
6.	Approximate distance.	0.5 miles away
7.	Movements and speed. (side to side, up or down, constant, moving fast, slow)	Not too fast, not too slow Started off low, ascended + leveled out. Finally disappeared into cloud.
8.	Weather conditions during observation. (cloudy, haze, mist, clear)	High cloud Few low clouds going across the moon
9.	To whom reported. (Police, military, press etc)	Police 10 mins later + they suggested to report the sighting to us.
10.	Name, address and telephone no of informant.	Section 40 Section 40 Lincoln
11.	Other witnesses.	Nil
12.	Remarks.	Not a UFO believer - thinks it may be an a/c but no sound + non-standard lighting has puzzled him. He requests a call back asap just to put his mind at rest.
13.	Date and time of receipt.	28 1839L SEP 09

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Section 40

Kings Lynn
Norfolk

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Our Ref: UFO Report

28 September 2009

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 20 September 2009 over Harpley, details of which were passed to us by MOD Low Flying. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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From: Low Flying (MULTIUSER) [LowFlying@mod.uk]
Sent: 22 September 2009 07:30
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: FW: Low Flying Complaints

-----Original Message-----

From: no-reply@feedback.mod.uk [mailto:no-reply@feedback.mod.uk]
Sent: 21 September 2009 14:02
To: Low Flying (MULTIUSER)
Subject: Low Flying Complaints

This request has been received via www.mod.uk.

txtfirstname: **Section 40**
txtlastname: **Section 40**
txtaddress1: **Section 40**
txtaddress2: **Section 40**

txttowncity: Kings Lynn

txtstatecountry: Norfolk

txtzipcodepostcode: **Section 40**

txttelephone: **Section 40**

txtcountry: UK

txtemailAddress: **Section 40**

txtincident: 20/09/09 approx 7.45pm

txtrequest: I'm not making a complaint, I am informing you of a possible UFO incident. Yesterday ,my wife and my mother-in-law(whilst driving into Harpley) witnessed two orange lights travelling over the village of Harpley in the direction of Kings Lynn (motion appeared to be diagonal rather than forward). The orange lights were not flickering and neither did they flash. Distance between lights approx 10 metres. The lights were travelling at low speed and appeared to be around 60 feet above the ground. My wife stopped the car to listen (expecting to hear a helicopter), but there was no sound, she then drove on in order to inform me that something odd was happening, but then she turned the car around to check the object again but it had disappeared. We have informed the police and apparently a similiar event was witnessed by somebody else in Kings Lynn the day before.

I suppose it is possible the object was a glider or some form of stealth aircraft or some geophysical event. It did not appear to a chinese lantern (not flickering and 2 lights moving in unison).

I thought it was prudent to inform you in the interests of safety, since low flying military aircraft do fly over quite frequently (RAF Marham) and I wouldnt want a collison to happen!

I would be grateful for an explanantion...if you can provide one.

Thank you

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Our Ref: UFO Report

28 September 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your email of 24 September, reporting of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 24 September over Bradford. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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Yours sincerely

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 24 September 2009 23:24
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: FW: Delivery Status Notification (Failure)
Attachments: ATT00001.txt; UFO

i would like to report a UFO over Thornton rd Bradford at approx time of 02.12h on the 24Th Sept 2009 i have 2 photos on my mobile . it was of a round yellowish white colour and was moving slowly towards Bradford town center west Yorkshire i would say that i had a very clear view of the UFO for about 2-3 min it had no additional flashing lights and there was no noise like what a helicopter makes ..i was working at the time i saw the UFO and tried to follow were it went but when i got to the main road it had vanished

my email is **Section 40**

phone number is **Section 40**

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thank you

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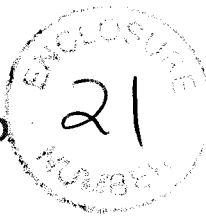
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Our Ref: UFO Report

24 September 2009

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**

Sent: 23 September 2009 23:20

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: orange orbs

Hello

I have just seen 6 orange orbs floating in an arc in the sky in Earlsdon Coventry. They all followed the same trajectory and faded at similar points in the sky. I have never seen anything like this before. I was sober and this took place at 22.30 hrs tonight (22/09/09) They were present in the sky for few minutes only. It was a very bizarre experience and I just thought I would write and let you know!

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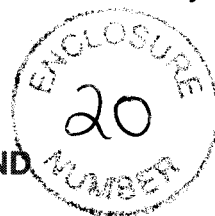
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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 [Section 40]

From: [Section 40]
Sent: 23 September 2009 19:50
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: Ufo sighting in Mulbarton
Attachments: UFO.doc

Please find attached in depth description of incident on 20/09/2009 at approx 1845 hours. I would be more than happy to give anykind of interview. These were real, there is no doubt about that.

[Section 40]. Contact [Section 40]



At approximately 1835 hrs I was contacted by my mother asking if I had seen the colourful light in the sky. I went outside but nothing could be seen, however I decided to sit out for a while. At approx 1845 two Orbs of light rose from behind the nearby houses. One was distinctly ahead of the other. I would say these objects were no more than half a mile away if that, perhaps even a few hundred metres. They rose in the western sky.

The lead UFO rose quicker than the other but extremely gracefully, heading toward my direction. Instantly I knew what I was seeing, this was no ordinary craft. Suddenly to my amazement the lead craft stopped dead in mid air! It then backtracked for a second or two, then it rose directly vertically approx 200 – 500 metres again stopping dead. There was absolutely no noise whatsoever and we live in silence in Mulbarton. It appeared the lead craft was almost waiting for the other which as it came within 50 metres both craft headed off into the distance rising up eventually through the clouds.

The best description of the ufos is as follows.

The lead craft was slightly brighter than the first.

Each was a colour that I will describe as orange, however they were more than that. As they were so close at one stage I could see that they were made up of many merging colours that radiated outward. They were obviously emitting an extreme energy but in total silence. I would also say that gravity did not appear to affect them. They left no vapour trail.

As they rose from such a very low level I believe it possible that they may of actually been on the ground nearby. I live very close to a very wooded area surrounded by fields.

My wife is the biggest alien doubter of all time, however at the first sighting I shouted through our kitchen window to her to come quick. She to saw them and was amazed at what she was seeing.

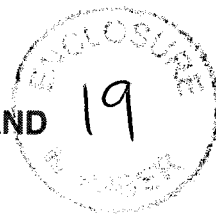
These were defiantly ufos, no doubt whatsoever. They were not aircraft with lights on head on. There is only one Venus, which was clearly visible anyhow. Also Venus is further away than a few hundred yards. And Chinese Lanterns is laughable.

My biggest regret is that I could not video the event. I believe the video would have been the utmost confirmation of the existence of ufos ever. Nothing on Earth is coloured like that. Nothing can stop dead in the sky. Nothing floats like that in total silence. These were real and I just want everyone to know it.



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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

24 September 2009

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 Section 40

From: Section 40

Sent: 23 September 2009 22:33

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: UFO Sighting in Gloucestershire

Report a sighting:

On the 23rd of September 2009, at 9pm 6 strange lights flew low with no sound of engines with orange, red and other colours. These flew over Moreton-In-Marsh, Gloucestershire.

Regards, Section 40

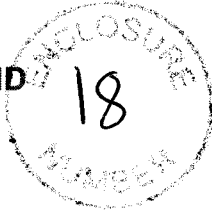
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Section 40

Bromley
Kent

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Our Ref: UFO Report

24 September 2009

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 19 September 2009 over Bromley, 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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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
19 Sep 09	19:40	Bromley	Kent
DESCRIPTION			
A bright orange light moving across the sky no noise.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Looked through binoculars and object looked as though it was on fire			



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Section 40

Huddersfield
West Yorkshire

Our Ref: UFO Report

24 September 2009

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying objects', seen on 19 September 2009 over Sheepridge, details of which were passed to us by the West Yorkshire Police. This office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
19 Sep 09	22:00	Sheepridge	Huddersfield
DESCRIPTION			
Six to eight red lights moving across the skyline.Red spheres with a white centre.Eventually passed over the house from back to the front			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
From bedroom window then went outside			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Approx NE going SW			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	West Yorkshire Police	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
A number of other people			
REMARKS			



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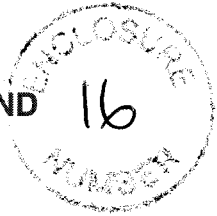
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Arbroath

Angus

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23 September 2009

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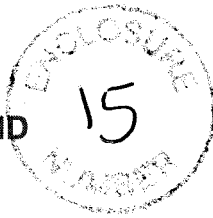
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19 Sep 09	21:35	Arbroath	Angus
DESCRIPTION			
Saw four lights travelling together. One veered off heading East. Three remained in a triangle formation. Two disappeared into the horizon and one light went overhead. Looked like a red fireball no sound			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Heading East			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Partner			
REMARKS			
Initially reported to the Police and RAF Lechuars			

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Section 40

Hardgate
Clydebank
West Dumbartonshire

Our Ref: UFO Report

23 September 2009

Dear Section 40

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With regard to your particular observation, I can confirm that we have received no other reports of UFO sightings so far from Clydebank for 20 September 2009.

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UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
20 Sep 09	23:30	Clydebank	West Dunbartonshire
DESCRIPTION			
Saw five orange lights in the sky in a line.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
N/A			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			



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Section 40

Lockleaze
Bristol

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23 September 2009

Dear Section 40

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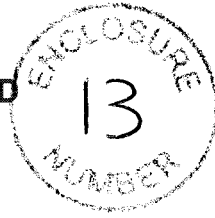


UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
20 Sep 09	20:00	Bristol	Bristol
DESCRIPTION			
A red/orange light passed over head. Looked like a gaseous, golfball with a red rotating light, rotating clockwise inside it.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
West to East			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
Travelling fast			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
Still, no wind	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
Initially thought it was a lantern or balloon			

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Section 40

Glenrothes

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Our Ref: UFO Report

23 September 2009

Dear Section 40

I am writing with reference to your report of an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 1 August 2009 over South Glenrothes, details of which you were passed to us by RAF Leuchars. 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 have received no other reports of UFO sightings so far from Glenrothes for 1 August 2009.

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Royal Air Force Leuchars

St Andrews, Fife, Scotland, KY16 0JX

Telephone: Section 40 (GPTN Section 40)



REPORT ON AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

1. Date, Time and Duration of Sighting: 1 st August 2009 – 2158z – 20 Seconds
2. Description of Object (No. of objects , size, shape, colour, brightness, sound, smell etc): Orange ball of flame, large.
3. Exact Position when Observed (Geographical location, Indoors / Outdoors, Stationary / Moving) : South Glenrothes, Stenton, Initially Indoors. Ran Outside.
4. How Observed (Naked eye, binoculars, Still or Movie Camera / VCR) : Naked Eye.
5. Direction in which object was first seen (possibly with reference to a landmark) : North and North Easterly
6. Angle of Sight (Estimated heights are unreliable) : 30-40°
7. Distance (with reference to a landmark if possible) : No More than ¼ Mile.
8. Movements (Changes in 6, 7 and 8 may be better than estimates of heading and speed) : No – Straight Line.

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9. Weather (moving clouds, visibility) : Slight Cloud.
10. Nearby Objects (Telephone / power lines, lakes, rivers, high structures, airfields, generating plants factories, pits or other sites with floodlights or night lights) : Nil
11. To whom reported (Rank / Name / Place of Work / Contact No) : SAC Section 40 RAF Leuchars ATC Section 40 Ext Section 40
12. Name, Address & Telephone No. of Informant: Section 40 Glenrothes Section 40 Tel: Section 40
13. Any background on Informant that may be volunteered: Nil
14. Other Witnesses: Nil
15. Date & time of Receipt of Report: 1 st August 2009 – 2210z
16. Is a reply requested? Yes.

NOTES:

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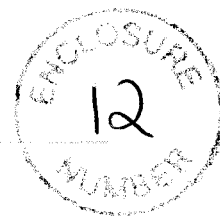
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4. Contact MOD Sec(AS)2A as soon as possible at MOD Main Building **Section 40** or Fax **Section 40**

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 **Section 40**

From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 **Section 40**

Sent: 23 September 2009 11:47

To: **Section 40**

Subject: Release-Authorised: 20090923-UFO Report **Section 40** Shebbear-U

Dear **Section 40**

Thank you for your e-mail of 26 August 2009 reporting a second UFO sighting over Shebbear on 25 August 2009.

As I explained in my letter of 21 August 2009, the Ministry of Defence (MoD) 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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I am sorry I cannot help you further.

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 26 August 2009 22:26
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: ufo

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Beaworthy, Devon,
Section 40

My name is **Section 40** and i recently reported a ufo over Shebbear at roughly 11pm on the 20th of August. I was sent a by Business Secretariat 13 **Section 40** saying that you could not investigate it. However on Tuesday the 25th of August at 11:10 pm I saw the exact same thing in the skies. It got brighter then dimmer a number of times before it moved accross and finally disappeard. I would like a reply by post or email as this its the second second sighting in less than a week. I hope you can look into this and reply to my address. My Adress is stated above.

Yours sincerley **Section 40**



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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

22 September 2009

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From: Section 40
Sent: 21 September 2009 21:50
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: Ufo Sighting
Attachments: SP_A0238.JPG

Hi,

At 8.55pm we Section 40 and Section 40 were walking our dog in Kenilworth, Warwickshire. We had just entered Abbey Fields from Castle Road when a very unusual object flew across the sky in front of us. It travelled from our left across Abbey Fields and in the approximate direction of Tile Hill, Coventry. We watched it for approximately 1.30 minutes. The object was quite low, a cone shape with a circular top. It had an orangey/ red light in the middle and an outer see through red/pink layer. Although a little delayed, Section 40 managed to take a photograph, please see attached. You may need to zoom in to get a clearer picture.

If you require further details please contact

Section 40 on: Section 40 or
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Regards,

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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

22 September 2009

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 Section 40

From: Section 40
Sent: 20 September 2009 12:18
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: RE: UFO SIGHTING

I would like to report a sighting over the south side of Anglesey North Wales. The sighting occurred at 20.19 pm on the 19/09/2009. The object was similar to an egg shape and was Amber in colour and appeared to be hovering over fields before disappearing upwards out of sight. 5 minutes later two objects appeared over fields in the same area, disappeared then reappeared over the menai straits. One of the objects seemed to appear from the ground whilst the other hovered as if it was watching what the other was doing. One object disappeared and the other continued to move quickly across the sky. There was no noises, nor any flashing lights as there would be on air craft. I have managed to record the sightings on my mobile phone.

Regards

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Our Ref: UFO Report

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 20 September 2009 13:02
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: Lights in Sky over South Lanarkshire

The flight number of the plane approaching Glasgow Airport was the BD2968 which arrived at 2205 hours from Gatwick.

Hope this helps.

--- On Sun, 20/9/09, **Section 40** wrote:

From: **Section 40**
Subject: Lights in Sky over South Lanarkshire
To: ufodesk@mod.uk
Cc: "ME" **Section 40**
Date: Sunday, 20 September, 2009, 11:24 AM

Good morning,

About 2202 hours on Saturday 19 September 2009 my wife was closing the blinds in our house. Our window generally faces the west. I was asleep on the couch when she awakened me and alerted me to 'lights' in the sky.

I looked out of the window and saw approx 8 - 10 lights in the sky. At first they appeared like the very bright fireworks which are fired vertically into the sky.

However we both went outside into our street and witnessed something that we have no explanation for.

The lights were a good distance away from us, maybe as far away as Motherwell - Glasgow. They were higher than the the flight level of a plane heading for Glasgow.

In no particular pattern, one by one they flew in a direct line towards the east and nearly straight above us. They stayed at the same flight level and there was no engine sound. As we both looked up there was no image that we could identify a plane shape, but how could there be as there was no engine noise!

Once they flew high over us, which lasted about 5 minutes, they either disappeared over the Forth (village) area or the lights faded as there may have been cloud cover, albeit very light. It may have been due to the speed that they picked up, which made them disappear out of our viewing range.

This experience will last for us forever, we cannot think of any explanation known to us. I reported it to Real Radio Newsroom in Glasgow - didn't treat me seriously but I expect that.

It was not the Red Arrows, not Chinesed Lanterns, no aircraft I know (no engine noise), no

flashing lights, speed was very significant.

PS I have very short footage on my mobile of two lights.

Thanks



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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSSEC13 Section 40

From: Section 40

Sent: 21 September 2009 18:51

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Sir,

On Saturday 19th September 2009, at approximately 21:45, I was looking at the sky to the west of Carnwath Road, Carlisle, and saw an orange light in the distance in front of me. It came nearer and eventually disappeared into cloud overhead, but before it did, I could see other similar lights appearing in the distance. They also traveled from west to east, in front and over me, at regularly spaced out intervals. At one point a jet plane passed between two of the lights but they did not slow down or stop. I counted 10 of these things but was assured by other people who were on the scene before me that there were nearer 30 of them. Can you tell me what they were?

Thanks.

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Our Ref: UFO Report

22 September 2009

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 19 September 2009 20:36
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: Satellite or ufo?

Dear Sirs, I live on the **Section 40** in Watford. **Section 40** and just saw three consecutive passes of single bright/yellowish lights, moving from North to South approx 3 minutes apart on the same orbit. Would these be satellites? The time was 20:15 hrs on Saturday 19th Sept 2009. If they were satellites, they appeared to be very different to anything I have seen before, again appeared to be lower than normal and more yellow in colour.

I would be interested in knowing if they were satellites or not. I guess you will have the programme which can track all satellites and their respective orbits.

I look forward to hearing from you.

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BRADFORD

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Dear Section 40

Thank you for your letter of 9 August to the Prime Minister, reporting an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 8 August over Bradford. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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From: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec9 Section 40 on behalf of Air CmdSecCS-RAFParliBusiness (MULTIUSER)
Sent: 17 September 2009 13:33
To: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 Section 40
Cc: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec10
Subject: FW: Release-Authorised:Treat Official Correspondence: TO03591/2009
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Sent: 17 September 2009 12:46
To: Air CmdSecCS-RAFParliBusiness (MULTIUSER)
Subject: Release-Authorised:Treat Official Correspondence: TO03591/2009

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To: Air Command
Copy To:
Our Reference: TO03591/2009
Due Date: 07 October 2009
Correspondent: Section 40
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Regards,

**MOD Parliamentary Branch
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Section 40

Dear Priminister

I am writing to you with
some Concern about an incident
wich took place lastnight the 8.8.09.
The time was roughly 10 to 10.30.
I was out in my back garden and it
was very dark and really quiet.
Suddenly I noticed something in the sky.
It was a very bright orange ball shaped
object. I could tell it was miles away
and very high but much bigger than
an aeroplane or helicopter. I shouted
for my partner to come and see it,
He could not explain what it was,
It wasnt moving so we shouted our

15 yr old son to come and see it. He was amazed but also could not explain it. We all just stared at it then it started to move slowly towards us. It was coming closer but it wasn't getting any bigger and there was no noise. It stayed perfectly round and was glowing so bright like a jure ball. It was totally amazing, like something out of the movies. It hovered near us but still high up. We all grabbed our phones to take pictures and video's but when we looked up it had completely gone. Just vanished into thin air. We looked everywhere in the sky but it was gone. The whole thing lasted roughly 10 minutes. So I was wondering if you could help maybe explain what it was. Was there a military experiment happening that night or is it unexplainable. I am very curious

to find out, we all are. But we do
know that what we were seeing was
no weather balloon or meteor shower.
If this is unexplainable does this mean
maybe it was a UFO. I really hope
you can write back to me.,
Thankyou so much for your time

Yours Sincerely

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Section 40

Hauxton

CAMBRIDGE

Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

22 September 2009

Dear Section 40

Thank you for your letter of 2 August to the Secretary of State, reporting an 'unidentified flying object', seen on 2 August over Hauxton. I have been asked to reply as this office is the focal point within the Ministry of Defence for correspondence relating to UFOs.

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Yours sincerely

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Sent: 17 September 2009 14:06
To: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 Section 40
Cc: Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec10
Subject: FW: Release-Authorised:Treat Official Correspondence: TO03593/2009
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Sent: 17 September 2009 13:51
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Subject: Release-Authorised:Treat Official Correspondence: TO03593/2009

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To: Air Command
Copy To:
Our Reference: TO03593/2009
Due Date: 07 October 2009
Correspondent: Section 40
Additional Advice: Possible UFO sighting previously sent to DAS Sec and copied to Air Command

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Hauxton
Cambridge

Section 40

To Secretary of State 26/8/09

For Defence

House of Commons

London SW1A 1AA.

lowflier
DAS See

Sunday August 02 09

Dear Secretary of State,

On the afternoon of Sunday August 02 09 I was busy painting the window frames outside my house when I glanced up to see if rain was on the way. To my amazement there very high in the sky above Cambridge was a circle of glider type aircraft flying round in an anti-clockwise direction. I remember thinking at the time "whoever is flying these planes will certainly need oxygen" they were suddenly joined by a seventh identical plane. This was at 2pm. These glider type objects were all dark grey which seemed to me to very unusual as ordinary private gliders tend to be in a variety of colours.

I am an ex merchant seaman so I'm used to observing objects at a fair distance.

I saw these objects at 2 pm on Sunday Aug 2 09. At the time the sky was bright blue in between gaps in the clouds. It was against the blue sky that these objects were seen by me.

Sincerely

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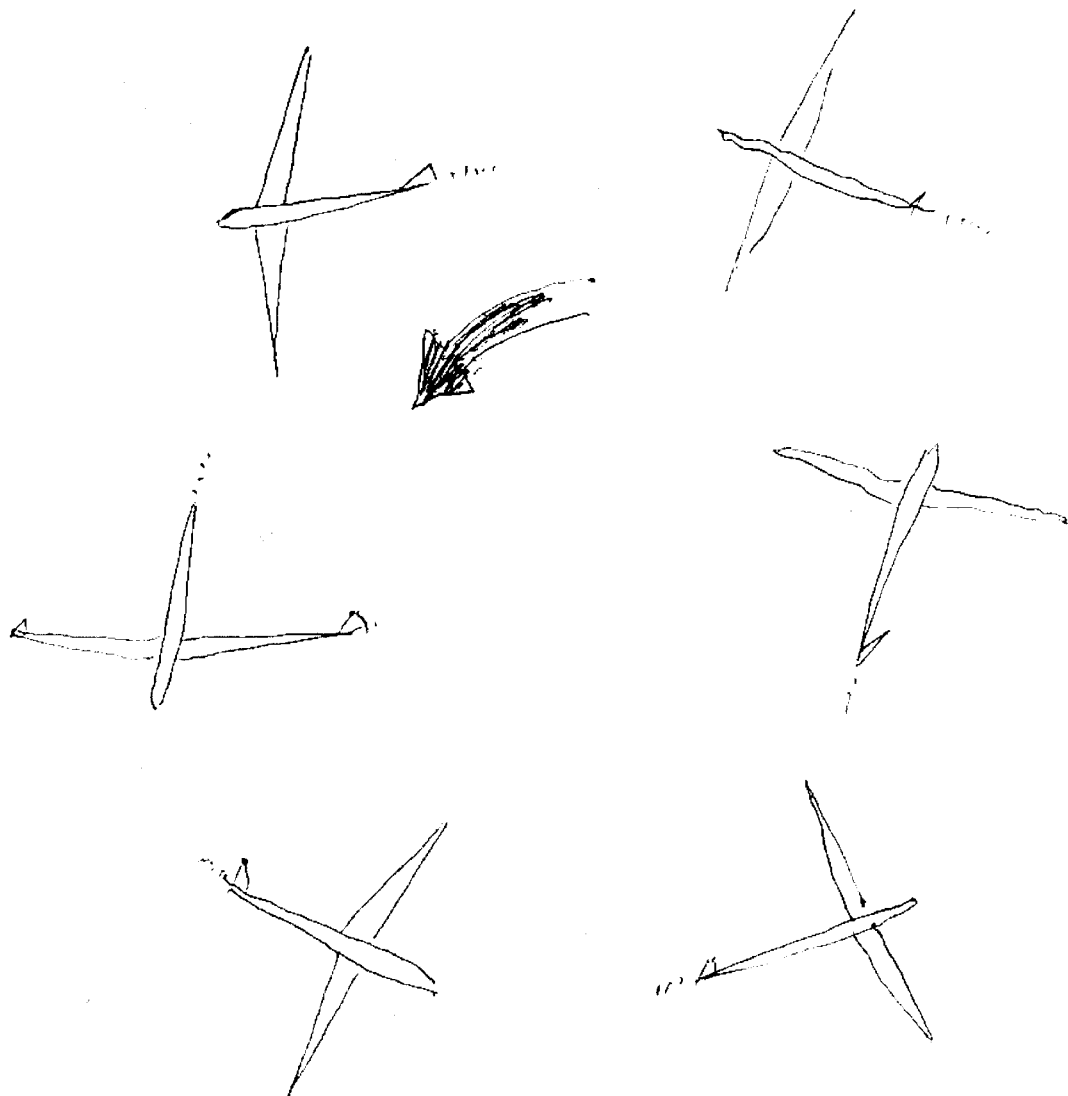
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To Secretary of state
For Defence

House of Commons

London SW1A 1AA



All dark grey in color
Glider type aircraft flying in a circle
in an anti clockwise direction very high
over Cambridge at 2pm on Sunday August 20th.



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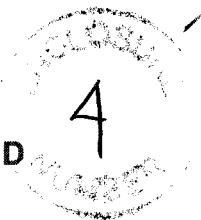
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Section 40

Our Ref: UFO Report

22 September 2009

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Air CmdSecCS-RAFBUSec13 **Section 40**

From: **Section 40**
Sent: 21 September 2009 13:48
To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1
Subject: New forest UFO 19/09/09

Firstly I've never seen or reported anything like this before so I'm not some serial nutjob (if that's relative) but thought you might like to hear about this and if you ever figure out what it was it'd be quite nice to hear back.

Basically my girlfriend (who can also confirm the sighting) and I went camping in the New Forest this weekend (Hollands Wood Campsite, SO42 7QH). I guesstimate that between 22:00 and 23:00 there was something overhead that speaking relatively was going much too slow to be a meteor (shooting star) but was too high up to be a flare or firework. It was travelling at about the same speed as you'd expect an ordinary high altitude jet to be, but instead of the usual flashing landing lights of a plane it looked instead like a fireball.

I first saw the 'fireball' when it was about 11 O clock to the horizon through a gap in the foliage and it then travelled south south east for about 30 seconds. It burnt pretty brightly and then would burn out a little then appear to burn brightly again a few times before extinguishing about 30 seconds later (without going over the horizon or disappearing behind a tree). As far as I could tell there were no clouds around that night as we could see a few stars overhead through the trees. I genuinely thought we had witnessed a plane on fire and expected to get back today and read all about it on the news...

Obviously there was no such report (two other light aeroplane crashed the following day but nothing at that time) so without explanation I thought I'd look you guys up and make a report.

I'm happy to help if you require any further details (mobile **Section 40**) but that's about as much as I can think of, apart from the fact that there was no sound (ie: of a jet or anything) that we could make out.

Good luck!

Kind regards

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From: **Section 40**

Sent: 21 September 2009 19:34

To: Air CmdSecCS-UFO Desk1

Subject: UFO Over Ulverston

Reference e my telephone call on Saturday 19th Sept about a UFO sighting in Ulverston I think this article in my local paper will explain it

http://www.nwemail.co.uk/news/ulverston/lanterns_spark_flare_alert_1_614591?referrerPath=home/north_west_evening_mail_search_page_2_3320

Regards

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Lanterns spark flare alert

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THE coastguard received more than a dozen emergency calls after concerned members of the public mistook Chinese lanterns for distress flares.

Several lanterns, which rise into the air using a small flame, were let off in Ulverston on Saturday night.

But fearing the worst, between 12 and 15 people called the coastguard to report what they thought were emergency distress flares.

Rescue teams from the coastguard were not dispatched.

A spokesman for Liverpool Coastguard, which covers the Bardsea area, said: "Anyone can buy these things. They let them off at the coast and they get reported to us as red flares and UFOs. It is a bit of a pain to be honest."

The incident coincided with the annual Ulverston Lantern Festival.



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The finale of the festival is organised by the Ulverston Community Arts Network.

Member of the group Ness Wilson said: "It absolutely wasn't part of the festival. We didn't let Chinese lanterns off because the weather was so still. We didn't want those things to be landing in residential areas.

"They have started to become very domesticated instead of something used at special events.

"Members of the public go up Hoad and let them off."

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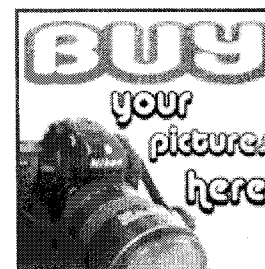
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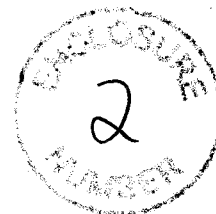
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DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
19 Sep 09	21:01	West Wickham	Kent
DESCRIPTION			
Series of thirty or more orange lights which then disappeared after moving at speed			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
In West Wickahm High Street			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Moving South to North			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
At Speed (Fast)			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	Met Police - Bromley	Pilot	
OTHER WITNESSES			
Wife			
REMARKS			
No address left			



UFO Report

DATE OF SIGHTING	TIME OF SIGHTING	TOWN OF SIGHTING	AREA OF SIGHTING
19 Sep 09	23:30	Letchlade	Gloucestershire
DESCRIPTION			
Forty to fifty orange lights following the same trajectory with more lights coming over.			
POSITION OF OBSERVER			
N/A			
HOW OBSERVED			
Naked Eye			
DIRECTION SEEN			
Looking towards Brize Norton			
APPROX DISTANCE			
N/A			
MOVEMENTS SPEED			
N/A			
WEATHER CONDITIONS	TO WHOM REPORTED	OCCUPATION	
N/A	UFO Hotline	N/A	
OTHER WITNESSES			
N/A			
REMARKS			
No name or address given			