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UFO plays global peekaboo

PEKING (UPI) — Chinese officials believe that an unidentified flying object spotted over Tibet on July 24 may have been seen a few hours later above San Diego.

"The identical observation of the UFO on the opposite sides of the Earth on the same day may provide a clue for exploring the UFO puzzle," the official Chinese Xinhua news agency said in a dispatch from Washington, D.C.

The agency reported Aug. 5 that a bright object surrounded by a ring of blue-white light had been spotted over Tibet in July.

Another characteristic of the object was that its light would go dim and then brighten again.

The Chinese agency quoted the UFO Education Center in Valley City, Calif., as reporting that an American technician witnessed a similar object the same night.

"It was round or slightly egg-shaped in the center with well-defined Saturn-like rings," he was quoted as saying. "The ring closest to the craft was an intense blue-white, something like hot metal."

The Chinese said the two reports from the two locations were similar in terms of "shape, color of the light, the rings estimated diameter, sound and duration of observation."