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Abstract (This space contains project description in plain language form. An abstract may also appear at the end of this report.)

1. The Swedish Defense Staff has no proof that any unidentified flying objects, missiles or vehicles have passed over or near Sweden to date.

2. All reports of sightings in Sweden during the past year, irrespective of to whom they were submitted, have been furnished to a special section of the Defense Staff, where the sightings were plotted. In each case an exhaustive investigation of the sighting followed, according along the lines of the IIG for Project "GIMP". All evidence obtained of sightings was explained in terms of astronomical phenomena.

3. In addition, 3 ground radar stations and 2 radar equipped destroyers equipped with radarizing masts. The radar equipments were Swedish modified British sets of fairly short range and were not operated on a 24 hour basis; however, no unexplained sightings were made with this equipment.

4. Conclusion: Although the possibility exists that objects have traversed Sweden and its adjacent waters, no proof has been obtained to confirm such flight in any instance.

COMMENT: The cooperation of the Defense Staff in providing this information and help given in an effort to indicate their need for additional U.S. radar equipment. The Swedish Air Board had previously negotiated with the Seattle Corporation for 20 TPO-1a sets but had been refused an export license for our State Department. The members of the Defense Staff, to whom I talked, were eager to point out the great use to which such equipment could be put for both offensive and the lesser as indicated by our mutual interest in unidentified flying objects. However, I am convinced that our refusal to grant an export license for such equipment will do more good in implementing our national policy, as expressed in the National Security Council documents NSC 5417, than would the information be might receive from the use of such equipment here.

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