

## APPENDIX IV

Seattle, Washington - 11 May 1952

I. DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

At approximately 0121 to 0132 PST, on 11 May 1952 many individuals reported sighting a vivid blue object with flaming sparks or streamers coming nearly straight down over Seattle, Washington. The object exploded in a brilliant flash, lighting up the sky and then disappeared. After the explosion, some of the witnesses experienced a tremor or shock wave of approximately nine seconds duration.

II. STATUS OF THE INVESTIGATION

Two local astronomers were contacted and they stated that the object was a meteor. At the present time the astronomers are searching for fragments to confirm their statement.

III. CONCLUSION

Object was probably a meteor but file will not be closed until confirming evidence is found.

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