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SUBJECT: Photographs Submitted for Evaluation

TO: Commanding Officer
Air Technical Intelligence Center
1125th Hq USAF Field Activities Group
Wright-Patterson AF Base, Ohio

1. Mr. Harry Schmidt, residing at 9021 Priscilla Street, Downey, California, visited this Headquarters today and delivered three photographs that he thought might be of interest to the Air Force. They are attached hereto. All three of these photographs were taken of the same scene and when developed, the one showed objects in the sky that were not apparent on the other two.

2. Mr. Schmidt is aware of the fact that the developing process might have brought about an imperfection, but because the spots are regular in appearance and for whatever value might be attached to them, he thought they should be delivered to an Air Force representative. Recent issues of Life Magazine showing pictures of so-called "flying saucers" prompted his thought.

3. The following information was obtained from Mr. Schmidt with regard to these photographs:

a. Mr. Schmidt is in business for himself selling building supplies and hardware. He has no connection with any contractor doing business with the Air Force.

b. His phone number is Topaz 2-8026.

c. The pictures were taken from Griffith Park planetarium, Griffith Park, Los Angeles, California on 20 April 1952, about an hour and a half after dark.

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