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### Project 1947 - CIRVIS Report from 4602d AISS files

From: Jan Aldrich <jan@CYBERZONE.NET>  
Date: Tue, 24 Dec 1996 22:02:50 -0800  
Fwd Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 13:00:27 -0500  
Subject: Project 1947 - CIRVIS Report from 4602d AISS files

COMMUNICATIONS INSTRUCTIONS FOR REPORTING VITAL INTELLIGENCE  
SIGHTINGS-CRIVIS

Shown below is CIRVIS report with the handwritten identification 27 Sep 54, Philadelphia, Pa from the 4602d AISS files. No follow up or investigations were contained in this file. The report has not yet been checked against the Project Blue Book files. However, I doubt if it is on the Blue Book index.

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ADC A119  
ENAL63  
JEDLS A061  
YY JEDEN SUPVR JEDLS 1353S  
ZUI JEDNM 005/28 AND ENB 021/28 ZDK AOEE

EDLS A313  
E M E R G E N C Y  
YY JEDEN BEGC JEPHQ 333  
DE JEDLS OAH  
Y280305Z  
FM CMDR F/S OMSTED AFB PA.  
TO JEDEN/COMMANDER ADC ENT AFB COLORADO SPRING COLORADO  
BEGC/COMESTSEAFRON NEW YORK N. Y.  
JEPHQ/CHEIF OF STAFF USAF WASHDC  
CIRVIS FLYING OBJECT BRIGHT AND CIRCULAR IN SHAPE MOVING SOUTHWEST AT  
HIGH RATE OF SPEED BETWEEN 15000 AND 20000 FT SIGHTED AT 2122E 27  
SEPTEMBER 1954. OBJECT OBSERVED FOUR MINUTES BY CAPT P. SWIFT PILOT OF  
NC NUMBER 486-A MARTIN 404 TYPE ACFT ENROUTE WASHINGTON D.C. TO NEWARK N.  
J. ACFT APPROX 10 MILES SOUTH OF PHILA. PA. ON TRACK OF 062 DEGREES  
CRUISING 11000FT AT TIME OF SIGHTING.REPORT RECEIVED FROM MR. ANDERSON  
CONTROLLER WASHINGTON ARTC.  
28/0324Z SEP JEDLS

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The following additional hand written notations are made on the report.  
"Jac" across the top. The following are written which probably indicate  
distribution for this message. Some of these are Air Force  
abbreviations, and I am not sure of some of their meanings.

Cmdr =Commander VC = Vice Commander CofS Chief of Staff

CAdj = ? (maybe Chief Adjutant?) Admin = Administration

DO = (?might mean Duty Officer or Directorate of Operations?)

O & T = ? IC = ?

Distribution is probably indicated within Air Defense Command. Somewhere I have a diagram of the different staffs and their relationships at ADC, but it is not readily available.

The word "EMERGENCY" is printed in block letters. The word "Penn" is also handwritten at the top of the message. At the bottom of the message is written "27 Sep 54 Philadelphia, Pa" and "Info 4602nd."

At the top of the message is stamped ACT (with DI written in) SUS (with a check mark and 61365 written in).

The message is date stamped Sep 28 07 27 '54.

Note: The message is unclassified. I have also found a CIRVIS Confirmation report on United Airlines letterhead concerning contrails seen in Oregon. This report is also unclassified. Another CIRVIS from a different time and location has a follow up UFOB message. Both are also unclassified.

Note: That the message above does not appear to be directed to HQ, USAF, Directorate of Intelligence. This appears to be an operational matter.

There are no MERINT reports in the 4602d AISS files. As indicated in JUST CAUSE #48, no MERINT reports of UFOs are known. I have talked to Navy personnel who indicate that the MERINT directive was seldom complied with by Naval ships. However, MERINT was also effective for merchant ships.

Jan Aldrich

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