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### Re: Mexico City Video

From: James Easton <pulsar@compuserve.com>  
Date: Sat, 25 Oct 1997 22:50:45 -0400  
Fwd Date: Sun, 26 Oct 1997 17:06:55 -0500  
Subject: Re: Mexico City Video

Courtesy of the CompuServe "Sightings!" forum, some comments from Michael Hesemann, which, if I had more time, I would have asked for permission to cross-post, but in the interest of sharing information, assume is quite agreeable:

#### FACTS:

1. I called my friends working in the tower of Mexico City International Airport (Benito Juarez Airport). The object was NOT located on radar at the time in question.
2. The witness situation is rather dubious. There are a couple of people who called and claimed they saw the same craft either at daylight or at night. The sighting took place in the Lomas Chapultepec area of the Tecamalchaco-district, 6 miles NW of the city center, what is just nothing in a 20-million-town - it's so close to the city center! The two tall buildings visible in the film are office buildings, one belongs to "a jewish company" (whatever that means... a branch of an Israeli company? Jews from the US? From Mexico?). Televisa-coworker Daniel Munoz tried to interview the people working there, but was not able to do so..
3. It was NOT in the news or papers in DF (Mexico districto federal) the days after.
4. The video was sent anonymously to Jaime Maussan.

[...]

#### PRELIMINARY CONCLUSION:

In the moment there are some indications that the film indeed might be a clever hoax, UNLESS the witness situation changes. Since state-of-the-art computer techniques make it nearly impossible to detect any FX forgery on video, ONLY SOME GOOD AND CREDIBLE WITNESSES CAN SAVE THE SITUATION.

Since I fly to Mexico in 5 weeks I will perform a field investigation on site and try to find those, of course using all interviews Jaime did as a starting point. Let's see what comes out of it but, until then, stay rather sceptical.  
[End]

I did ask Mike if I could quote him that, "state-of-the-art computer techniques make it nearly impossible to detect any FX forgery on video".

The video can now be downloaded from:

<ftp://os.inf.tu-dresden.de/pub/incoming/ufomex6aug.mov>

or  
ftp://judy.sfc.keio.ac.jp/pub/ufomex6aug.mov

This is a 4.6 Mb file.

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