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Re: Helicopters Today

From: Larry Hatch <larryhat@jps.net>
Date: Thu, 06 Aug 1998 01:04:40 -0700
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Subject: Re: Helicopters Today

> From: Greg St. Pierre <StrmNut@aol.com>
> Date: Wed, 5 Aug 1998 19:52:21 EDT
> To: updates@globalserve.net
> Subject: Helicopters today

Hi Greg:

> I just wanted to relate something that happened today. It
> probably means nothing at all, but you never know, and it's best
> to record things and events of interest.

> At approximately 2:30 PM today (Aug 5) two "Chinooks", the large
> helicopters with the twin overhead rotors flew directly over my
> garage in formation.

I'm just curious what you mean by 2 copters flying "in formation".

By this, do you simply mean they were in close proximity, and travelling at the same speed in the same direction?

If not, what was the shape of the formation?

- Larry Hatch

>This in itself isn't odd, however to my knowledge there are no
>military bases in New Hampshire.

Unless they were closed, there are

- 1) Portsmouth Naval shipyard - and -
- 2) Pease AFB a short distance to the NorthWest of Portsmouth.

There may well be other facilities. I found these on the fly.

- LH

> They
> were dark, and I could see no markings, but that could have been
> because of my perspective. They were at an altitude of
> approximately 1500 feet, so they rattled everything. They were
> headed north or northeast. Also, about a half hour later began a
> series of nearby flights of Hueys in assorted directions, there
> were at least three different ones, because I had them in sight,
> but some of them may have just flown by again later.

>
> This level of military activity near here is highly unusual. Does
> anyone have any contacts to find out what they were doing? I
> know there's an MOA in the White Mountains...on most

> days you can watch F16s or A10s playing around up there.
> Just not used to seeing that kind of thing around here.
>
> Greg

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