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FOR BETTER OR WORSE, I HAVE TOLD THAT I WOULD FORWARD TO WASHINGTON THE INFO AVAILABLE ON THE UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT (UFO) OBSERVED HERE -- TO SEE WHETHER THE USG MIGHT BE ABLE TO SUGGEST ANY FEASIBLE EXPLANATION(S). TESTING HIS SENSE OF HUMOR, I SUGGESTED THE UFO MIGHT HAVE BEEN AN EXPERI-MENTAL MISSILE LAUNCHED BY QADHAFI. FORTUNATELY, PASSED THE TEST.

NOT KNOWING WHAT OFFICE OR AGENCY SHOULD BE SADDLED WITH THIS RESPONSIBILITY, WE HEREBY AWARD IT TO YOU, ASKING THAT YOU PASS THE QUERY TO SOME ONE WHO MIGHT BE ABLE TO TELL US SOMETHING. IF POSSIBLE, I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE SOME ADVICE THAT WOULD BE RELEASE-ABLE TO HIM. AN INTERIM RESPONSE WOULD BE MUCH APPRECI-ATED. REGARDS. ADMIN

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COUNTRY: (U) GHANA (GH)

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SUBJ:

IIR 6 835 0129 87 UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

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(U) THIS IS AN INFORMATION REPORT NOT FINALLY

EVALUATED INTELLIGENCE

DOI:

(U) 870729-870805

REQS: (U) INITIATIVE

SOURCE: (U)

SUMMARY: (U) AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT (UFO) WAS REPORTED OVER SOUTHEASTERN GHANA LATE IN THE EVENING OF 870727.

- TEXT: 1. (U) ACCORDING TO THE 870729 EDITION OF THE "GHANAIAN TIMES" NEWSPAPER, OBSERVERS IN THE VICINTY OF ACCRA AND IN THE VOLTA REGION OF GHANA--AT KPANDU //GEOCOORDS 0700N-018E// AND HOHOE //GEOCOORDS 0709N-028E//--REPORTED SIGHTING A LARGE UFO OVER SOUTH-EASTERN GHANA AND THE GULF OF GUINEA BRIEFLY BETWEEN 2300 AND 2400 HOURS GMT ON 870727. SOME OF THESE REPORTS INDICATED THAT THE UFO WAS SILENT; OTHERS INCLUDED THE SOUND OF "EXPLOSIONS" ASSOCIATED WITH THE SIGHTING.
- 2. (U) IN PRIVATE CONVERSATIONS DURING 870804-870805, A GHANA AIR FORCE PILOT STATED THAT HE HAD OBSERVED, FROM THE GROUND NEAR ACCRA, A UFO MOVING OVER THE VICINITY BETWEEN 2300 AND 2400 GMT ON 870727. HE GAVE THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTION OF THE SIGHTING:
- THE UFO FOLLOWED A GENERAL NORTH-TO-SOUTH COURSE AND DISAPPEARED OVER THE HORIZON OF THE GULF OF GUINEA. THE INITIAL IMPRESSION OF THE UFO, AS IT APPROACHED THE VICINITY OF ACCRA FROM THE NORTH, WAS THAT IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN A FALLING METEORITE. VERY QUICKLY, HOWEVER, THE UFO STOPPED FALLING AND STARTED TO CLIMB. AS IT WAS GAINING ALTITUDE OVER ACCRA AND THE OCEAN, DETAILS OF THE UFO COULD BE SEEN QUITE CLEARLY BECAUSE OF ITS OWN LIGHT EMISSIONS AND THE CLEAR EVENING SKY.
- WHEN OBSERVED MOST CLEARLY, THE UFO APPEARED TO BE AT AN ALTITUDE OF ABOUT 15,000 FEET. ITS GENERAL SHAPE WAS SIMILAR TO A VERY LARGE AIRCRAFT FUSELAGE OR MISSILE BODY. ITS COLOR WAS METALLIC, ALUMINUM-LIKE. IT APPEARED TO BE ABOUT TWO OR THREE TIMES THE SIZE OF A BOEING 747 AIRLINER. BUT IT DID NOT SEEM TO BE PRODUCING ANY SOUND.
- AT FIRST, PARTICULARLY WHILE IT WAS DESCENDING, THE UFO DISPLAYED A RELATIVELY LARGE, SINGLE SOURCE OF LIGHT, YELLOWISH IN COLOR, ORIGINATING FROM THE CENTER OF ITS TRAILING END, LIKE A ROCKET. AT ABOUT THE TIME THE UFO STOPPED DESCENDING AND BEGAN TO CLIMB, THIS SINGLE, YELLOWISH LIGHT DISAPPEARED, AND EIGHT SMALLER LIGHTS APPEARED. THESE WERE BLUE IN COLOR AND WERE ARRANGED IN A CIRCULAR CONFIGURATION AROUND THE END OF THE UFO--LIKE RELATIVELY SMALL JETS. THESE EIGHT BLUE "JETS" SEEMED TO BE THE UFO'S SOURCE OF PROPULSION AS IT DISAPPEARED OVER THE HORIZON.
- 3. (U) THE AIR FORCE PILOT ADDED THAT HE HAD HEARD OF OTHER SIGHTINGS, APPARENTLY OF THE SAME OBJECT, THAT HAD INCLUDED THE SOUND OF "TWO EXPLOSIONS," AND HE SPECULATED

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THAT THESE COULD HAVE BEEN SONIC BOOMS. BUT HE WAS AP-PARENTLY NOT AWARE OF ANY SOUND PRODUCED BY THE UFO AT ANY TIME DURING THE PERIOD OF HIS OBSERVATIONS.

COMMENTS: THE AIR FORCE OFFICER WHO PROVIDED THE INFO IN TEXT PARAS TWO AND THREE IS A QUALIFIED JET FIGHTER PILOT. HE IS WELL KNOWN TO THE DAO AND OTHERS AS A SERIOUS PROFESSIONAL, NOT GIVEN TO FLIGHTS OF FANCY OR TO ANY DESIRE TO ATTRACT ATTENTION TO HIMSELF. HE SEEMED TO HAVE BEEN EMBARRASSED (AS WELL AS MYSTIFIED) BY THIS UFO SIGHTING AND PROVIDED THE DETAILS RELUCTANTLY, MAINLY BECAUSE THE AIR FORCE COMMANDER HAD ASKED THE DAO TO HELP IDENTIFY THE OBJECT.

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1. (U) FOR WHATEVER REASON-PERHAPS EXTRA TERRESTRIAL INTERFERENCE-

REF MSG TRANSMISSION BECAME GARBLED.

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CASE, SPACE DEBRIS FROM WEATHER, COMMUNICATIONS, OR ONE OF THE COUNTLESS EXPERIMENTAL SATILLITES WHICH CIRCLE THE ATMOSPHERE APPEARS TO BE THE MOST PLAUSIBLE EXPLANATION.

WE HAVE NOTHING FURTHER BUT UFOS ARE ALWAYS A TERRIFIC SUBJECT FOR COCKTAIL CHATTER AND MIGHT LEAD INTO OTHER SUBJECTS LIKE AIR DEFENSE AND SURVEILLANCE.

(U) HAPPY HALLOWEEN.

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