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WASHINGTON DC 20330-1000

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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1620 Air Force Pentagon
Washington DC 20330-1620

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Dear Mr. Goudie

We are attaching documents responsive to your undated Freedom of Information Act request addressed to the 67 MSSQ/MSIRF. We received it on December 21, 1992.

Some of the documents you requested are exempt from disclosure because they contain information that if disclosed to the public, would result in a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Other records are exempt because they consists of deliberative process advice, opinions, recommendations and attorney work product.

The authority for these exemptions are in the United States Code, Title 5, Sections 552 (b)(5) and (b)(6) and Air Force Regulation 4-33, paragraphs 15e and 15f.

The denial authority in this instance is Richard A. Peterson, Acting Chief, General Law Division, Office of the Judge Advocate General.

Should you decide that an appeal to this decision is necessary, you must write to the Secretary of the Air Force within 60 calendar days from the date of this letter. Include in the appeal your reason for reconsideration, and attach a copy of this letter. Address your letter as follows:

Secretary of the Air Force
THRU: SAF/AAIS (FOIA)
1620 Air Force Pentagon
Washington DC 20330-1620

We also surfaced other records responsive to your request. We do not have the authority to deny or release them. We forwarded your request and the records to the following Air Force activities and government agencies. They will reply directly to you.

United States Department of Justice
FOIA/PA Section
Room B-37
Justice Management Division
Washington DC 20530

United States Army
FOIA/PA Division
USAISC-P (ASQNS-OP-F)
Crystal Square 2
Suite 201
1725 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington VA 22202

Department of the Navy
Chief of Naval Operations
N09B30, Pentagon, Room 5E521
Washington, DC 20350-2000

David Grant Medical Center/SGASD (FOIA)
101 Bodin Circle
Travis AFB CA 94535-1800

67 MSSQ/MSIRF (FOIA)
Building 706
Bergstrom AFB TX 78743-5000

Sincerely

CAROLYN W. PRICE
Freedom of Information Manager

1 Attachment:
Releasable records

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CLAIM FOR DAMAGE, INJURY, OR DEATH

INSTRUCTIONS: Prepare in ink or typewriter. Please read carefully the instructions on the reverse side and supply information requested on both sides of this form. Use additional sheet(s) if necessary.

FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 43-R0597

1. SUBMIT TO:

Base Staff Judge Advocate
Attn: Claims Officer
Bergstrom Air Force Base

2. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (*Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code*)

Betty Cash
[redacted]

3. TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT
☐ MILITARY
☒ CIVILIAN

4. AGE [redacted]

5. MARITAL STATUS [redacted]

6. NAME AND ADDRESS OF SPOUSE, IF ANY (*Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code*)

N/A

7. PLACE OF ACCIDENT (*Give city or town and State; if outside city limits, indicate mileage or distance to nearest city or town*)

On FM Road 1485 between New Caney and Huffman Texas-7 miles out of New Caney Texas(see diagram)

8. DATE AND DAY OF ACCIDENT

December29'80 Monday

9. TIME (*A.M. OR P.M.*)

between 9:00PM-9:30PM

10. AMOUNT OF CLAIM (*in dollars*)

A. PROPERTY DAMAGE	B. PERSONAL INJURY	C. WRONGFUL DEATH	D. TOTAL
-0-	[redacted]	N/A	[redacted]

11. DESCRIPTION OF ACCIDENT (*State below, in detail, all known facts and circumstances attending the damage, injury, or death, identifying persons and property involved and the cause thereof*)

At the above time and place claimant was driving a 1980 Olds automobile with two passengers, Vicki and Colby Landrum, when they observed an unconventional aerial object. According to the claimant, the object was extremely bright and appeared to have no distinct shape. The object was approximately 60-80 feet above the road and appeared to be the size of a 'city water tank". Furthermore the object was surrounded by a glow and appeared to have red and orange

PROPERTY DAMAGE

12. NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER, IF OTHER THAN CLAIMANT (*Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code*)

N/A

BRIEFLY DESCRIBE KIND AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY AND NATURE AND EXTENT OF DAMAGE (*See instructions on reverse side for method of substantiating claim*)

N/A

PERSONAL INJURY

13. STATE NATURE AND EXTENT OF INJURY WHICH FORMS THE BASIS OF THIS CLAIM

Claimant, within hours of the close encounter with the unidentified flying object, [redacted]

WITNESSES

14.

NAME	ADDRESS (*Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code*)
Mrs. Vicki Landrum Master Colby Landrum	[redacted]

I CERTIFY THAT THE AMOUNT OF CLAIM COVERS ONLY DAMAGES AND INJURIES CAUSED BY THE ACCIDENT ABOVE AND AGREE TO ACCEPT SAID AMOUNT IN FULL SATISFACTION AND FINAL SETTLEMENT OF THIS CLAIM

15. SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT (*This signature should be used in all future correspondence*)

Betty Q. Cash

16. DATE OF CLAIM

December 20, 1982

CIVIL PENALTY FOR PRESENTING FRAUDULENT CLAIM

The claimant shall forfeit and pay to the United States the sum of $2,000 plus double the amount of damages sustained by the United States. (*See R.S. §3490, 5438; 31 U.S.C. 231.*)

CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR PRESENTING FRAUDULENT CLAIM OR MAKING FALSE STATEMENTS

Fine of not more than $10,000 or imprisonment for not more than 5 years or both. (*See 62 Stat. 698, 749; 18 U.S.C. 287, 1001*)

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D. *Effect of Failure to Respond:* Disclosure is voluntary. However, failure to supply the requested information or to execute the form may render your claim "invalid".

INSTRUCTIONS

Complete all items—Insert the word NONE where applicable

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Any further instructions or information necessary in the preparation of your claim will be furnished, upon request, by the office indicated in item #1 on the reverse side.

(d) Failure to completely execute this form or to supply the requested material within two years from the date the allegations accrued may render your claim "invalid".

INSURANCE COVERAGE

In order that subrogation claims may be adjudicated, it is essential that the claimant provide the following information regarding the insurance coverage of his vehicle or property.

17. DO YOU CARRY ACCIDENT INSURANCE? ☐ YES, IF YES, GIVE NAME AND ADDRESS OF INSURANCE COMPANY (*Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code*) AND POLICY NUMBER. ☒ NO

18. HAVE YOU FILED CLAIM ON YOUR INSURANCE CARRIER IN THIS INSTANCE, AND IF SO, IS IT FULL COVERAGE OR DEDUCTIBLE?

N/A

19. IF DEDUCTIBLE, STATE AMOUNT

N/A

20. IF CLAIM HAS BEEN FILED WITH YOUR CARRIER, WHAT ACTION HAS YOUR INSURER TAKEN OR PROPOSES TO TAKE WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR CLAIM? (*It is necessary that you ascertain these facts*)

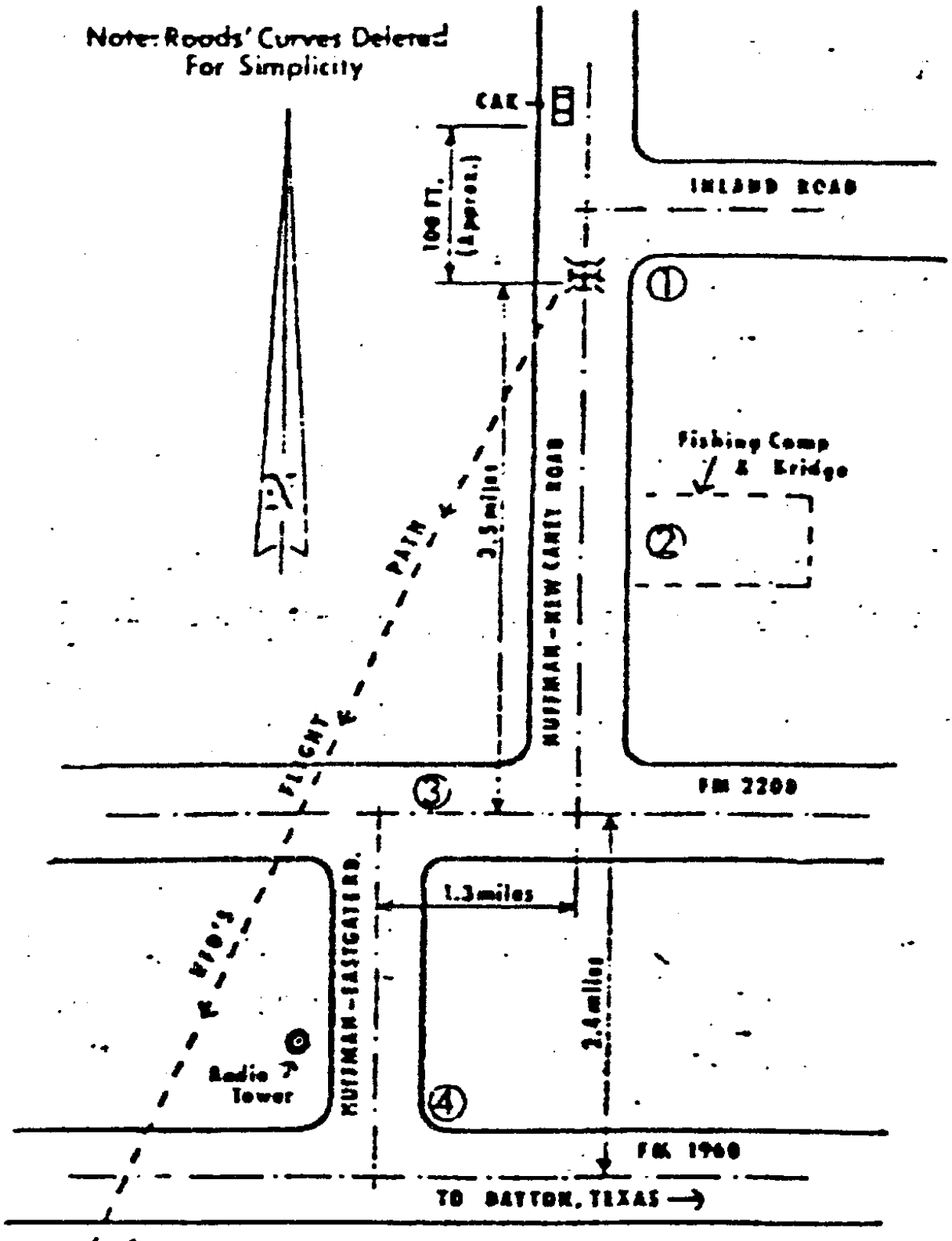
N/A

21. DO YOU CARRY PUBLIC LIABILITY AND PROPERTY DAMAGE INSURANCE? ☐ YES, IF YES, GIVE NAME AND ADDRESS OF INSURANCE CARRIER (*Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code*) ☒ NO

(11. Description of Accident cont.)

flames emanating from the bottom. Claimant stopped her automobile since the object was now blocking the road. Claimant and the two passengers proceeded to leave the vehicle and look at the object which was now hovering at treetop level approximately 135 feet from the people. Claimant experienced intense and excruciating heat which appeared to be caused by the object. After approximately five minutes claimant returned to her automobile and the object appeared to move further away. Claimant proceeded to drive along the road where approximately three miles away she observed what appeared to her to be approximately 23 military-type helicopters, several of which appeared to be double rotary type, in the general vicinity of the object. Finally there came a time when both the object and helicopters disappeared.

(13. Personal Injury cont.)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HUFFMAN-EASTGATE RD.
Radio Tower
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FM 1960
TO BAYTON, TEXAS
(1) INITIAL ENCOUNTER
(2) (3) (4) TRIO STOPPED TO WATCH UFO'S DEPARTURE

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78743

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Master Colby Landrum
[redacted]

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N/A

4. AGE
[redacted]

5. MARITAL STATUS
[redacted]

6. NAME AND ADDRESS OF SPOUSE, IF ANY (Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code)
N/A

7. PLACE OF ACCIDENT (Give city or town and State; if outside city limits, indicate mileage or distance to nearest city or town) On FM Road 1485 between New Caney and Huffman Texas-7 miles outside New Caney,Texas (see diagram)

8. DATE AND DAY OF ACCIDENT
December 29,'80
Monday

9. TIME (A.M OR P.M)
between 9:00PM-~~9:30PM~~

10. AMOUNT OF CLAIM (in dollars)

A. PROPERTY DAMAGE	B. PERSONAL INJURY	C. WRONGFUL DEATH	D. TOTAL
N/A	[redacted]	N/A	[redacted]

11. DESCRIPTION OF ACCIDENT (State below, in detail, all known facts and circumstances attending the damage, injury, or death, identifying persons and property involved and the cause thereof) At the above time and place claimant was a passenger, along with his grandmother Vicki Landrum, in an automobile driven by Ms. Betty Cash when they observed an unconventional aerial object. According to the claimant, the object appeared extremely brigh and diamond shaped. The object was approximately 60-80 feet above the road and appeared to be the size of a 'city water tank'. Furthermore,
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PROPERTY DAMAGE

12. NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER, IF OTHER THAN CLAIMANT (Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code)
N/A

BRIEFLY DESCRIBE KIND AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY AND NATURE AND EXTENT OF DAMAGE (See instructions on reverse side for method of substantiating claim)
N/A

PERSONAL INJURY

13. STATE NATURE AND EXTENT OF INJURY WHICH FORMS THE BASIS OF THIS CLAIM Claimant, during the close encounter with the unidentified flying object, [redacted]
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WITNESSES

14.

NAME	ADDRESS (Number, street, city, State, and Zip Code)
Mrs. Vicki Landrum Ms. Betty Cash	[redacted]

I CERTIFY THAT THE AMOUNT OF CLAIM COVERS ONLY DAMAGES AND INJURIES CAUSED BY THE ACCIDENT ABOVE AND AGREE TO ACCEPT SAI AMOUNT IN FULL SATISFACTION AND FINAL SETTLEMENT OF THIS CLAIM

15. SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT (This signature should be used in all future correspondence)
Mrs. E.W. Landrum Sr. (as legal guardian)

16. DATE OF CLAIM
December 20,1982

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The claimant shall forfeit and pay to the United States the sum of $2,000, plus double the amount of damages sustained by the United States. (See R.S. §3490, 5438; 31 U.S.C. 231.)

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(11. Description of Accident cont.)

the object was surrounded by a glow and appeared to have red and orange flames emanating from the bottom. Ms. Cash proceeded to stop her vehicle since the object was now blocking the road. Claimant, his grandmother and Ms. Cash all exited the vehicle to look at the object which was now hovering at treetop level approximately 135 feet from the people. Claimant became hysterical and experienced intense and excruciating heat which appeared to be caused by the object. After approximately three minutes claimant entered the automobile with his grandmother and approximately three minutes afterwards Ms. Cash returned. The three of them then proceeded down the road as the object appeared to move further away. After approximately three miles claimant observed approximately 23 military-type helicopters, several of which appeared to be double rotary-type, in the general vicinity of the object which was still visible. Finally there came a time when both the object and the helicopters disappeared.

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N/A

19. IF DEDUCTIBLE, STATE AMOUNT

N/A

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N/A

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Earnest Landrum
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Dec.29,'80-Mon.

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12. PROPERTY DAMAGE

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N/A	N/A

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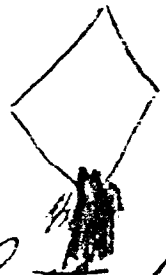
(11. Description of Accident cont.)

red and orange flames emanating from the bottom. Ms. Cash proceeded to stop her vehicle since the object was blocking the road. Claimant, her grandson, and Ms. Cash all exited the vehicle to look at the object which was now hovering at treetop level approximately 135 feet from the people. Claimant experienced intense and excruciating heat which appeared to be caused by the object. After approximately three minutes claimant entered the automobile with her grandson leaving Ms. Cash outside. After a few moments Ms. Cash also returned and proceeded to drive down the road as the object appeared to move further away. After three miles claimant observed approximately 23 military-type helicopters, several of which appeared to be double rotary type, in the general vicinity of the object,which was still visible. Finally there came a time when both the object and helicopters disappeared.

(13. Personal Injury cont.)



Betty Cash
8-18-81
Vickie Landrum
8-18-81

U. S. Air force - BC

Drawing of object by Betty Cash

Attested to by Vickie Landrum
18 August 1981 Interview

Sept 4th

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are two Copies of Letter that I have received, As of the da -y was there, I had gotten the one from Lloyd Benton + now I have the other one from John Jones, I just wante all of you to know that I was told that you were aware of the Accident before I came down. And that I was Telling you the truth about the Letter Advising me that you would Be helpf

Thank you +
Have a Nice Day.

Betty Cook
209-48th St.
Fairfield Al 35064

COMMITTEES:
FINANCE
ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS
JOINT ECONOMIC

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

July 28, 1981

Ms. Betty Cash
209-48th Street
Fairfield, Alabama 35064

Dear Ms. Cash:

I have received your recent letter in which you describe the events that occurred on December 29, 1980.

Upon receipt of your letter, conversations were held with representatives of the Department of Defense. As a result of those conversations, it was suggested that you contact the Judge Advocate Claims Officer at Bergstrom Air Force Base, Austin, Texas, to file an official report and to submit a claim. I am advised that those officials have been made aware of your letter and the general situation which you outlined; they will be most willing to assist in any way possible.

Thank you for taking the time to write. I trust this will be helpful to you.

Sincerely,

Lloyd Bentsen

Lloyd Bentsen

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

September 4, 1981

Ms. Betty Cash
209 48th Street
Fairfield, Alabama 35064

Dear Ms. Cash:

Thank you for your recent correspondence.

I have been in contact with appropriate authorities and have been informed that you need to file a claim with the Base Staff Judge Advocate. His address is as follows:

Base Staff Judge Advocate
Attn: Claims Officer
Bergstrom, Air Force Base 78743

I hope that this information will be helpful to you and if I can ever be of assistance to you in the future please do not hesitate to call on me.

Sincerely yours,

John Tower

John Tower

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December 23, 1982

Base Staff Judge Advocate
Bergstrom Air Force Base
Austin, Texas 78743

Attention: Claims Officer

Re: Claims of Ms. Betty Cash, Mrs. Vicki Landrum and Master Colby Landrum

Dear Sir:

Please be advised that I am representing the three above-named persons and am thus enclosing their respective claim forms on their behalf. I am also enclosing various medical reports and bills relating to their claims. If you have any questions concerning their claims please feel free to telephone me at the above number.

Very truly yours,

Peter A. Gersten

PAG/mm
enc: claim forms and documents

cc: Betty Cash
Vicki Landrum
Bill Shead, Esq.
John Schuessler

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Mr. Peter A. Gersten
Rothblatt, Rothblatt & Seijas
191 East 161st Street
Bronx, New York 10451

Re: Personal Injury Claims for Betty Cash, Vickie Landrum and Colby Landrum

Dear Mr. Gersten

Your clients' claim for damages against the United States Air Force has been received.

A staff attorney has been assigned to this case and it will be processed as soon as possible. Please direct any future correspondence to HQ USAF/JACC, 1900 Half Street, S. W., Washington, D. C. 20324.

Sincerely

RICHARD L. PURDON, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Torts Branch
Claims and Tort Litigation Staff
Office of The Judge Advocate General

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20324

A C T I O N

The appeal from the denial of the claim of Colby Landrum for injuries allegedly resulting from the overflight of an unidentified flying object and unidentified helicopters on 29 December 1980, has been considered under 10 U.S.C. 2733, and is denied.

Charles M. Stewart

CHARLES M. STEWART, Colonel, USAF
Director of Civil Law
Office of The Judge Advocate General

DATE: 31 Aug 83

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20324

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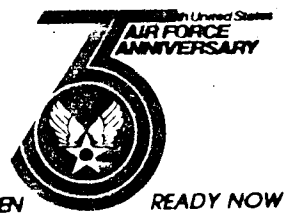

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A C T I O N

The appeal from the denial of the claim of Vicki Landrum for injuries allegedly resulting from the overflight of an unidentified flying object and unidentified helicopters on 29 December 1980, has been considered under 10 U.S.C. 2733, and is denied.

Charles M. Stewart

CHARLES M. STEWART, Colonel, USAF
Director of Civil Law
Office of The Judge Advocate General

DATE: 31 Aug 83

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Mr. Peter Gersten
Gagliardi, Torres & Gersten
Attorneys at Law
27 North Broadway
Tarrytown, NY 10591

Re: Appeal of Personal Injury Claims of Betty Cash, Vickie Landrum and Colby Landrum

Dear Mr. Gersten

Your clients' appeal of the claims against the United States Air Force has been received at this office. It has been assigned to me for consideration and recommendation and will be processed as soon as possible.

Please direct any future correspondence to my attention addressed to HQ USAF/JACC, 1900 Half Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20324.

Sincerely

PAUL E. CORMIER
Aviation & Admiralty Law Attorney
Claims and Tort Litigation Staff
Office of The Judge Advocate General

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

28 OCT 1983

REPLY TO ATTN OF: JACC

SUBJECT: Historical Summary of Cash/Landrum UFO Claims

TO: AF/JAC

1. Date of Incident: 29 December 1980

2. Incident Place: Between New Caney and Huffman, Texas

3. Date Claim Presented: 27 December 1982

4. Amount of Claims: Betty Cash
Vicki Landrum
Colby Landrum
[redacted]

5. Date Claims Appealed: 22 July 1983

6. Date Appeals Denied: 21 August 1983

7. Reason for Denial of Claims: [redacted]

8. Reason for Denial of Appeal: [redacted]

9. Attached is a copy of the claims file.

R. R. SEMETA, Colonel, USAF
Chief, Claims and Tort Litigation Staff
Office of The Judge Advocate General

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Claims File

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Mr. Frank J. Conforti
Assistant United States Attorney
Box 61129
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Re: Cash, et al. v. United States, Civil Action No. H-84-348

Dear Mr. Conforti

This is to inform you that I have taken over this case from Captain Scott D. Stubblebine. If I can be of any assistance, please contact me.

Sincerely

WENDELL K. SMITH, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aviation & Admiralty Law Section
Claims & Tort Litigation Staff
Office of The Judge Advocate General

cc: Gary W. Allen
Torts Branch, Civil Div
U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20530

Captain John Morris, USA
Asst General Counsel, OSD
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Mr. Frank J. Conforti
Assistant United States Attorney
Box 61129
Houston, Texas 77208

Re: Cash, et al. v. United States, Civil Action No. H-84-348

Dear Mr. Conforti

This is to inform you that I have taken over this case from Lt Colonel Wendell K. Smith. If I can be of any assistance, please contact me.

Sincerely

FELIX J. STALLS, III, Major, USAF
Aviation and Admiralty Law Section
Claims and Tort Litigation Staff
Office of The Judge Advocate General

cc: Gary W. Allen
Torts Branch, Civil Div
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Washington, D.C. 20530

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