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Dear Section 40

In response to yours of Nov 10, I have confirmed with Suffolk Constabulary that they were called to the scene of the Woodbridge UFO at 4.11 am on December 26, 1980. They said that all they could see was the lighthouse. They were called out again at 10.30 am on Dec 26 to examine the reported landing marks. There seems little doubt that the date of Dec 27 given in Col Halt's letter (of which I have a copy) is wrong. This also casts doubt on the second date he gives for the later events. If your investigators were looking into events on Dec 29 and 30, as I understand was the case, they were almost certainly concentrating on the wrong day(s). Perhaps the whole case needs re-investigation.

I had hoped not to trouble you again on this subject, but there are a couple of points that perhaps you could clarify for me. Firstly, it is being said that an investigation including confiscation of radar records began before the Halt memo was even written. Do you know this to be true? Secondly, I should be interested to know what your own investigators thought was the probable cause of the "star-like objects" that Col Halt reported in the final para of his letter.

Yours sincerely,

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