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Investigation Report: Unknown Light Anomaly United Kingdom.

Exact date is unknown but is year 2018 and before 18/05/18 – Location and footage owner has not been disclosed to ensure anonymity.

Situation: The original footage was recorded directly from a CCTV system via a mobile phone. The footage is considered to be genuine and unedited. This report contains links to download footage to view.

The footage shows a white beam of light travelling quickly from right to left and passing a CCTV camera: [VIEW ORIGINAL FOOTAGE:](#)

The area of interest was sampled, slowed down and duplicated three times using differing filters: [VIEW SAMPLE FOOTAGE:](#)

On first viewing the object appears to be large and flat shaped.

The area the object appears to have come is an area which we understand is an empty building although no doors are present. Noted on this photo (white arrow):



180318AR SCREEN SHOT

Important:

1. The object comes from an area that can be considered 'slightly secluded'.
2. The object travels quickly, getting brighter the closer it gets to the CCTV camera.
3. The object is travelling upwards from almost ground level to height.
4. The object could be considered to be fired towards the CCTV camera.
5. The projectory start point is in-between two cars that were passing. This shows a degree of intelligence and care being taken.
6. The CCTV infra-red (IR) will be working, although not at full brightness, therefore any object emitting even a small light will get brighter and larger the closer it gets to the camera lens, which it does in this footage.
7. The object appears to show a slight vapour trail supporting the view the object is emitting light.
8. Staff made attempts to look for possible causes but found nothing which included no people present when the footage was filmed.

Possible Reasons:

1. **Laser pen** – This can be ruled out as a possible cause. Experiments have shown an IR CCTV camera will 'white out' once the laser strikes the lens. The object on this footage is too clear and not of a laser type.
2. **Flash light** - or any type would not give this effect plus a torch light is a beam not a single projectile.
3. **Drone Types** – The object appears to be solid and no with motion, so this can be ruled out.

Other data. The internet is a great source of information. I have attached two examples of similar anomalies which are considered to be unknown and unexplained.

USA – This footage was taken as screen shots to show a similar mass. We have not seen the original moving footage so have no way of telling if the object is moving or floating but does show the shape which is why it is included here.

[USA ANOMLAY:](#)

RUSSIA – In this footage a large object travels left to right and then back again. We consider this to be of a drone type and not displaying the similarities of the footage of this report.

[RUSSIA ANOMALY:](#)

There are many such movies and the two attached here are just a small selection.

'Possibly' Responsible:

Given the evidence that is available, it is considered that there is a strong possibility that a BB Gun – now known as an 'Airsoft' was used and the projectile was one of the fluorescent types currently popular and freely available. Also known as 'tracer'.

This type of projectile has to be 'charged' with light, so they emit differing light strengths. Given how IR CCTV cameras work, this would explain why the object gets brighter the closer it gets to the camera. It would also explain the high speed of the object.

We are unable to find data on the speed of Airgun projectiles. The regulations are based on power rather than speed per second.

This short movie shows one such device being used. The shooter is close to the camera, where the footage in this report is from a much greater distance.

[AIRSOFT EXAMPLE:](#)

Conclusion: Depending on who reviews the original footage will depend on their own perception of what they think it is. A 'UFO' buff may conclude it's a spaceman and a Spirit Medium an 'Angel'. We don't share those types of views.

We do agree that the footage of the anomaly is strange and unusual.

We are informed by the footage owner that attempts were made to investigate the area but nothing was found. No people were seen in the area at time the footage was taken.

On a balance of probability, we could say the anomaly is *possible* Paranormal, others may take a different view. A possible cause would be an Airsoft gun firing a single round and of the fluorescent type, or a similar type of air weapon, however, the area we are told was free of people at the time.

We can never be 100% certain with this type of footage and it does leave a high percentage of doubt - What exactly is it? There maybe rational reasons, but at this point we are unable to provide any explanation which is considered to be plausible. We therefore class the footage as '**Unexplained**'.

Further Investigations /follow up:

1. Inform footage owner of a '*possible Airgun*' being used towards it's security system.
2. Investigate the area the object came from for any items that could explain what the projectile was.

3. If evidence is found of an Airsoft weapon it is advised to report the matter to the Police.

Report and Investigation completed by:

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