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[redacted] was interviewed at her place of business, INTIMATE BOUTIQUE, in Westhampton, New York. After being advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview, [redacted] provided the following information:

On the evening of July 17, 1996, [redacted] was on an open porch of the Westhampton Yacht Squadron. At about 8:30 PM, while facing south overlooking the bay area and Dune Road, [redacted] saw red flare arching in the sky. [redacted] did not see where it originated from. The flare arched in the sky and then came straight down as if it had a parachute attached to it. The flare was very bright and appeared to be within the bay area.

Suddenly, the red flare burst into a large ball of red flames. The large ball of flames descended half way down the sky and then burst into a larger ball of flames. [redacted] heard the second explosion, but not the first. The second explosion caused the object to separate and plummet down south of Dune Road into the ocean. After [redacted] lost sight of the objects, she continued to hear two more explosions.

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