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PROJECT SUN STREAK

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PROJECT NUMBER:	8915	SESSION NUMBER:	01
DATE OF SESSION:	07 JUN 89	DATE OF REPORT:	07 JUN 89
START:	1035	END:	1120
METHODOLOGY:	CRV	VIEWER ID:	011

1. (S/NF/SK) MISSION: To determine and describe the key functions and supporting activities of a target consisting of structures represented in overhead photography.
2. (S/NF/SK) VIEWER TASKING: Encrypted coordinates 623826/696347 only to begin.
3. (S/NF/SK) COMMENTS:
 - a. Inclemencies: Tired.
 - b. 011 gained immediate contact with the target, and was informed of such and complemented for it. Habits indicated continued excellent site contact. The physical aspects of the target were obtained, after which 011 went into "interest drive" about the historical aspects of the site. (Present time functions and activities were postponed until the next session to allow this AI to dissipate.) *rh*
 - c. Summary of Information enclosed.
4. EVALUATION:
5. SEARCH EVALUATION: N/A

3 encl: Viewer's summary
 Session transcript
 Tasking sheet

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SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

THE TARGET SITE CONSISTS OF A GROUP OF STRUCTURES THAT ARE STRATEGICALLY LOCATED AT SOME SORT OF CROSSROADS. THERE ARE ROADS AND TRAILS ENTERING THIS COMPLEX FROM EVERY DIRECTION. THIS COMPLEX APPEARS TO BE SITUATED IN A FLAT, DRY BASIN. TO THE NORTHWEST ARE STEEP, RUGGED CLIFFS BORDERING A HIGH PLATEAU WHICH IS INTERRUPTED IN MANY PLACES BY DEEP RAVINES WITH DRY RIVERBEDS. TO THE SOUTH AND EAST ARE SEMI-ARID, ROLLING HILLS WITH MOSTLY GRASSES AND GNARLED SHRUBS FOR VEGETATION. OVER ALL, THE CLIMATE HERE IS HOT AND DRY, EXCEPT FOR THE RAINY SEASON, WHICH OCCURS DURING LATE SUMMER AND EARLY FALL.

THERE SEEMS TO BE SOMETHING ANCIENT ABOUT THIS SITE, AS IF IT WERE, IN ANTIQUITY, (AOL) LIKE AN OLD TRADING CENTER OR AN OASIS ALONG A FORGOTTEN CARAVAN ROUTE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

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A. across, angle up, angle
across
hard
B. structure

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A. across, angle up,
curving up, peak,
angle down, angle
back
hard/soft

B. structure/land interface

S-2
brown
beige
rusty color
soft
gritty
ups and downs

grey
greenish-grey
dry
warm
land
hilly-like

AOL Break
reminds me of
dry plains or plateau
like a high desert
like, arid climate

4 1/2 - the area is a rather dry climate, perhaps similar to the great plains. It seems to be semi-arid. Vegetation consists of mostly grasses and shrubs. The soil is mostly loose, gritty and dry, except during the wet season in late summer and early fall.

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D

A1

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AOL

A/S

white
grey
hard
rough

angles
squares
vertical
horizontal
curves
rounded

old feeling

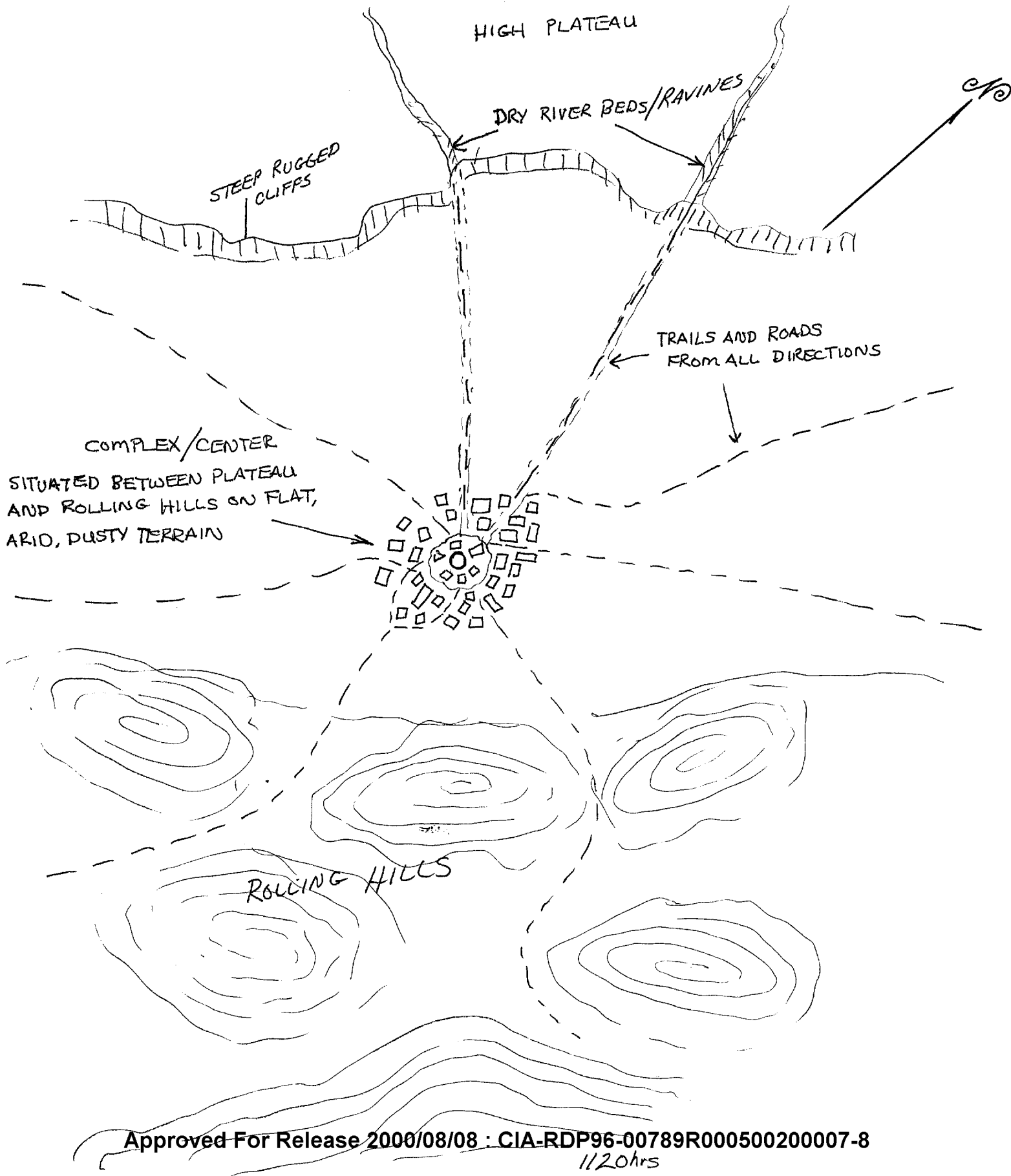
AOL Break

reminds me
of the middle east
or even southwest
U.S.

Complex
city or village
like a crossroads
an old/ancient trade
route.

4 1/2 - get the impression that old roads or trails
converge at this point. In the distant past this
complex, (AOL - like an oasis) was a meeting place,
and a center of trade. Many roads, from all directions
converge here.

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1. PROJECT : 8915
2. Encrypted coordinates: 623826/696347.
3. Tasking: "The target site consists of structures represented in overhead photography."
4. Required EEI:
 - a. Determine and describe the key function of the target site.
 - b. Describe the activities taking place in support of the key function.
 - c. Provide an overhead perspective of the target site; submit sketches in support of findings.

(SEE OPS FOR THE CONDUCT OF A SEARCH IN THIS PROJECT ONCE 4A THROUGH 4C HAVE BEEN SATISFIED.)

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