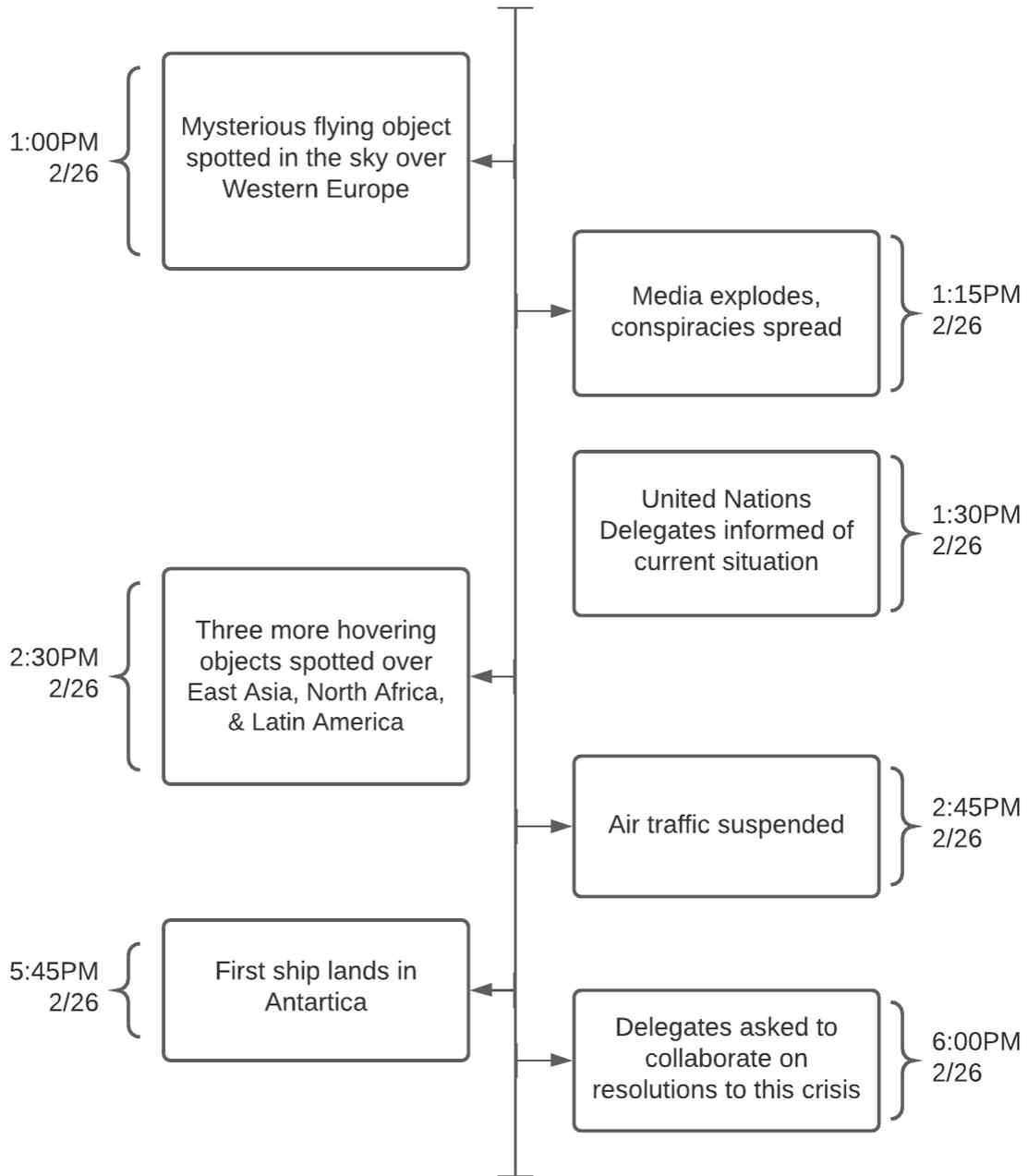


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Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What do we know now?

This is a completely unprecedented issue. There are many “unknowns” in this situation that force everything up to each country’s discretion. Will you retaliate against the aliens, putting the defense of the world first and dispelling them from our planet as soon as you can? Would that approach even help us if they have cutting edge technology, or would it be to our disadvantage? Will you try to establish communications with these aliens in the hope of reaching common ground or would they consider that as hostile and attack? This crisis is extremely open to interpretation but that’s not to say that deep thinking isn’t required for this. Consider the implications of whatever steps your country decides to take.

Q: Why are the aliens here?

We do not know why they are here and an effective way of communication has not been established. Are they hostile and coming here to harm humankind and take our resources for their own race? In other words, are they invading us? Are they coming here in search of aid because they are desperate for help? Is there something bigger they are running from? Would that desperation lead to hostile actions between us and them or would it lead to a truce? This is all for you to decide.

Q: Are the aliens friendly or hostile?

With the information we have now, it is impossible to decipher the intention of these aliens. There have been no evident acts of violence made by the aliens, but the ships appear to have defense and attack systems in place. Given their technological advancements, these could be weapons of mass destruction.

Q: What do the ships look like?

The ships are long and sleek with a glossy, black exterior. It is unclear what exactly the material is, but it doesn’t appear to be anything found on Earth. The ships have long implements protruding from their exteriors, possibly some kind of weapons system?

Q: How many are there and where have they landed?

The first ship was spotted Friday morning. More and more have been arriving as time has passed. The amount of aliens per ship is not yet confirmed, and the number of spotted ships is increasing every couple of hours. As of now (Friday afternoon) alien ships have been hovering in the sky over parts of Western Europe, East Asia, North Africa, Latin America, and North America. The ships are about 9-10 miles up into the atmosphere, which is just slightly higher than commercial air travel altitude. One ship is reported to have landed outside of a research camp in Antarctica, yet no movement has been made other than physically landing. However, we expect this to

change. Based on the rate at which ships have arrived, scientists are assuming that more will come. We will continue to update.

Q: What if my country doesn't have a national defense?

If your country does not have its own secure national defense (military, guard, etc.), it is highly recommended that you focus on aspects of this issue besides the national defense portion. For example, would your country be able to give some services to other countries in exchange for protection (maybe your country can be used as a refuge for your citizens and foreign peoples)?

Q: Can aliens contract Earthly diseases or spread foreign ones?

At this time it is unknown how the alien immune system functions, so it is impossible to tell if aliens can contract Earthly disease. It is also unknown if they carry any diseases of their own, and individuals must act extremely cautiously if in-person contact is made with these beings.

Q: Can aliens survive on Earth without space suits?

Now, there may be some discussion on whether aliens can survive here or not. Do they need space suits like humans? The thing is, we do not know where these aliens come from. Wherever they come from, they most definitely have evolved under incredibly different environmental conditions. Their bodies work much differently than ours do. However, these aliens did not come here by accident. Like we mentioned before, they have technology more advanced than ever seen before, advanced enough to transport them to another planet. It's safe to assume their tech is advanced to the point that they have their own space trek GPS, which means we can assume that they came to Earth intentionally.

Q: Have we been able to communicate with the aliens?

Representatives from the world's superpower countries are brainstorming ideas on how to establish communication with the ship that landed in Antarctica. There is likely to be a significant language barrier between our two species, so new information may be tough to acquire.