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Subject: ANC22FA001 Reason for no Autopsy or Toxicology performed

Contact: Medical Examiner for the State of Alaska.

The State of Alaska Medical Examiner's Office was contacted about autopsy and toxicology exams for the pilot. It was the position of the Medical Examiner that since there were multiple witnesses, to include family members of the drowning death of the pilot, that only a review of the death was conducted. Furthermore, for these same reasons, no specimen samples were collected for a toxicology exam. The NTSB and FAA are in talks with the ME's office to determine why this happened.