



Memorandum of Record

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Date: 12/17/2020

Subject: CEN21LA089, N55168, Air Traffic Control Communications

The following information was conveyed to the Investigator in Charge by Barksdale Air Force Base (BAD) and FAA personnel during the initial response to this accident.

- Shreveport (SHV) air traffic control contacted the BAD tower controller and informed him there was traffic squawking 1200 and flying between 500' and 1000' near the base.
- The BAD tower controller said that he turned up the runway lights at BAD to full brightness and attempted to contact the airplane on the radio but did not receive a reply.



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The DTN airport manager, Mr. Paul Strahan, stated the following:

- N55168 was owned by Jason Montgomery and the airplane was hangered at the airport.
- Security video recorded a vehicle passing through the airport gate at 0315 on Dec 16.
- The runway pilot controlled lighting (PCL) came on at 0415.
- An airplane took off from runway 14 at 0417.