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Contact: Joel Martinez Martin, flight instructor

On January 31, 2024, about 1722 central standard time, a Piper PA-28-180 airplane, N2184T, was substantially damaged when it was involved in an accident near Conway, Arkansas. The flight instructor and student pilot were not injured. The flight was operated as a Title 14 *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 91 instructional flight.

In a phone conversation with Mr. Martinez Martin, he stated that he did not direct the pilot to switch the fuel selector to OFF after the accident and he did not recall any postaccident discussion about the fuel selector at all. He added that he did not observe the position of the fuel selector during the flight [since it was on the opposite side of the student pilot's leg on the side wall of the airplane].

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