

15-10603-401 Rev. 11/06 (CR1)		1. CODE SECTION		2. CRIME DEFINITION		3. CASE NO		
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO, CA UNIFORM CRIME REPORT 03600		OTHER PLANE DOWN		PLANE DOWN		082400199		
4. ASSIGNMENT MO-DAY-YEAR-TIME		5. ARRIVED MO-DAY-YEAR-TIME		6. BEAT		7. REPORT DIST.		
020924 2214		020924 2224		BA		BA031		
8. OCCURRED DAY OF WEEK MO-DAY-YEAR-TIME		9. REPORTED MO-DAY-YEAR-TIME		10. LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE CITY				
FRIDAY 020924 2212 HOURS		021024 0518		INTERSTATE 15 / HALLORAN SPRINGS, BAKER				
CODES FOR BOXES 12 & 22 ARE: V = VICTIM W = WITNESS RP = REPORTING PARTY DC = DISCOVERED CRIME IP = INVOLVED PARTY								
V I C T I M	11. LAST, FIRST MIDDLE (FIRM IF A BUSINESS)		12. IP		13. RESIDENCE-ADDRESS-STREET-CITY-ZIP		14. RESIDENCE PHONE	
	15. OCCUPATION		16. RACE/SEX		17. AGE		18. DOB M-D-YR	
	19. BUSINESS ADDRESS STREET-CITY-ZIP		20. BUSINESS PHONE		21. NAME: LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE (FIRM IF A BUSINESS)		22. IP	
	23. RESIDENCE ADDRESS-STREET-CITY-ZIP		24. RESIDENCE PHONE		25. OCCUPATION		26. RACE/SEX	
W I T N E S S	27. AGE		28. DOB M-D-YR		29. BUSINESS ADDRESS-STREET-CITY-ZIP		30. BUSINESS PHONE	
	31. SUSPECT NO.1 LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE		32. RACE/SEX		33. AGE		34. HT.	
	35. WT.		36. HAIR		37. EYES		38. DOB	
	39. ARRESTED		40. INTERVIEW		41. RESIDENCE-ADDRESS-STREET-CITY-ZIP		42. CLOTHING AND OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS/CHARACTERISTICS	
S U S P E C T S	43. SUSPECT NO 2 LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE		44. RACE/SEX		45. AGE		46. HT.	
	47. WT.		48. HAIR		49. EYES		50. DOB	
	51. ARREST		52. INTERVIEW		53. RESIDENCE ADDRESS-STREET-CITY-ZIP		54. CLOTHING AND OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS/CHARACTERISTICS	
	55. CHECK IF MORE NAMES IN CONTINUATION		56. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		57. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE RECOVERED		58. PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN	
I N V	59. LATENT PRINTS LIFTED		60. VEHICLE		61. COLOR		62. YEAR	
	63. MAKE		64. MODEL		65. BODY TYPE		66. LIC.	
	67. STATE		68. DAMAGE/ODDITY/ACCESSORIES		69. ROBBERY WEAPON:		70. ASSAULT WEAPON:	
	71. BURGLARY		72. LARCENY		73. PROPERTY TYPES & VALUES		74. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE INJURIES:	
C R I M E S T A T E	75. PEACE OFFICER ASSAULTED/ARSON		76. SYNOPSIS		77. REPORTING OFFICER		78. EMP #	
	79. DATE		80. REVIEWED BY		81. ROUTED TO		82. REPORTING OFFICER IS 115 QUALIFIED	
	83. GANG RELATED		84. OTHER		85. IMMEDIATE FOLLOW-UP		86. YES	
	87. NO		88. YES		89. NO		90. YES	

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ASSIGNMENT / ARRIVAL:

On Friday, February 9, 2024, I was assigned to uniform patrol in the county areas of Barstow. I wore a class A uniform and drove a marked patrol unit. At about 2214 hours, I was dispatched to a plane down call for service at Halloran Springs in the town of Baker. California Highway Patrol (CHP) Dispatch had received about 20 to 30 calls about a helicopter that crashed landed on the east of Interstate 15 near the exit of Halloran Springs and the information was relayed to San Bernardino Sheriff's dispatch to assist locate and find the aircraft and potentially any survivors on board.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The helicopter was from Orbic Air LLC 10750 Sherman Way, Burbank, California. The helicopter tail # was N130CZ and flew from Palm Springs and was headed to Las Vegas, Nevada before it was dropped from the radar of the San Bernardino Sheriff's Aviation division. San Bernardino Sheriff's and California Highway Patrol's Air unit were unable to assist due to the dangerous flying conditions. The weather in Baker by Halloran Springs exit and Interstate 15 was icy, windy, and rainy with low visibility due to the snowstorm.

AREA CHECK:

The San Bernardino Sheriff's dispatch did not have an exact location of where the helicopter was located at. We received information from Sheriff's aviation that the helicopter disappeared from their radar about 2-3 miles north of Interstate 15 and exit Afton Canyon Road. I arrived on scene at about 2321 hours and conducted an area check for the helicopter and any survivors. I was unable to locate the helicopter and proceeded enroute to Halloran Springs exit of the Interstate 15 north of the town of Baker.

At about 2346 hours, California Highway Patrol officers located the crash site of the Helicopter on the east side of Interstate 15 about a quarter mile north of Halloran Springs exit. The exact coordinates of the crash site were 35.37304 longitude and -115.86357 latitude. The coordinates were provided to CHP by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA). I arrived at Halloran Springs and Interstate 15 at about 0037 hours and met up with CHP officers and they led me to the crash site.

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FURTHER ACTION: ☐ YES ☐ NO		COPIES TO: ☐ SD/PD ☐ Other ☐ Detectives ☐ CII ☐ District Attorney ☐ Patrol		REMARKS:		

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SCENE / OBSERVATIONS:

CHP officers and I went on foot and walked about 2 miles east from Interstate 15 and a quarter mile north of Halloran Springs to the crash site of the helicopter. The weather was rainy and began to hail when we walked to the crash site. The temperature was about 35 degrees and visibility were low due to it being midnight and rainy. We were able to locate the crash site with our flashlights and searched the crash site for any survivors.

The crash site consisted of debris from the destroyed helicopter and personal belongings of its occupants. There was baggage scattered everywhere inside the crash site that consisted [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Several items inside the crash site such as helicopter debris and baggage were burnt and charred but there was no active fire when I arrived on scene. The area of the crash site still smelled like fuel and the smell was stronger toward the propeller portion of the helicopter. [REDACTED]

CHP officers and I left the crash scene and returned to our marked patrol units. I secured access to the crash site and remained at the entrance of the dirt road east of Interstate 15 and Halloran Springs exit.

CRIME SCENE LOG:

I created a crime scene log and documented all the individuals that were at the incident location. The names of the individuals, their employee number and their agency were documented with their entry and exit times of the incident location. I was relieved by Deputy Ganoa-Perez, and he continued the documentation of the crime scene log.

PHOTOGRAPHS:

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I was unable to take photographs of the crash site due to the low visibility of the night and the rainy, icy weather. Photographs were taken during the day and were uploaded into the Command Central Vault referenced this report number.

DISPOSITION:

No additional leads. Report taken for documentation. Station file only.

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