



RECORD OF CONVERSATION

Chris Shaver
Air Safety Investigator

Date: July 10, 2013
Person Contacted: Janet Pope - Witness
NTSB Accident Number: DCA13MA121

Narrative:

Ms. Pope stated she heard the pilot start the airplane and announce on the CTAF that he was ready to taxi to Runway 25. She was inside, but looked out the window to admire the airplane, then returned to what she was doing. About one minute later, there was a loud explosion and an ELT went off. She looked out the window again and saw the airplane engulfed in flames. She called 911, and tried to get out to the airplane, but was unable to get close because of the heat.