



RECORD OF CONVERSATION

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Person Contacted: Mark Hagood
NTSB Accident Number: ERA11FA258 – Altavista, VA

Narrative:

Mr. Hagood was interviewed by the investigation team at his residence near the Fox Pen. The IIC led the interview. The following is a summary of the interview.

Mr. Hagood and his wife were watching TV at the time, when an airplane came over the house, “right on the housetop.” He came outside to look for the airplane. The airplane proceeded to make several (7 to 10) passes over his house, in a left race track pattern. He thought the airplane was trying to land. He thought the airplane was going to hit his house.

He could see the lights of the airplane in the clouds, but could not see the airplane. It was foggy at the time.

At first it sounded like the engine was sputtering, then later the engine sounded fine. He heard the airplane going toward highway 29. He then heard a whistling sound as it sped up, then the airplane crashed.