



MEMORANDUM OF RECORD

Shawn Etcher
Air Safety Investigator
Eastern Region Aviation

May 9, 2013

Subject: ERA13LA221 Telephone call with the FAA inspector

Persons on Call: Mr. Alan Miller (FAA) and Shawn Etcher (Self)

Time of phone Call: 1443 EDT

Inspector Miller was asked if he had had any contact with the pilot or had located any maintenance records. Inspector Miller stated that he had been able to get in touch with the pilot and that the pilot would be home later in the month. He further reported that he had copies of the maintenance records and would provide the IIC with a copy immediately. It appeared that the airplane had operated about 18 hours since the most recent annual inspection and that the airplane total time at the time of the accident was about 1702.33 hours. He further reported that according to the pilot, the flight departed from 1B8 for a local flight, while enroute the airplane suddenly was unresponsive to any control inputs and was unable to be controlled. He further reported that he knew he was going to impact the ground and was trying to avoid nearby residence however, was unable to do so with any input and that some of the inputs appeared to exacerbate the situation.

Inspector Miller was asked if the pilot reported anything else. He stated that due to his injuries he did not continue asking questions.

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