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Pilot Statement

Date: 5-12-22 Time: 20:10 Aircraft Registration Number N92913

Location: Owensboro, Ky

Name: Gregory Ellis Certificate Number [REDACTED]

Medical Type and Date BASIC MED

Phone Number:

Day [REDACTED]

Cell: [REDACTED]

Address:

Columbus, INDIANA 47201

E-Mail [REDACTED]

Employer: Self Employed

In your own words state what occurred, if the aircraft was performing normally or if there were any mechanical issues with the engine(s) and any injuries sustained: (Use additional pages as necessary)

WENT to take off, Got up to approx 60 mph.
STARTED to ROTATE as front wheel shimmyed.
Felt front wheel come off, then back down,
Aircraft began to pull hard left.
I fought the left pull but ~~as~~ was not able to
OVER come the pull. Aircraft went into
the ditch and ~~became~~ bounced onto the taxiway
HARD AND BROKE NOSE GEAR. AFTERWARD WAS told
Kyle set the autopilot as was taking off. Not sure
if this WAS the pull to left.

Signature: [REDACTED]

Date

MAY 19th 2022