



MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

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Subject: FAA inspector Laura Delewski
examination and damage assessment
of N5GY

In a conversation with inspector Laura Delewski, we discussed the damage assessment of N5GY.

Inspector Delewski advised me that during the examination of the airplane it was noted that substantial structural damage was incurred to the left wing and fuselage. Inspector Delewski stated that during the examination of the braking system, an inspection panel was removed from the belly access area. She found a loose brake line and a hard piece of foam that was soaked with hydraulic fluid. When checking the other lines, she found small amounts of fluid in the lines. She said that maintenance personnel would not have seen this on a normal brake job or routine maintenance.