



MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

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Date: 1/7/2025
Subject: Pilot interview, Kevin Garlisch
NTSB Case Number: ERA25LA089

Mr. Kevin Garlisch was interviewed by telephone.

Mr. Garlisch, pilot, stated that he was not a pilot and did not have a pilot's license or any training in the unregistered, powered parachute aircraft trike. He stated that he watched You-Tube videos on how to fly the trike. He stated he purchased the trike "a while back" and repaired the engine. He further stated that he did not have any paperwork or logbooks for the aircraft. He stated that he flew earlier in the day and departed from a baseball diamond. During his second attempt for flight, he knew he was too close to the fence when he started his takeoff roll but decided to go anyway. A gust of wind blew him into the baseball diamond fence resulting in serious injury to both legs. The aircraft was not damaged.

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