

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

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Subject: ERA25LA356

Contact: Kabir Chuttani, Pilot of N81317

As part of the investigation, Mr. Chutanni was sent an e-mail with 4 questions to answer. He replied the same day at 1926 EDT with:

1. Were you wearing sunglasses at the kind. If so, what color lens - "Yes, I was wearing sunglasses. Grey color lens¹."
2. Had you made a radio call to ground control? If so, how long before the accident? "KPYM is an uncontrolled airport so there is no ground control hence I had not made a radio call to ground control before starting to taxi from the hanger. I was monitoring CTAF 122.72."
3. How fast were you taxiing? "I was around 5 MPH at about 6000² rpm."
4. Did you hear any radio call from the other pilot? If so, how long was that before the collision? "I was monitoring the CTAF 122.72 and I didn't hear any radio call from the other aircraft."

¹ His answers were changed to red for clarity.

² Although this was copied from his e-mail he likely meant to say 600.