

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

PILOT/OPERATOR AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT/INCIDENT REPORT

This form to be used for reporting civil and public aircraft accidents and incidents

BASIC INFORMATION**Accident/Incident Location**Nearest City/Place: MERRILL State: ORZIP: 97633 Country: USALatitude: 42°1'32"N Longitude: 121°35'58"W

(Enter in decimal degrees or degrees:minutes:seconds)

Accident/Incident Date/TimeDate: 6-21-2015 Local Time: 11:15 AM

mm/dd/yyyy

Time Zone: PDTCollision with Other Aircraft: ☐ Midair ☐ On-ground ☒ None**AIRCRAFT INFORMATION**Registration Number: N939REManufacturer: ERVIN BEX HModel: BEARHAWK 4 PLSerial Number: 778Year of Manufacture: 2015Amateur-Built: ☒ Yes ☐ No If Yes: ☒ Kit/Plans ☐ Original Design Make: BEARHAWK 4 PL

- ☐ IFR-Equipped and Certified
☐ Commercial Space Flight
☐ Unmanned Aircraft

Maximum Gross Weight: 2500 lbsWeight at Time of Accident/Incident: 2155 lbsNumber of Seats: 4 Flight Crew Seats: 2Cabin Crew Seats: 0 Passenger Seats: 2Number of Engines: 0**Category of Aircraft**

- ☒ Airplane
☐ Balloon
☐ Blimp/Dirigible
☐ Glider
☐ Gyroplane
☐ Helicopter
☐ Powered Lift
☐ Rocket
☐ Ultralight
☐ Unknown

Type of Airworthiness Certificate
(Check all that apply)

- Standard**
☐ Normal
☐ Aerobatic
☐ Balloon
☐ Commuter
☐ Transport
☐ Utility
☐ Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA)
☐ None
- Special**
☐ Restricted
☐ Limited
☐ Provisional
☐ Special Flight
☒ Experimental
☐ Special Light-Sport
☐ Experimental Light-Sport
☐ Unknown

Landing Gear
(Check all that apply)

- ☐ Retractable
☐ Tricycle
☐ Amphibian
☐ Emergency Float
☐ Float
☐ Hull
☐ Other Launch/Recovery System
☐ None
- ☒ Fixed
☐ Tailwheel
☐ High Skid
☐ Skid
☐ Ski
☐ Ski/Wheel
☐ Unknown

Engine Type (Select one)

- ☒ Reciprocating
☐ Turbo Shaft
☐ Turbo Prop
☐ Turbo Jet
☐ Turbo Fan
☐ Electric
☐ Liquid Rocket
☐ Solid Rocket
☐ Hybrid Rocket
☐ None
☐ Unknown

Fuel System Type (Reciprocating)

- ☒ Carburetor ☐ Fuel-Injected

Engine	Engine Manufacturer	Engine Model/Series	Manufacturer's Serial Number	Date of Mfg. mm/dd/yyyy	Rated Power ☒ Horsepower or ☐ lbs of Thrust	Total Time (hours)	Time Since: Inspection (hours)	Overhaul (hours)
Eng. 1	LYCOMING	O-540-EXP	L-4296-40	8-16-2008	240 HP	64	64	64
Eng. 2								
Eng. 3								
Eng. 4								

Last Inspection Type

- ☐ 100-Hour ☐ Continuous Airworthiness
☐ AAIP ☒ Conditional Inspection
☐ Annual ☐ Unknown

Date Last Inspection: 1-2-2015
mm/dd/yyyyAirframe Total Time: 64 hrs

hours measured at (Select one)

☐ Last Inspection ☒ Time of Accident/Incident**Type of Maintenance Program (Select one)**

- ☐ Annual
☒ Conditional (Amateur-built only)
☐ Manufacturer's Inspection Program
☐ Other Approved Inspection Program (AAIP)
☐ Continuous Airworthiness
☐ Other, specify: _____

Description of Fire Extinguishing System

- ☐ None
☐ Specify: _____

Propeller 1

- ☐ Fixed Pitch
☒ Controllable Pitch
☐ Ground Adjustable

Manufacturer: HARTZELLModel: HC-C2YR-1BF/FB476**Propeller 2**

- ☐ Fixed Pitch
☐ Controllable Pitch
☐ Ground Adjustable

Manufacturer: _____

ELT Installed: ☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes:

ELT Manufacturer: ACKModel or Part No.: E-04TSO No.: ☐ C91 (121.5 MHz) ☒ C91a (121.5 MHz)
☒ C126 (406 MHz)Was ELT still mounted in aircraft? ☒ Yes ☐ NoWas ELT still connected to antenna? ☒ Yes ☐ NoDid ELT Activate? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If activated:

Did ELT Aid in Locating Aircraft? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If not activated:

- Indicate Reason: ☐ Impact Damage
☐ Fire Damage
☐ Battery Expired/Damaged
☒ Unknown

Additional Equipment (Check all that apply)

- ☐ ADS-B
☐ Airframe Parachute
☐ Angle of Attack Indicator
☐ Autopilot
☐ Data Recorder
☐ Electronic Flight Bag or Handheld Device
☒ Electronic Multifunction Display
☒ Electronic Primary Flight Display
☒ Handheld GPS
☐ Heads Up Display
☐ Onboard Weather
☐ Satellite Tracking Device
☐ Stall Warning System
☐ Video Recording Device
☐ Other, Specify: _____

OWNER/OPERATOR INFORMATION			
Registered Aircraft Owner Name: <u>REX H ERVIN</u>		City: <u>KLAMATH FALLS</u> State: <u>OR</u> ZIP: <u>97603</u> Country: <u>USA</u>	
Fractional Ownership Aircraft: ☐ Yes ☒ No			
Operator of Aircraft ☒ Same As Registered Owner Name: _____ Doing Business As: _____ Air Carrier/Operator Designator (4 Character Code): _____		☐ Same Address as Registered Owner City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Country: _____	
Operating Certificates Held <i>(Check all that apply)</i> ☒ None ☐ Flag Carrier Operating Certificate (FAR 121) ☐ Supplemental ☐ Air Cargo ☐ Foreign Air Carriers (FAR 129) ☐ Rotorcraft External Load (FAR 133) ☐ Commuter Air Carrier (FAR 135) ☐ On-Demand Air Taxi (FAR 135) ☐ Commercial Air Tour (FAR 136) ☐ Agricultural Aircraft (FAR 137) ☐ Pilot School (FAR 141) ☐ Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA) ☐ Commercial Space Transportation Experimental Permit ☐ Commercial Space Transportation License ☐ Other Operator of Large Aircraft	Regulation Flight Conducted Under ☒ FAR 91 ☐ FAR 129 ☐ FAR 415 ☐ FAR 103 ☐ FAR 133 ☐ FAR 431 ☐ FAR 121 ☐ FAR 135 ☐ FAR 435 ☐ FAR 125 ☐ FAR 137 ☐ FAR 437 ☐ FAR 91 Special Flight ☐ Non-US, Commercial ☐ Non-US, Non-commercial ☐ Public Aircraft <i>(Select one)</i> ☐ Armed Forces ☐ Federal ☐ State ☐ Local ☐ Unknown	Revenue Operation for FAR 121, 125, 129, 135 <i>(Select one for each group)</i> ☐ Scheduled or Commuter ☐ Non-Scheduled or Air Taxi ☐ Domestic ☐ International ☐ Passenger ☐ Cargo ☐ Mail Contract Only	
Revenue Sightseeing Flight ☐ Yes ☒ No		Air Medical Flight ☐ Yes ☒ No	
AIRPORT INFORMATION <i>(Fill in if accident/incident occurred on approach, landing, takeoff, departure, or within 3 miles of an airport)</i>			
Airport Name: <u>ERVIN PRIVATE</u> Airport Identifier: <u>NONE</u> Proximity to Airport: ☐ Off Airport/Airstrip ☒ On Airport/Airstrip ☐ N/A		Distance From Airport Center: _____ sm Direction From Airport: _____ degrees true Airport Elevation: <u>4100</u> ft. msl	
Runway Information Runway ID: <u>14/32</u> (L/R/C) Length: <u>2400</u> ft Width: <u>50</u> ft		Condition of Runway/Landing Surface <i>(Check all that apply)</i> ☒ Dry ☐ Holes ☐ Ice Covered ☐ Rough ☐ Rubber Deposits ☐ Slush-Covered ☐ Snow-Compacted ☐ Snow-Crusted ☐ Snow-Dry ☐ Snow-Wet ☐ Soft ☐ Vegetation ☐ Water-Calm ☐ Water-Choppy ☐ Water-Glassy ☐ Wet ☐ Unknown	
Runway/Landing Surface <i>(Check all that apply)</i> ☐ Asphalt ☐ Concrete ☐ Dirt ☒ Grass/Turf ☐ Gravel ☐ Ice ☐ Macadam ☐ Metal/Wood ☐ Snow ☐ Water ☐ Unknown			
Approach/Departure Segment <i>(Select one)</i> ☐ Taxi ☐ Takeoff ☐ Initial Climb ☐ VFR Departure ☐ IFR Departure Procedure/Clearance ☐ On Instrument Approach ☒ Landing ☐ Downwind ☐ Base ☐ Final ☒ Crosswind ☐ Low Approach ☐ Go Around ☐ Aborted Landing (after touchdown) ☐ Unknown			
IFR Approach <i>(Check all that apply)</i> ☐ None ☐ ADF/NDB ☐ SDF ☐ VOR/TVOR ☐ VOR/DME ☐ TACAN ☐ PAR ☐ Sidestep ☐ ILS ☐ Localizer Only ☐ LOC-back course ☐ RNAV ☐ MLS ☐ LDA ☐ ASR ☐ Visual ☐ Contact ☐ Circling ☐ Practice ☐ GPS ☐ Unknown		VFR Approach <i>(Check all that apply)</i> ☐ None ☒ Traffic Pattern ☐ Straight-In ☐ Valley/Terrain Following ☐ Go Around ☐ Full Stop ☐ Stop and Go ☐ Touch and Go ☐ Simulated Forced Landing ☐ Forced Landing ☐ Precautionary Landing ☐ Unknown	

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ADDITIONAL FLIGHT CREWMEMBERS (Exclusive of cabin crew; complete the following information)						
Crew Name and Address First Name: _____ City of Residence: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____			Seat Occupied ☐ Left ☐ Front ☐ Center ☐ Rear ☐ Right ☐ Single ☐ Unknown		Injury ☐ None ☐ Minor ☐ Serious ☐ Fatal ☐ Unknown	
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply) ☐ None ☐ Flight Instructor ☐ Commercial ☐ US Military ☐ Private ☐ Recreational ☐ Airline Transport ☐ Foreign ☐ Student ☐ Sport ☐ Flight Engineer			Restraint Type: Available: ☐ None ☐ Lap Only ☐ 3-point ☐ 4-point ☐ 5-point ☐ Unknown Used: ☐ None ☐ Lap Only ☐ 3-point ☐ 4-point ☐ 5-point ☐ Unknown		Inflatable Restraints ☐ Not Installed ☐ Installed ☐ Not Deployed ☐ Deployed ☐ Unknown	
Type Rating/Endorsement for Accident/Incident Aircraft? ☐ Yes ☐ No			Total Flight Time at the Time of this Accident/Incident: _____ hrs			
Crew Name and Address First Name: _____ City of Residence: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____			Seat Occupied ☐ Left ☐ Front ☐ Center ☐ Rear ☐ Right ☐ Single ☐ Unknown		Injury ☐ None ☐ Minor ☐ Serious ☐ Fatal ☐ Unknown	
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PASSENGER(S) / OTHER PERSONNEL (include cabin crew; continue on separate sheet if necessary)						
Name and Address		Seat	Injury	Restraint Type		Inflatable Restraints
First Name: <u>RICK</u> City: <u>KLAMATH FALLS</u> Middle Initial: <u>A</u> State: <u>OR</u> ZIP: <u>97603</u> Last Name: <u>ERVIN</u> Country: <u>USA</u> ☐ Crew ☒ Passenger ☐ Other		☐ Left ☐ Center ☐ Right ☐ Unknown Row: <u>1</u>	☒ None ☐ Minor ☐ Serious ☐ Fatal ☐ Unknown	Available: ☐ None ☐ Lap Only ☒ 3-point ☐ 4-point ☐ 5-point ☐ Unknown Used: ☐ None ☐ Lap Only ☒ 3-point ☐ 4-point ☐ 5-point ☐ Unknown	☒ Not Installed ☐ Installed ☐ Not Deployed ☐ Deployed ☐ Unknown	<u>31</u> ☐ Under 5 years If Under 5, ☐ Child Restraint ☐ Lap-Held ☐ Unknown
First Name: <u>BEVERLY</u> City: <u>KLAMATH FALLS</u> Middle Initial: <u>A</u> State: <u>OR</u> ZIP: <u>97603</u> Last Name: <u>ERVIN</u> Country: <u>USA</u> ☐ Crew ☒ Passenger ☐ Other		☐ Left ☐ Center ☐ Right ☐ Unknown Row: <u>2</u>	☐ None ☐ Minor ☐ Serious ☐ Fatal ☐ Unknown	Available: ☐ None ☐ Lap Only ☒ 3-point ☐ 4-point ☐ 5-point ☐ Unknown Used: ☐ None ☐ Lap Only ☒ 3-point ☐ 4-point ☐ 5-point ☐ Unknown	☒ Not Installed ☐ Installed ☐ Not Deployed ☐ Deployed ☐ Unknown	<u>62</u> ☐ Under 5 years If Under 5, ☐ Child Restraint ☐ Lap-Held ☐ Unknown
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FLIGHT ITINERARY INFORMATION			
Last Departure Point Airport ID: <u>3U2</u> City: <u>YELLOW PINE</u> State: <u>ID</u> Country: <u>USA</u>		Time of Departure Time: <u>8:10 AM</u> Time Zone: <u>PDT</u>	
Destination Airport ID: <u>ERVIN PRIVATE</u> City: <u>KLAMATH FALLS</u> State: <u>OR</u> Country: <u>USA</u>		Type Flight Plan Filed ☒ None ☐ VFR/IFR ☐ Company VFR ☐ IFR ☐ Military VFR ☐ Unknown ☐ VFR Activated? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown	
Type of ATC Clearance/Service (Check all that apply) ☒ None ☐ Special VFR ☐ Special IFR ☐ VFR Flight Following ☐ Cruise ☐ VFR ☐ IFR ☐ VFR On Top ☐ Traffic Advisory ☐ Unknown / NA			
Airspace where the accident/incident occurred (Check all that apply) ☐ Class A ☐ Class G ☐ Military Operations Area (MOA) ☐ Special ☐ Class B ☐ Demo Area ☐ Airport Advisory Area ☐ Air Traffic Control Area ☐ Class C ☐ Warning Area ☐ Jet Training Area ☐ Unknown ☐ Class D ☐ Prohibited Area ☐ TRSA ☐ FAR 93 ☒ Class E ☐ Restricted Area			
Altitude of In-Flight Occurrence: _____ ft msl			
WEATHER INFORMATION AT THE ACCIDENT/INCIDENT SITE			
Source of Pilot Weather Information (Check all that apply) ☒ National Weather Service ☐ Company ☐ Flight Service Station ☐ Military ☐ TV/Radio ☐ Internet ☒ Automated Report <u>METAR</u> ☐ None ☐ Commercial Weather Service (DUATS) ☐ Unknown ☐ On-Board Weather		Weather Observation Facility Facility ID: <u>KLMT</u> Observation Time: <u>1753Z</u> Time Zone: <u>PDT</u> Distance from Accident Site: <u>5</u> nm Direction from Accident Site: <u>340°</u> degrees true	
Basic Conditions ☒ VMC ☐ IMC ☐ Unknown		Light Condition ☐ Dawn ☐ Dusk ☐ Dark Night ☐ Unknown ☒ Day ☐ Night ☐ Bright Night	
Sky/Lowest Cloud Condition ☒ Clear ☐ Thin Broken ☐ Few ☐ Thin Overcast ☐ Partial Obscuration ☐ Unknown ☐ Scattered		Ceiling ☒ None (Clear) ☐ Obscured ☐ Broken ☐ Indefinite ☐ Overcast ☐ Unknown	
Lowest Cloud Condition Height _____ ft agl		Ceiling Height _____ ft agl	
Wind Direction ☒ Variable Direction: <u>300°</u> degrees true		Wind Speed ☐ Calm ☐ Not Gusting ☒ Light and Variable Speed: <u>10-15</u> kts	
Intensity of Precipitation ☐ Light ☐ Moderate ☐ Heavy ☐ N/A ☐ Unknown		Type of Precipitation (Check all that apply) ☒ None ☐ Drizzle ☐ Freezing Rain ☐ Rain ☐ Ice Pellets ☐ Snow Shower ☐ Snow ☐ Snow Pellets ☐ Ice Pellets Shower ☐ Hail ☐ Snow Grains ☐ Freezing Drizzle ☐ Rain Showers ☐ Ice Crystals	
Restriction to Visibility (Check all that apply) ☒ None ☐ Fog ☐ Blowing Dust ☐ Ground Fog ☐ Blowing Sand ☐ Haze ☐ Blowing Snow ☐ Ice Fog ☐ Blowing Spray ☐ Smoke ☐ Dust ☐ Unknown		Visibility <u>10</u> miles RVR: _____ feet RVV: _____ miles Density Altitude: _____ ft	
Icing Forecast Amount: ☒ None ☐ N/A ☐ Trace ☐ Rime ☐ Light ☐ Clear ☐ Moderate ☐ Mixed ☐ Severe ☐ Unknown ☐ Unknown		Icing Actual Amount: ☒ None ☐ N/A ☐ Trace ☐ Rime ☐ Light ☐ Clear ☐ Moderate ☐ Mixed ☐ Severe ☐ Unknown ☐ Unknown	
Turbulence Type (Check all that apply) ☐ None ☐ Clear Air ☒ Terrain-Induced ☐ Convective Turbulence Severity: ☐ Light ☒ Moderate ☐ Severe ☐ Extreme			
NOTAMs (D and FDC), AIRMETs, SIGMETs, PIREPs in effect at the time of the accident/incident:			

DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT AND OTHER PROPERTY		
Aircraft Damage ☐ None ☐ Minor ☒ Substantial ☐ Destroyed ☐ Unknown	Aircraft Fire ☒ None ☐ In-Flight ☐ On-Ground ☐ Both Ground and In-Flight ☐ Fire at Unknown Time ☐ Unknown	Aircraft Explosion ☒ None ☐ In-Flight ☐ On-Ground ☐ Both Ground and In-Flight ☐ Explosion at Unknown Time ☐ Unknown
Description of Damage to Aircraft and Other Property (Use additional sheet if necessary) RIGHT WING SPAR BENT AT STRUT ATTACHMENT RIGHT MAIN GEAR FOLDED UNDER FUSELAGE RIGHT HORIZONTAL STABILIZER AND ELEVATOR BENT ONE PROPELLER BLADE BENT FORWARD SLIGHTLY RIGHT FLAP AND AILERON DAMAGED SUDDEN ENGINE STOPPAGE		
NARRATIVE HISTORY OF FLIGHT (Please type or print in ink) Describe what occurred in chronological order, including circumstances leading to and nature of accident/incident. Describe terrain and include wreckage distribution sketch if pertinent. Attach extra sheets if needed. State departure time and location, services obtained, and intended destination. Provide as much detail as possible. SAT JUNE 20, 2015: OBTAINED WEATHER FORECAST FOR KLMATH FALLS, OR FOR SUN JUNE 21, 2015 VIA WEATHER CHANNEL AND ADDS METARS & TERMINAL FORECASTS. CHECKED AGAIN BEFORE TAKE OFF ON SUN JUNE 21, 2015. DUE TO FORECAST OF STRONG GUSTY WINDS OF 15-25 MPH AFTER 1 PM LOCAL, WE CANCELLED PLANS FOR THE DAY AND TRY TO GET HOME BEFORE 1 PM TO AVOID THE WINDY CONDITIONS. WE DEPARTED 3U2 AT 8:10 AM PDT AND FLEW DIRECT TO KLMT. WE ARRIVED ABOUT 8:10 AM PDT, THE LAST 1/2 HR OF THE FLIGHT WAS IN VERY UNSTABLE, TURBULENT AIR. THE WIND AT KLMT WAS WEST AT 10-21 MPH. WE DECIDED TO CHECK WIND AT OUR PRIVATE AIRSTRIP 5 MILES SE. THE MIDFIELD WIND SOCK WAS SHOWING VERY LIGHT WIND FROM SW. OUR AIRSTRIP IS 14/32 ORIENTATION. I SET UP A LEFT HAND APPROACH WITH A 1 MILE FINAL. THERE WAS NO CROSS WIND CORRECTION NECESSARY ON FINAL OR DURING THE FLARE ALTHOUGH THE AIR WAS VERY TURBULENT. WE TOUCHED DOWN NORMALLY & 1/2 WAY DURING ROLL OUT WE ENCOUNTERED A STRONG CROSSWIND FROM THE RIGHT. I WAS UNABLE TO MAINTAIN CONTROL OF DIRECTION AND WE GROUND LOOPED TO THE LEFT. WHEN WE GOT OUT OF THE AIRPLANE THE WIND WAS ABOUT 15 MPH FROM THE NW (A QUARTERING TAILWIND). FOR THE NEXT HOUR OR SO THE WIND SWITCHED BACK TO WEST THEN TO SW. IT WENT BACK & FORTH THEN SETTLED ON NW. THE WIND ALL MORNING LONG HAD BEEN SW & WEST.		

RECOMMENDATION (How could this accident have been prevented?)

Operator/Owner Safety Recommendation

I DO NOT SEE HOW THIS ACCIDENT COULD HAVE BEEN PREVENTED DUE TO THE STRONG UNSTABLE AIR. I THINK WE LANDED DURING A TIME WHEN THE AIR MASS WAS IN TRANSITION FROM SW TO NW. I AM GOING TO PLACE A WINDSOCK AT EACH END OF THE RUNWAY, THAT MAY HAVE HELPED US ASSESS THE LOCAL WIND CONDITIONS AT OUR AIRSTRIP THAT DAY.

MECHANICAL MALFUNCTION/FAILURE (If more space is needed, continue on separate sheet)

Was there Mechanical Malfunction/Failure? ☐ Yes ☒ No
(If yes, list the name of the part, manufacturer, part no., serial no., and describe the failure.)

Total Time/Cycles
On Part

Hours

Cycles

Time Since This Part
Inspected/Overhauled

Hours

FUEL & SERVICES INFORMATION

Fuel on Board at Last Takeoff
(Convert from pounds, as necessary)

45

Gallons

Fuel Type

☐ 80/87☒ 100 Low Lead☐ 100/130☐ 115/145☐ Jet A☐ Jet A-1☐ Jet B☐ JP8☐ Automotive☐ Other, specify _____

Other Services, if Any, Prior to Departure

EVACUATION OF AIRCRAFT

Was an emergency evacuation of the aircraft performed? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Method of Exit - Describe how the occupants exited and how many occupants evacuated each location

RIGHT FRONT PASSENGER EXITED THROUGH THE RIGHT FRONT WINDOW THEN HE ASSISTED ME THE PILOT AND THE REAR PASSENGER OUT THE LEFT DOOR

OTHER AIRCRAFT - COLLISION (If air or ground collision occurred, complete this section for other aircraft)

Aircraft Registration Number

Manufacturer: _____

Model: _____

Damage to Other Aircraft

☐ Destroyed☐ Minor☐ Substantial☐ None

Registered Owner of Other Aircraft

Pilot of Other Aircraft

Name: _____

Name: _____

City: _____

City: _____

State: _____

State: _____

ZIP: _____

ZIP: _____

Country: _____

Country: _____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (Please type or print in ink)

Use this space if additional space is needed for any answers.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

Date of this Report

6-27-2015

mm/dd/yyyy

Name of Pilot/Operator:

REX, H. ERVIN

Signature:

-- or -- ☐ Check here to electronically sign this document**If a Person Other than Pilot/Operator is Filing Report**

Name:

Title:

Signature:

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