

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: Reno nevada KRTS State: NV

ZIP: 89506 Country: usa

Latitude: 39.67 n Longitude: 119.88 w

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

Accident/Incident Date/Time

Date: oct 16 2019 Local Time: 10:15am
mm/dd/yyyy

Time Zone: western

Collision with Other Aircraft: ☐ Midair ☐ On-ground ☒ None

AIRCRAFT INFORMATION

Registration Number: N123T

Manufacturer: EADS PZL Warszawa

Model: PZL 104 wilga 2000

Serial Number: 00060024

Year of Manufacture: 2008

Amateur-Built: ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes: ☐ Kit/Plans ☐ Original Design Make: wilga

☒ IFR-Equipped and Certified

☐ Commercial Space Flight

☐ Unmanned Aircraft

Maximum Gross Weight: 3,500 lbs

Weight at Time of Accident/Incident: 3,185 lbs

Number of Seats: 4 Flight Crew Seats: 2

Cabin Crew Seats: _____ Passenger Seats: 2

Number of Engines: 1

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

Special

- ☐ Restricted
- ☐ Limited
- ☐ Provisional
- ☐ Special Flight
- ☒ Experimental
- ☐ Special Light-Sport
- ☐ Experimental Light-Sport

☐ Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA)

☐ None ☐ Unknown

Landing Gear

(Check all that apply)

☐ Retractable

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

Engine Type (Select one)

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

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	Pratt n Whitney	pt6-28	pce51780		680	6966.7	197.2	3802.8
Eng. 2								
Eng. 3								
Eng. 4								

Last Inspection Type

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

Date Last Inspection: 7/10/2019
mm/dd/yyyy

Airframe Total Time: 695 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: mounted onboard fire exting under pilot seat

Propeller 1

- ☐ Fixed Pitch
- ☒ Controllable Pitch
- ☐ Ground Adjustable

Manufacturer: MT propellers

Model: mtv51ecfrpcfr193-53a

Propeller 2

- ☐ Fixed Pitch
- ☐ Controllable Pitch
- ☐ Ground Adjustable

Manufacturer: _____

Model: _____

ELT Installed: ☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes:

ELT Manufacturer: unknown

Model or Part No.: new 2018

TSO No.: ☐ C91 (121.5 MHz) ☐ C91a (121.5 MHz)
☐ C126 (406 MHz)

Was ELT still mounted in aircraft? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Was ELT still connected to antenna? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Did 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: Michael PateyCity: oremFractional Ownership Aircraft: ☐ Yes ☒ NoState: ut ZIP: 84058Country: usa**Operator of Aircraft**☒ Same As Registered Owner☒ Same Address as Registered Owner

Name: _____

City: _____

Doing Business As: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____

Air Carrier/Operator Designator (4 Character Code): _____

Country: _____

Operating Certificates Held

(Check all that apply)

- ☒ 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 (Select one)
☐ Armed Forces
☐ Federal
☐ State
☐ Local
☐ Unknown

Revenue Operation for FAR 121, 125, 129, 135

(Select one for each group)

- ☐ Scheduled or Commuter ☐ Domestic
☐ Non-Scheduled or Air Taxi ☐ International
- ☐ Passenger
☐ Cargo
☐ Mail Contract Only

Purpose of Flight for FAR 91, 103, 133, 137

(Select one)

- ☐ Aerial Application ☐ Firefighting ☐ Unknown
☐ Aerial Observation ☐ Flight Test
☐ Air Drop ☐ Glider Tow
☐ Air Race/Show ☐ Instructional
☐ Banner Tow ☐ Other Work Use
☐ Business ☒ Personal
☐ Executive/Corporate ☐ Positioning
☐ External Load ☐ Skydiving
☐ Ferry

Revenue Sightseeing Flight☐ Yes ☒ No**Air Medical Flight**☐ Yes ☒ No**AIRPORT INFORMATION (Fill in if accident/incident occurred on approach, landing, takeoff, departure, or within 3 miles of an airport)**Airport Name: reno steadDistance From Airport Center: 0 smAirport Identifier: KRTSDirection From Airport: on airport degrees trueProximity to Airport: ☐ Off Airport/Airstrip ☒ On Airport/Airstrip ☐ N/AAirport Elevation: 5050 ft. msl**Runway Information**Runway ID: 26 (L/R/C) Length: 7606 ft Width: 150 ft**Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that apply)**

- ☒ Asphalt ☐ Grass/Turf ☐ Macadam ☐ Water
☐ Concrete ☐ Gravel ☐ Metal/Wood
☐ Dirt ☐ Ice ☐ Snow ☐ Unknown

Condition of Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that apply)

- ☒ Dry ☐ Snow-Compacted ☐ Water-Calm
☐ Holes ☐ Snow-Crusted ☐ Water-Choppy
☐ Ice Covered ☐ Snow-Dry ☐ Water-Glassy
☐ Rough ☐ Snow-Wet ☐ Wet
☐ Rubber Deposits ☐ Soft
☐ Slush-Covered ☐ Vegetation ☐ Unknown

Approach/Departure Segment (Select one)

- ☐ Taxi ☐ VFR Departure ☐ On Instrument Approach ☐ Downwind ☐ Low Approach
☒ Takeoff ☐ IFR Departure Procedure/Clearance ☐ Landing ☐ Base ☐ Go Around
☐ Initial Climb ☐ Crosswind ☐ Aborted Landing (after touchdown)
☐ Unknown

IFR Approach (Check all that apply)

- ☒ None
- ☐ ADF/NDB ☐ PAR ☐ MLS ☐ Practice
☐ SDF ☐ Sidestep ☐ LDA ☐ GPS
☐ VOR/TVOR ☐ ILS ☐ ASR
☐ VOR/DME ☐ Localizer Only ☐ Visual
☐ TACAN ☐ LOC-back course ☐ Contact
☐ RNAV ☐ Circling
☐ Unknown

VFR Approach (Check all that apply)

- ☒ None
- ☐ Traffic Pattern ☐ Stop and Go
☐ Straight-In ☐ Touch and Go
☐ Valley/Terrain Following ☐ Simulated Forced Landing
☐ Go Around ☐ Forced Landing
☐ Full Stop ☐ Precautionary Landing
☐ Unknown

"FLIGHT CREWMEMBER 1" INFORMATION

"Flight Crewmember 1" Responsibilities at the Time of Accident/Incident

☒ Pilot
 ☐ Co-Pilot
 ☐ Student Pilot
 ☐ Flight Instructor
 ☐ Check Pilot
 ☐ Flight Engineer
 ☐ Other Flight Crew

"Flight Crewmember 1" was pilot flying ☒ Yes ☐ No

"Flight Crewmember 1" Identification

First Name: Michael City of Residence: orem
 Middle Initial: j State: utah ZIP: 84058
 Last Name: Patey Country: usa
 Age at time of Accident/Incident: 47 Date of Birth: mm/dd/yyyy
 Certificate Number:

Degree of Injury ☒ None ☐ Fatal ☐ Minor ☐ Unknown ☐ Serious	Seat Occupied ☒ Left ☐ Front ☐ Unknown ☐ Right ☐ Rear ☐ Center ☐ Single	Restraint Type <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Available</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Used</th> </tr> <tr> <td>☐ None</td> <td>☐ None</td> </tr> <tr> <td>☐ Lap only</td> <td>☐ Lap only</td> </tr> <tr> <td>☐ 3-point</td> <td>☐ 3-point</td> </tr> <tr> <td>☒ 4-point</td> <td>☒ 4-point</td> </tr> <tr> <td>☐ 5-point</td> <td>☐ 5-point</td> </tr> <tr> <td>☐ Unknown</td> <td>☐ Unknown</td> </tr> </table>	Available	Used	☐ None	☐ None	☐ Lap only	☐ Lap only	☐ 3-point	☐ 3-point	☒ 4-point	☒ 4-point	☐ 5-point	☐ 5-point	☐ Unknown	☐ Unknown	Inflatable Restraints ☒ Not Installed ☐ Installed ☐ Not Deployed ☐ Deployed ☐ Unknown
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☐ 5-point	☐ 5-point																
☐ Unknown	☐ Unknown																
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply) ☐ None ☐ Flight Instructor ☒ Commercial ☐ US Military ☐ Private ☐ Recreational ☐ Airline Transport ☐ Foreign ☐ Student ☐ Sport ☐ Flight Engineer		Medical Certificate ☐ None ☐ Class 3 ☐ Class 1 ☐ Driver's License (Sport Pilot only) ☒ Class 2 ☐ Unknown															
Principal Occupation ☒ Pilot ☐ Other ☐ Unknown	Medical Certificate Validity ☒ Without limitations/waivers ☐ Unknown ☐ With limitations/waivers ☐ N/A ☐ Special Issuance		Date of Last Medical <u>3/14/2018</u> mm/dd/yyyy														

Medical Certificate Limitations

none

Medical Certificate Special Issuance

none

Date of Last Flight Review or Equivalent, Including FAR 121/135 Checks:

3/29/2018
mm/dd/yyyy

Flight Review Aircraft

Make: eclipse jet
 Model: EA50

Airplane Rating(s) (Check all that apply) ☐ None ☒ Single-Engine Land ☒ Single-Engine Sea ☒ Multiengine Land ☐ Multiengine Sea	Other Aircraft Rating(s) (Check all that apply) ☐ None ☐ Airship ☐ Balloon ☐ Glider ☐ Gyroplane ☒ Helicopter ☐ Powered Lift	Instrument Rating(s) (Check all that apply) ☐ None ☒ Airplane ☐ Helicopter ☐ Powered Lift	Instructor Rating(s) (Check all that apply) ☒ None ☐ Instrument Airplane ☐ Airplane Single-Engine ☐ Instrument Helicopter ☐ Airplane Multi-Engine ☐ Helicopter ☐ Gyroplane ☐ Glider ☐ Powered Lift ☐ Sport
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Type Ratings

eclipse jet ea50

Student Endorsements (Include dates)

Flight Time (Enter appropriate number of hours in each box)	All Aircraft	This Make & Model	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Multiengine	Night	Instrument		Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
						Actual	Simulated			
Total Time	10,350	300	7900	1600	2000	1,500	70	600		
Pilot in Command (PIC)	9,700	300	7300	1550	1900	1400	65	590		
Time as Instructor										
This Make/Model										
Last 90 Days	70	30	70		6					
Last 30 Days	15	5	15		2					
Last 24 Hours	2	0	2		0					

“FLIGHT CREWMEMBER 2” INFORMATION

“Flight Crewmember 2” Responsibilities at the Time of Accident/Incident

☐ Pilot
 ☐ Co-Pilot
 ☐ Student Pilot
 ☐ Flight Instructor
 ☐ Check Pilot
 ☐ Flight Engineer
 ☐ Other Flight Crew

“Flight Crewmember 2” was pilot flying ☐ Yes ☒ No

“Flight Crewmember 2” Identification

First Name: _____ City of Residence: _____
 Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
 Last Name: _____ Country: _____
 Age at time of Accident/Incident: _____ Date of Birth: _____ mm/dd/yyyy
 Certificate Number: _____

Degree of Injury

☐ None ☐ Fatal
☐ Minor ☐ Unknown
☐ Serious

Seat Occupied

☐ Left ☐ Front ☐ Unknown
☐ Right ☐ Rear
☐ Center ☐ Single

Restraint Type

Available	Used
☐ None	☐ None
☐ Lap only	☐ Lap only
☐ 3-point	☐ 3-point
☐ 4-point	☐ 4-point
☐ 5-point	☐ 5-point
☐ Unknown	☐ Unknown

Inflatable Restraints

☐ Not Installed
☐ Installed
☐ Not Deployed
☐ Deployed
☐ Unknown

Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply)

☐ None ☐ Flight Instructor ☐ Commercial ☐ US Military
☐ Private ☐ Recreational ☐ Airline Transport ☐ Foreign
☐ Student ☐ Sport ☐ Flight Engineer

Principal Occupation

☐ Pilot
☐ Other
☐ Unknown

Medical Certificate

☐ None ☐ Class 3
☐ Class 1 ☐ Driver's License (Sport Pilot only)
☐ Class 2 ☐ Unknown

Medical Certificate Validity

☐ Without limitations/waivers ☐ Unknown
☐ With limitations/waivers ☐ N/A
☐ Special Issuance

Date of Last Medical

_____ mm/dd/yyyy

Medical Certificate Limitations

Medical Certificate Special Issuance

Date of Last Flight Review or Equivalent, Including FAR 121/135 Checks:

_____ mm/dd/yyyy

Flight Review Aircraft

Make: _____
 Model: _____

Airplane Rating(s) (Check all that apply)

☐ None
☐ Single-Engine Land
☐ Single-Engine Sea
☐ Multiengine Land
☐ Multiengine Sea

Other Aircraft Rating(s) (Check all that apply)

☐ None
☐ Airship
☐ Balloon
☐ Glider
☐ Gyroplane
☐ Helicopter
☐ Powered Lift

Instrument Rating(s) (Check all that apply)

☐ None
☐ Airplane
☐ Helicopter
☐ Powered Lift

Instructor Rating(s) (Check all that apply)

☐ None ☐ Instrument Airplane
☐ Airplane Single-Engine ☐ Instrument Helicopter
☐ Airplane Multi-Engine ☐ Helicopter
☐ Gyroplane ☐ Glider
☐ Powered Lift ☐ Sport

Type Ratings

Student Endorsements (Include dates)

Flight Time (Enter appropriate number of hours in each box)	All Aircraft	This Make & Model	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Multiengine	Night	Instrument		Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
						Actual	Simulated			
Total Time										
Pilot in Command (PIC)										
Time as Instructor										
This Make/Model										
Last 90 Days										
Last 30 Days										
Last 24 Hours										

ADDITIONAL FLIGHT CREWMEMBERS (Exclusive of cabin crew, complete the following information)									
Crew Name and Address					Seat Occupied		Injury		
First Name: _____ City of Residence: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____					☐ Left ☐ Front ☐ Center ☐ Rear ☐ Right ☐ Single ☐ Unknown		☐ None ☐ Minor ☐ Serious ☐ Fatal ☐ Unknown		
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply)					Restraint Type:		Inflatable Restraints		
☐ None ☐ Flight Instructor ☐ Commercial ☐ US Military ☐ Private ☐ Recreational ☐ Airline Transport ☐ Foreign ☐ Student ☐ Sport ☐ Flight Engineer					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
Type Rating/Endorsement for Accident/Incident Aircraft?			Total Flight Time at the Time of this Accident/Incident:						
☐ Yes ☐ No			_____ hrs						
Crew Name and Address					Seat Occupied		Injury		
First Name: _____ City of Residence: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____					☐ Left ☐ Front ☐ Center ☐ Rear ☐ Right ☐ Single ☐ Unknown		☐ None ☐ Minor ☐ Serious ☐ Fatal ☐ Unknown		
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply)					Restraint Type:		Inflatable Restraints		
☐ None ☐ Flight Instructor ☐ Commercial ☐ US Military ☐ Private ☐ Recreational ☐ Airline Transport ☐ Foreign ☐ Student ☐ Sport ☐ Flight Engineer					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
Type Rating/Endorsement for Accident/Incident Aircraft?			Total Flight Time at the Time of this Accident/Incident:						
☐ Yes ☐ No			_____ hrs						
PASSENGER(S) / OTHER PERSONNEL (Include cabin crew; continue on separate sheet if necessary)									
Name and Address			Seat	Injury	Restraint Type		Inflatable Restraints	Age	
First Name: <u>chandra</u> City : <u>orem</u> Middle Initial: <u>I</u> State: <u>ut</u> ZIP: <u>84058</u> Last Name: <u>patey</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	☐ Under 5 years If Under 5, ☐ Child Restraint ☐ Lap-Held ☐ Unknown	
First Name: <u>Troy</u> City : <u>salt lake city</u> Middle Initial: _____ State: <u>ut</u> ZIP: _____ Last Name: <u>mason</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	☐ Under 5 years If Under 5, ☐ Child Restraint ☐ Lap-Held ☐ Unknown	
First Name: _____ City : _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ ☐ Crew ☐ Passenger ☐ Other			☐ Left ☐ Center ☐ Right ☐ Unknown Row: _____	☐ 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	☐ Under 5 years If Under 5, ☐ Child Restraint ☐ Lap-Held ☐ Unknown	
First Name: _____ City : _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ ☐ Crew ☐ Passenger ☐ Other			☐ Left ☐ Center ☐ Right ☐ Unknown Row: _____	☐ 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	☐ Under 5 years If Under 5, ☐ Child Restraint ☐ Lap-Held ☐ Unknown	

FLIGHT ITINERARY INFORMATION

Last Departure Point Airport ID: <u>KRTS</u> City: <u>reno</u> State: <u>nv</u> Country: <u>usa</u>	Time of Departure Time: <u>10:15</u> Time Zone: <u>pacific</u>	Destination Airport ID: <u>kspk</u> City: <u>spanish fork</u> State: <u>utah</u> Country: <u>usa</u>	Type Flight Plan Filed ☒ None ☐ Company VFR ☐ Military VFR ☐ VFR ☐ VFR/IFR ☐ IFR ☐ Unknown Activated? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown
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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 | |
| ☐ Class E | ☐ Restricted Area | ☐ FAR 93 | |

Altitude of In-Flight Occurrence:

5050 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 | ☐ None |
| ☐ Commercial Weather Service (DUATS) | ☐ Unknown |
| ☒ On-Board Weather | |

Weather Observation Facility

Facility ID: krt
 Observation Time: aprox 9:45 local
 Time Zone: _____
 Distance from Accident Site: 0 nm
 Direction from Accident Site: _____ 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 | |

Lowest Cloud Condition Height

_____ ft agl

Ceiling

- | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| ☒ None (Clear) | ☐ Obscured |
| ☐ Broken | ☐ Indefinite |
| ☐ Overcast | ☐ Unknown |

Ceiling Height

_____ ft agl

Temperature: _____ (C) or ? 80 (F)

Dew Point: _____ (C) or _____ (F)

Altimeter Setting: _____ in. Hg
 or _____ MB

Wind Direction

- ☐ Variable

-or-
 Direction: _____ degrees true

Wind Speed

- ☐ Calm
☐ Light and Variable

-or-
 Speed: 15-20 kts

Wind Gusts

- ☐ Not Gusting

-or-
 Speed: 38 kts

Visibility clear miles

RVR: _____ feet

RVV: _____ miles

Density Altitude: aprox 7,500 ft

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 |

Icing Forecast

- | Amount | Type |
|--|----------------------------------|
| ☒ None | ☐ N/A |
| ☐ Trace | ☐ Rime |
| ☐ Light | ☐ Clear |
| ☐ Moderate | ☐ Mixed |
| ☐ Severe | ☐ Unknown |
| ☐ Unknown | |

Icing Actual

- | Amount | Type |
|--|----------------------------------|
| ☒ None | ☐ N/A |
| ☐ Trace | ☐ Rime |
| ☐ Light | ☐ Clear |
| ☐ Moderate | ☐ Mixed |
| ☐ Severe | ☐ Unknown |
| ☐ Unknown | |

Turbulence

- | Type (Check all that apply) | Severity |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| ☐ None | ☐ Light |
| ☐ Clear Air | ☐ Moderate |
| ☐ Terrain-Induced | ☐ Severe |
| ☒ Convective Turbulence | ☐ Extreme |

NOTAMs (D and FDC), AIRMETs, SIGMETs, PIREPs in effect at the time of the accident/incident:

light to moderate turbulence

DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT AND OTHER PROPERTY**Aircraft Damage**

- ☐ None ☐ Substantial
☐ Minor ☒ Destroyed
☐ Unknown

Aircraft Fire

- ☒ None ☐ Both Ground and In-Flight
☐ In-Flight ☐ Fire at Unknown Time
☐ On-Ground ☐ Unknown

Aircraft Explosion

- ☒ None ☐ Both Ground and In-Flight
☐ In-Flight ☐ Explosion at Unknown Time
☐ On-Ground ☐ Unknown

Description of Damage to Aircraft and Other Property *(Use additional sheet if necessary)*

aircraft engine and airframe mostly destroyed

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.

This accident was Pilot error. Mine alone. The aircraft was perfect, My choices were NOT. The morning of accident I had no need to get home and no scedual for the day. Our plan the day before was to take our time and leave whenever. looking at the weather from my hotel on foreflight the morning of the accident, I noticed a storm aproaching and wind for the flight home becoming worse later in the afternoon. we elected to leave early so that we could take off at least an hour before the storm was to arive. When arriving to the airport the winds were picking up and gusting. At that time the winds were comfortably within my personal and aircraft limits while fueling and climbing into the plane. multiple aircraft were departing regularly including directly before me. During the taxi I felt the wind was increasing but it felt very similiar to my gusty home field. KSPK regularly gusts as I live at high hot airport next to a slot canyon and 13,000 foot mountains, it felt like home. At this point I remember a very clear thought, wow, im so glad we decided to leave early before the storm. I made a critical mistake just after this point in time during taxe. I thought to check the winds a second time to see how much it may be changing. I even reached for the mic and another pilot keyed up to talk. I continued taxi and was then cleared by the tower to take the runway. It was at this moment as I turned onto the runway I felt some large surge gusts stronger than before. I thought, I wonder what we are up to now, I had better turn into the wind more just to give myself some more margin on the crosswind. This is the second time I thought what is the wind gusting to now. I had several thoughts at once: at home I would turn and use our dirt runway and go directly into the wind (winds like this are common) I wonder if it is even ok at a towered airport? I also thought is someone on final? Ill quickly ask the tower if its ok for me to turn and take the runway at an angle for winds. they replied and ok. However now I thought maybe I should just ask if I can turn directly at the wind across the runway. A sense of self induced "RUSH" as I thought about possible final traffic, my time sitting on runway, gusts building, I completely skipped the fact that I still handnt asked what what the winds had increased to. Epic failure on my part! I know my plane well, like an old pair of shoes. Yet I failed. I was later notified that wind hit 38kts and tents came down while I was on the role. I have several areas that haunt me. This IS pilot error. I allowed distrations, self induced Rush, Unfamiliar runway rules for turning into the wind, and feeling like my entire path that day was around leaving early for safety, to go out before a storm. I was an hour before the rain hit but perfectly or un perfect timing for the wind front that was infront of the storm. It haunts me, I study wind, weather, I know better. A chain of items broke. I failed my own strict system of 3 yellows equal a red and skipped a wind update as I felt it increasing. I believe if I had heard a wind gust number, or turned into the wind as I wanted, or of course taxied back, or not allowed a self induced rush feeling cause a very pore choice. OR or or or.... I could have been fine..... I watch my video over and over. I can pin the exact moment I felt the wind was slow enough that I could launch. In my plane my gear moves alot more than any other plane and with very little wind it will lean it over. The suspension is so soft the first 6-8 inches you can feel every little bump (even in 5kts) the wind moves you and you feel it in its long travel suspension. It lays on its side even in mild winds and levels up on the role with little controll input. Somehow I fooled myself enough to think (withouth checking winds) on a couple taxi oportunities I skipped it and waited for a low wind moment and hit the throttle. What a failure to think I could guess the wind gust. My gut didnt feel good, I felt rushed, and yet I thought the wind was closer to a flying limit with some margin still left over. I was wrong and wind burst like I have never felt before hit me twice as I rolled on the power. It felt good for just a few seconds, then a first smaller burst started to lift the wing, I slowed it for only a secend with full controll input left. I thought wow that sucked and then it hit the second and larger big burst and leaned me into my door. full controll input did nothing and I was along for the ride. Draco was a kite. I left the throttle in thinking I could level the wings and fly out of it. I felt for a second I was. the wind at my back won the battle and we hit. surprisingly the gear did an amazing job, non of us felt any jolt or inpack. The plane came to a stop and engine was running. I turned off the fuel and we got out of the plane. The day after non of us even felt soar in any way. we are lucky. I have learned and will continue to do so. I hope to help others learn from my mistakes. My short version summary, I am lowering my wind minimums, I will increase my margin for gust significantly, I will turn to the wind or not go, I will make my gutt feeling an absolute RED no go, If I feel rushed in any way whatsoever I will pause untill I correct it or shut down.

RECOMMENDATION (How could this accident/incident have been prevented?)

Operator/Owner Safety Recommendation

see above, its all on me.

If I had one wish list, but saying this is not to divert any attention from my fault, I take it ALL! It is where it belongs.

Many towered airports when wind starts to reach in the 20's or gusting significantly will make regular call outs. Las vegas is one of the best, denver is right there with them. Many others as well particullary dallas area towers.

I have always loved and often been very grateful as I listened to attis miles ago, and now in a busy envioronment, hearing the tower make a wing call out if a significant change has ocured or if its abnormally gusty or bursts. Often turning on automated weather wind check in a towered or busy airport talks over what your trying to here and you mistakenly think its similar to what you heard only 2 minutes ago. A quick blip from the tower has caused many adjusments. When you think your coming in to land 15 gust 20 and then the tower calls on short final. "winds 280 30 gusting 38". It jumps out at you, game on and you pause and rethink.

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)

93 Gallons**Fuel Type**☐ 80/87☐ 115/145☐ Jet B☐ Other, specify _____☐ 100 Low Lead☒ Jet A☐ JP8☐ 100/130☐ Jet A-1☐ Automotive**Other Services, if Any, Prior to Departure**

no

EVACUATION OF AIRCRAFTWas an emergency evacuation of the aircraft performed? ☒ Yes ☐ No**Method of Exit** – Describe how the occupants exited and how many occupants evacuated each location3 exited out the pilot 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**

Name: _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____

Country: _____

Pilot of Other Aircraft

Name: _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____

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

9/27/19
mm/dd/yyyy

Name of Pilot/Operator: Mike Patey

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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Eric M. Gutierrez

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