



MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

Stephen Stein
Air Safety Investigator
National Transportation Safety Board
Office of Aviation Safety – Western Pacific Region

NTSB Accident Number: WPR20CA066
Aircraft Registration & Make/Model: N1428P; PA-23
Accident Location: Helena, Montana
Accident Date: January 11, 2020

Note: The following interview was documented by the Investigator –In-Charge (IIC), Stephen Stein.

Interview #1 Summary

Harold Dramstad
Accident Pilot

Electronic Mail Correspondence Date & Time; January 28, 2020; 0802 PT

According to Mr. Dramstad, he did not walk the takeoff path before departure. He further remarked that his decision to takeoff was a poor one, “made in haste,” following a stressful event.