



Aviation Investigation Preliminary Report

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| Location: | Tuckers Crossing, MS | Accident Number: | CEN21LA102 |
| Date & Time: | December 29, 2020, 08:35 Local | Registration: | N103SU |
| Aircraft: | Hughes 369D | Injuries: | 1 Fatal |
| Flight Conducted Under: | Part 133: Rotorcraft ext. load | | |

Aircraft and Owner/Operator Information

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| Aircraft Make: | Hughes | Registration: | N103SU |
| Model/Series: | 369D | Aircraft Category: | Helicopter |
| Amateur Built: | | | |
| Operator: | SIGNATURE PROPERTY HOLDINGS LLC | Operating Certificate(s) Held: | Rotorcraft external load (133) |
| Operator Designator Code: | | | |

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

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| Conditions at Accident Site: | VMC | Condition of Light: | Day |
| Observation Facility, Elevation: | KLUL, 238 ft msl | Observation Time: | 08:55 Local |
| Distance from Accident Site: | 6 Nautical Miles | Temperature/Dew Point: | 13°C / 11°C |
| Lowest Cloud Condition: | Clear | Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction: | 6 knots / None, 80° |
| Lowest Ceiling: | None | Visibility: | 10 miles |
| Altimeter Setting: | 30.36 inches Hg | Type of Flight Plan Filed: | NONE |
| Departure Point: | Tuckers Crossing, MS | Destination: | Tuckers Crossing, MS |

Wreckage and Impact Information

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| Crew Injuries: | 1 Fatal | Aircraft Damage: | Destroyed |
| Passenger Injuries: | | Aircraft Fire: | On-ground |
| Ground Injuries: | | Aircraft Explosion: | Unknown |
| Total Injuries: | 1 Fatal | Latitude, Longitude: | 31.611861,-89.086611 |

Administrative Information

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| Investigator In Charge (IIC): | Sauer, Aaron |
| Additional Participating Persons: | Brian Young; FAA; Jackson, MS Joan Gregoire; MD Helicopters; Mesa, AZ Dave Riser; Rolls Royce; Indianapolis, IN Robby Lane; Signature Utility Services; Mountain Brook, AL |
| Investigation Class: | Class 3 |
| Note: | The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident. |