



Aviation Investigation Preliminary Report

Location:	Albany, TX	Accident Number:	CEN21LA109
Date & Time:	January 9, 2021, 10:00 Local	Registration:	N322SH
Aircraft:	ROBINSON HELICOPTER R44 II	Injuries:	3 None
Flight Conducted Under:	Part 91: General aviation - Other work use		

Aircraft and Owner/Operator Information

Aircraft Make:	ROBINSON HELICOPTER	Registration:	N322SH
Model/Series:	R44 II	Aircraft Category:	Helicopter
Amateur Built:			
Operator:	S2 HELICOPTER SERVICES LLC	Operating Certificate(s) Held:	None

Operator Designator Code:

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

Conditions at Accident Site:	VMC	Condition of Light:	Day
Observation Facility, Elevation:	GZN,1711 ft msl	Observation Time:	10:20 Local
Distance from Accident Site:	25 Nautical Miles	Temperature/Dew Point:	2°C /2°C
Lowest Cloud Condition:	Clear	Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:	3 knots / , 150°
Lowest Ceiling:	None	Visibility:	7 miles
Altimeter Setting:	30.34 inches Hg	Type of Flight Plan Filed:	None
Departure Point:	Albany, TX	Destination:	Albany, TX

Wreckage and Impact Information

Crew Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Damage:	Substantial
Passenger Injuries:	2 None	Aircraft Fire:	None
Ground Injuries:		Aircraft Explosion:	None
Total Injuries:	3 None	Latitude, Longitude:	32.729096,-99.271909 (est)

Administrative Information

Investigator In Charge (IIC):	Link, Samantha
Additional Participating Persons:	Corey Wehmeyer; FAA FSDO; Lubbock, TX Troy Helgeson; Lycoming Engines; Williamsport, PA Thom Webster; Robinson Helicopter Company; Torrance, CA
Investigation Class:	Class 3
Note:	The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident.