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Aviation Investigation Notification

Location: Lake City, KS Accident Number:

Date & Time:March 25, 2021, 12:30 LocalRegistration:N41AJ

Aircraft: Hughes 369D Injuries: 2 None

Flight Conducted Under: Part 133: Rotorcraft ext. load

The NTSB is conducting a <u>Class 4 investigation</u> into this event. A preliminary report will not be issued but a final report will be released at the conclusion of the investigation.

Aircraft and Owner/Operator Information

Aircraft Make:	Hughes	Registration:	N41AJ
Model/Series:	369D	Aircraft Category:	Helicopter
Amateur Built:			
Operator:	English Air Service LLC	Operating Certificate(s) Held:	Rotorcraft external load (133), On-demand air taxi (135), Agricultural aircraft (137)
Operator Designator Code:			

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

Conditions at Accident Site:	VMC	Condition of Light:	Day
Observation Facility, Elevation:	PTT	Observation Time:	10:00 Local
Distance from Accident Site:	25 Nautical Miles	Temperature/Dew Point:	6.7°C /6.1°C
Lowest Cloud Condition:	Unknown	Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:	8 knots / , 345°
Lowest Ceiling:	Broken	Visibility:	10 miles
Altimeter Setting:	27.78 inches Hg	Type of Flight Plan Filed:	None
Departure Point:	Pratt, KS (PTT)	Destination:	Lake City, KS

Wreckage and Impact Information

Crew Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Damage:	Substantial
Passenger Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Fire:	None
Ground Injuries:		Aircraft Explosion:	None
Total Injuries:	2 None	Latitude, Longitude:	37.362358,-98.812263

Administrative Information

Investigator In Charge (IIC): Brannen, John

Additional Participating Persons:

Investigation Class: Class 4

Note: The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident.

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