



Aviation Investigation Notification

Location:	Reynoldsville, IL	Accident Number:	CEN21LA421
Date & Time:	September 15, 2021, 15:00 Local	Registration:	N166LW
Aircraft:	ROBINSON HELICOPTER CO R66	Injuries:	1 None
Flight Conducted Under:	Part 137: Agricultural		

The NTSB is conducting a [Class 4 investigation](#) 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:	ROBINSON HELICOPTER CO	Registration:	N166LW
Model/Series:	R66	Aircraft Category:	Helicopter
Amateur Built:			
Operator:	THOMPSON FLYING SERVICE LLC	Operating Certificate(s) Held:	Agricultural aircraft (137)
Operator Designator Code:			

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

Conditions at Accident Site:	VMC	Condition of Light:	Day
Observation Facility, Elevation:	KCGI, 352 ft msl	Observation Time:	15:00 Local
Distance from Accident Site:	12 Nautical Miles	Temperature/Dew Point:	29°C / 19°C
Lowest Cloud Condition:	Clear	Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:	7 knots / , 30°
Lowest Ceiling:	None	Visibility:	10 miles
Altimeter Setting:	29.94 inches Hg	Type of Flight Plan Filed:	None
Departure Point:	McClure, IL	Destination:	McClure, IL

Wreckage and Impact Information

Crew Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Damage:	Substantial
Passenger Injuries:	N/A	Aircraft Fire:	None
Ground Injuries:		Aircraft Explosion:	None
Total Injuries:	1 None	Latitude, Longitude:	37.3673,-89.3951 (est)

Administrative Information

Investigator In Charge (IIC): Link, Samantha

Additional Participating Persons: Clive Adams; Federal Aviation Administration; Springfield, IL

Investigation Class: [Class 4](#)

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