



Aviation Investigation Notification

Location:	Batavia, NY	Accident Number:	ERA22LA007
Date & Time:	October 6, 2021, 21:16 Local	Registration:	N505TJ
Aircraft:	BELL HELICOPTER TEXTRON CANADA 429	Injuries:	4 None
Flight Conducted Under:	Part 91: General aviation - Positioning		

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:	BELL HELICOPTER TEXTRON CANADA	Registration:	N505TJ
Model/Series:	429	Aircraft Category:	Helicopter
Amateur Built:			
Operator:	MERCY FLIGHT INC	Operating Certificate(s) Held:	On-demand air taxi (135)
Operator Designator Code:			

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

Conditions at Accident Site:	VMC	Condition of Light:	Night
Observation Facility, Elevation:	GVQ,913 ft msl	Observation Time:	20:54 Local
Distance from Accident Site:	0 Nautical Miles	Temperature/Dew Point:	10°C /9°C
Lowest Cloud Condition:	Few / 1400 ft AGL	Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:	
Lowest Ceiling:	None	Visibility:	
Altimeter Setting:		Type of Flight Plan Filed:	CVFR
Departure Point:	Rochester, NY (ROC)	Destination:	Batavia, NY

Wreckage and Impact Information

Crew Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Damage:	Substantial
Passenger Injuries:	3 None	Aircraft Fire:	None
Ground Injuries:		Aircraft Explosion:	None
Total Injuries:	4 None	Latitude, Longitude:	43.034158,-78.167864 (est)

Administrative Information

Investigator In Charge (IIC):	Kemner, Heidi
Additional Participating Persons:	Robert Cunningham; FAA/FSDO; Rochester, NY
Investigation Class:	Class 4
Note:	The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident.