



Aviation Investigation Notification

Location:	Tucson, AZ	Accident Number:	WPR22LA018
Date & Time:	October 16, 2021, 13:00 Local	Registration:	N544AM
Aircraft:	Airbus A350	Injuries:	4 None
Flight Conducted Under:	Part 135: Air taxi & commuter - Non-scheduled - Air Medical (Medical emergency)		

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:	Airbus	Registration:	N544AM
Model/Series:	A350 B3	Aircraft Category:	Helicopter
Amateur Built:			
Operator:	AIR MEATHODS CORP	Operating Certificate(s) Held:	On-demand air taxi (135)
Operator Designator Code:	QMLA		

Meteorological Information and Flight Plan

Conditions at Accident Site:	VMC	Condition of Light:	Day
Observation Facility, Elevation:	KDMA,2704 ft msl	Observation Time:	12:58 Local
Distance from Accident Site:	5 Nautical Miles	Temperature/Dew Point:	30°C /-1°C
Lowest Cloud Condition:	Clear	Wind Speed/Gusts, Direction:	16 knots / , 130°
Lowest Ceiling:	None	Visibility:	10 miles
Altimeter Setting:	30.04 inches Hg	Type of Flight Plan Filed:	Company VFR
Departure Point:	Nogales, AZ (N/A)	Destination:	Tucson, AZ

Wreckage and Impact Information

Crew Injuries:	3 None	Aircraft Damage:	Substantial
Passenger Injuries:	1 None	Aircraft Fire:	None
Ground Injuries:		Aircraft Explosion:	None
Total Injuries:	4 None	Latitude, Longitude:	32.251697,-110.87932 (est)

Administrative Information

Investigator In Charge (IIC):	Swick, Andrew
Additional Participating Persons:	Mike Moyer; Scottsdale FSDO; Scottsdale, AZ
Investigation Class:	Class 4
Note:	The NTSB did not travel to the scene of this accident.