

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

ACCIDENT NUMBER:

RETENTION / RELEASE OF WRECKAGE RELATED TO ACCIDENT NUMBER ►

ERA18LA140

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REGISTERED OWNER (name and address) N923SM LLC; 6 [REDACTED] 1, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19973		IDENTIFICATION NUMBER N923SM	
		MAKE Robinson	
LOCATION Panama City Beach	DATE OF ACCIDENT 5/2/18	MODEL R-22	
RETAINED BY NTSB REPRESENTATIVE Aaron McCarter		TITLE Air Safety Investigator	DATE 5/2/18
The National Transportation Safety Board has <input type="checkbox"/> has not <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> completed its investigation of the wreckage described above. All recovered wreckage except that listed in the evidence control form(s) is hereby released. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PARTS RETAINED			
RELEASED BY NTSB REPRESENTATIVE Aaron McCarter		TITLE Air Safety Investigator	DATE 6/29/18
(This section may be acknowledged by a person, not the owner or owner's representative, who has knowledge of the disposition of the recovered wreckage and its parts. Such acknowledgement does not place responsibility for disposition of the wreckage upon that person.) I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE: <input type="checkbox"/> Receipt of the above described wreckage. <input type="checkbox"/> Removal of the parts, if any, listed in the evidence control form(s).			
PERSON MAKING ACKNOWLEDGEMENT See below: Tray at Southway Crane		TITLE	DATE 06-29-2018
ADDRESS [REDACTED], Panama City Beach, FL 32413		PHONE NUMBER & EMAIL [REDACTED]	
REMARKS: The R-22 helicopter (N923SM) and all associated components have been released by the NTSB. No parts have been removed or retained from helicopter. AM 6-29-2018			

From: Mccarter Aaron
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: N923SM Helicopter NTSB Release of Wreckage
Date: Friday, June 29, 2018 1:12:00 PM
Attachments: [ERA18LA140 Evidence & Wreckage Release.pdf](#)
Importance: High

Tray,

I am releasing the helicopter (N923SM). As you have possession of the vehicle under secured storage, the NTSB Investigator in Charge (IIC, Aaron McCarter) is formally releasing the vehicle. We are not retaining any parts or components as we have completed the investigation into the wreckage. The continued possession of the helicopter is between Southway Crane & Rigging and the owner of the vehicle, N923SM LLC (Mr. Tom McDermott, Helicopter Academy/Boatpix)

The Wreckage Release can be acknowledged and confirmed by an e-mail. Feel free to simply respond.

Thank you for everything, especially the latest photographs.

Sincerely,

Aaron McCarter
National Transportation Safety Board
Air Safety Investigator

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

cc: Tom McDermott

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD EVIDENCE CONTROL	ACCIDENT NUMBER: ERA18LA140
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OFFICE Aviation Safety	DATE OF ACCIDENT 5/2/18	ACCIDENT LOCATION (City & State) Panama City Beach, FL
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EVIDENCE OBTAINED BY:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EVIDENCE OBTAINED FROM:	LOCATION OR PERSON INFORMATION FAA and Local Fire/Emergency/Police/Coast Guard	DATE 5/2/18
<input type="checkbox"/> EVIDENCE RECEIVED FROM:		GROUP IIC
EVIDENCE CONTROL NUMBER ERA18LA140 - IIC - 001		
DESCRIPTION (<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BIN ITEM - HAS BEEN SEPARATED <input type="checkbox"/>) N923SM Helicopter and Tie Down Ropes/Socks.		

OWNER OR OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE

FIRST NAME: N923SM LLC	LAST NAME: Tommy McDermott
[REDACTED] 1, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19973	
PHONE: [REDACTED]	EMAIL: Thomas McDermott [REDACTED]
RETURNED <input type="checkbox"/>	DATE:
CONTACT:	

CHAIN OF CUSTODY

RELEASED BY: Kevin Atkins (FAA)	RELEASED TO: Southway Crane & Rigging	DATE: 5/2/18
PURPOSE: Salvaged from Ocean and transported to Southway facility at [REDACTED] City Beach Parkway.		
RELEASED BY: Southway Crane & Rigging	RELEASED TO:	DATE:
PURPOSE: The NTSBIIC (Aaron McCarter) has completed the investigation into the wreckage and has released it. See wreckage Release Attached. AM 6-29-2018		
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