



MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

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Subject: NTSB investigation ERA20CA147, N677NA, Zenair CH2000, Ocala, Florida, February 28, 2020.

On April 8, Carson Lee, a representative from the airplane operator, Orlando Aviators Flying Club, provided a written statement from the student pilot, in an email to the FAA FSDO Inspector Michael Corrigan. The statement read:

"On the Friday of February 28th, I was performing my solo cross-country flight to Ocala then on to Gainesville. On my approach to Ocala I radioed the tower about 10 miles out and then again when I was 3 miles out. Ocala tower cleared me to land on runway 36. All of my instruments looked good on final and as I touched the plane down it bounced a little bit. Out of instinct i pushed the yoke down trying to get the plane down, causing the nose wheel to collapse and a prop strike."

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