

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD PILOT/OPERATOR AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT/INCIDENT REPORT

This form to be used for reporting civil and public aircraft accidents and incidents

BASIC INFORMATION

Accident/Incident Location Nearest City/Place: <u>VANDALIA</u> State: <u>IL</u> ZIP: _____ Country: <u>USA</u> Latitude: <u>N 38.975185°</u> Longitude: <u>W 089.142436°</u> <i>(Enter in decimal degrees or degrees:minutes:seconds)</i>	Accident/Incident Date/Time Date: <u>08/02/2019</u> Local Time: <u>3:30 pm</u> <i>mm/dd/yyyy</i> Time Zone: <u>CENTRAL</u>
Collision with Other Aircraft: <input type="radio"/> Midair <input type="radio"/> On-ground <input checked="" type="radio"/> None	

AIRCRAFT INFORMATION

Registration Number: <u>N1767L</u> Manufacturer: <u>ROBINSON</u> Model: <u>R66</u> Serial Number: _____ Year of Manufacture: _____ Amateur-Built: <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No If Yes: <input type="radio"/> Kit/Plans <input type="radio"/> Original Design Make: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> IFR-Equipped and Certified <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Space Flight <input type="checkbox"/> Unmanned Aircraft Maximum Gross Weight: _____ lbs Weight at Time of Accident/Incident: _____ lbs Number of Seats: _____ Flight Crew Seats: _____ Cabin Crew Seats: _____ Passenger Seats: _____ Number of Engines: _____
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Category of Aircraft <input type="radio"/> Airplane <input type="radio"/> Balloon <input type="radio"/> Blimp/Dirigible <input type="radio"/> Glider <input type="radio"/> Gyroplane <input checked="" type="radio"/> Helicopter <input type="radio"/> Powered Lift <input type="radio"/> Rocket <input type="radio"/> Ultralight <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Type of Airworthiness Certificate <i>(Check all that apply)</i> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Standard</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Special</th> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Normal</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Restricted</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Aerobatic</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Limited</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Balloon</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Provisional</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Commuter</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Special Flight</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Transport</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Experimental</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Utility</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Special Light-Sport</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Experimental Light-Sport</td> </tr> </table> <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA) <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Standard	Special	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> Aerobatic	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited	<input type="checkbox"/> Balloon	<input type="checkbox"/> Provisional	<input type="checkbox"/> Commuter	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Flight	<input type="checkbox"/> Transport	<input type="checkbox"/> Experimental	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Light-Sport		<input type="checkbox"/> Experimental Light-Sport	Landing Gear <i>(Check all that apply)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Retractable <input type="checkbox"/> Tricycle <input type="checkbox"/> Tailwheel <input type="checkbox"/> Amphibian <input type="checkbox"/> High Skid <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Float <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Skid <input type="checkbox"/> Float <input type="checkbox"/> Ski <input type="checkbox"/> Hull <input type="checkbox"/> Ski/Wheel <input type="checkbox"/> Other Launch/Recovery System <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Engine Type (Select one) <input type="radio"/> Reciprocating <input type="radio"/> Liquid Rocket <input checked="" type="radio"/> Turbo Shaft <input type="radio"/> Solid Rocket <input type="radio"/> Turbo Prop <input type="radio"/> Hybrid Rocket <input type="radio"/> Turbo Jet <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Turbo Fan <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Electric Fuel System Type (Reciprocating) <input type="radio"/> Carburetor <input type="radio"/> Fuel-Injected
Standard	Special																		
<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Restricted																		
<input type="checkbox"/> Aerobatic	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited																		
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<input type="checkbox"/> Utility	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Light-Sport																		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Experimental Light-Sport																		

Engine	Engine Manufacturer	Engine Model/Series	Manufacturer's Serial Number	Date of Mfg. <i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>	Rated Power <input type="radio"/> Horsepower or <input type="radio"/> lbs of Thrust	Total Time (hours)	Time Since: Inspection (hours)	Overhaul (hours)
Eng. 1								
Eng. 2								
Eng. 3								
Eng. 4								

Last Inspection Type <input type="radio"/> 100-Hour <input type="radio"/> Continuous Airworthiness <input type="radio"/> AAIP <input type="radio"/> Conditional Inspection <input type="radio"/> Annual <input type="radio"/> Unknown Date Last Inspection: _____ <i>mm/dd/yyyy</i> Airframe Total Time: _____ hrs hours measured at (Select one) <input type="radio"/> Last Inspection <input type="radio"/> Time of Accident/Incident	Propeller 1 <input type="radio"/> Fixed Pitch <input type="radio"/> Controllable Pitch <input type="radio"/> Ground Adjustable Manufacturer: _____ Model: _____ Propeller 2 <input type="radio"/> Fixed Pitch <input type="radio"/> Controllable Pitch <input type="radio"/> Ground Adjustable Manufacturer: _____ Model: _____
Type of Maintenance Program (Select one) <input type="radio"/> Annual <input type="radio"/> Conditional (Amateur-built only) <input type="radio"/> Manufacturer's Inspection Program <input type="radio"/> Other Approved Inspection Program (AAIP) <input type="radio"/> Continuous Airworthiness <input type="radio"/> Other, specify: _____	ELT Installed: <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No If Yes: ELT Manufacturer: _____ Model or Part No.: _____ TSO No.: <input type="radio"/> C91 (121.5 MHz) <input type="radio"/> C91a (121.5 MHz) <input type="radio"/> C126 (406 MHz) Was ELT still mounted in aircraft? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No Was ELT still connected to antenna? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No Did ELT Activate? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No If activated: Did ELT Aid in Locating Aircraft? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No If not activated: Indicate Reason: <input type="checkbox"/> Impact Damage <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Damage <input type="checkbox"/> Battery Expired/Damaged <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Description of Fire Extinguishing System <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Specify: _____	Additional Equipment (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> ADS-B <input type="checkbox"/> Airframe Parachute <input type="checkbox"/> Angle of Attack Indicator <input type="checkbox"/> Autopilot <input type="checkbox"/> Data Recorder <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic Flight Bag or Handheld Device <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic Multifunction Display <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic Primary Flight Display <input type="checkbox"/> Handheld GPS <input type="checkbox"/> Heads Up Display <input type="checkbox"/> Onboard Weather <input type="checkbox"/> Satellite Tracking Device <input type="checkbox"/> Stall Warning System <input type="checkbox"/> Video Recording Device <input type="checkbox"/> Other, Specify: _____

OWNER/OPERATOR INFORMATION

Registered Aircraft Owner

Name: _____
Fractional Ownership Aircraft: Yes No

City: _____
State: _____ ZIP: _____
Country: _____

Operator of Aircraft

Same As Registered Owner

Same Address as Registered Owner

Name: _____
Doing Business As: _____
Air Carrier/Operator Designator (4 Character Code): _____

City: _____
State: _____ ZIP: _____
Country: _____

Operating Certificates Held

(Check all that apply)

- None
- Flag Carrier Operating Certificate (FAR 121)
- Supplemental
- Air Cargo
- Foreign Air Carriers (FAR 129)
- Rotorcraft External Load (FAR 133)
- Commuter Air Carrier (FAR 135)
- On-Demand Air Taxi (FAR 135)
- Commercial Air Tour (FAR 136)
- Agricultural Aircraft (FAR 137)
- Pilot School (FAR 141)
- Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA)
- Commercial Space Transportation Experimental Permit
- Commercial Space Transportation License
- Other Operator of Large Aircraft

Regulation Flight Conducted Under

- FAR 91 FAR 129 FAR 415
- FAR 103 FAR 133 FAR 431
- FAR 121 FAR 135 FAR 435
- FAR 125 FAR 137 FAR 437
- FAR 91 Special Flight
- Non-US, Commercial
- Non-US, Non-commercial
- Public Aircraft (Select one)
 - Armed Forces
 - Federal
 - State
 - Local
- Unknown

Revenue Operation for FAR 121, 125, 129, 135

(Select one for each group)

- Scheduled or Commuter Domestic
- Non-Scheduled or Air Taxi International
- Passenger
- Cargo
- Mail Contract Only

Purpose of Flight for FAR 91, 103, 133, 137

(Select one)

- Aerial Application Firefighting Unknown
- Aerial Observation Flight Test
- Air Drop Glider Tow
- Air Race/Show Instructional
- Banner Tow Other Work Use
- Business Personal
- Executive/Corporate Positioning
- External Load Skydiving
- Ferry

Revenue Sightseeing Flight

Yes No

Air Medical Flight

Yes No

AIRPORT INFORMATION (Fill in if accident/incident occurred on approach, landing, takeoff, departure, or within 3 miles of an airport)

Airport Name: VANDALIA MUNICIPAL
Airport Identifier: KVLA
Proximity to Airport: Off Airport/Airstrip On Airport/Airstrip N/A

Distance From Airport Center: 1.68 sm
Direction From Airport: 129° degrees true
Airport Elevation: 537' ft. msl

Runway Information

Runway ID: _____ (L/R/C) Length: _____ ft Width: _____ ft

Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that apply)

- Asphalt Grass/Turf Macadam Water
- Concrete Gravel Metal/Wood
- Dirt Ice Snow Unknown

Condition of Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that apply)

- Dry Snow-Compacted Water-Calm
- Holes Snow-Crusted Water-Choppy
- Ice Covered Snow-Dry Water-Glassy
- Rough Snow-Wet Wet
- Rubber Deposits Soft
- Slush-Covered Vegetation Unknown

Approach/Departure Segment (Select one)

- Taxi VFR Departure On Instrument Approach Downwind Low Approach
- Takeoff IFR Departure Procedure/Clearance Landing Base Go Around
- Initial Climb Crosswind Unknown Final Aborted Landing (after touchdown)

IFR Approach (Check all that apply)

- None
- ADF/NDB PAR MLS Practice
- SDF Sidestep LDA GPS
- VOR/TVOR ILS ASR
- VOR/DME Localizer Only Visual
- TACAN LOC-back course Contact
- RNAV Circling
- Unknown

VFR Approach (Check all that apply)

- None
- Traffic Pattern Stop and Go
- Straight-In Touch and Go
- Valley/Terrain Following Simulated Forced Landing
- Go Around Forced Landing
- Full Stop Precautionary Landing
- Unknown

"FLIGHT CREWMEMBER 1" INFORMATION

"Flight Crewmember 1" Responsibilities at the Time of Accident/Incident

Pilot Co-Pilot Student Pilot Flight Instructor Check Pilot Flight Engineer Other Flight Crew

"Flight Crewmember 1" was pilot flying Yes No

"Flight Crewmember 1" Identification

First Name: DANIEL

City of Residence: SALEM

Middle Initial: E

State: IL ZIP: 62881

Last Name: MILLER

Country: USA

Age at time of Accident/Incident: 41 Date of Birth: [REDACTED] mm/dd/yyyy

Certificate Number: [REDACTED]

Degree of Injury

None Fatal
 Minor Unknown
 Serious

Seat Occupied

Left Front Unknown
 Right Rear
 Center Single

Restraint Type

Available	Used
<input type="radio"/> None	<input type="radio"/> None
<input type="radio"/> Lap only	<input type="radio"/> Lap only
<input checked="" type="radio"/> 3-point	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 3-point
<input type="radio"/> 4-point	<input type="radio"/> 4-point
<input type="radio"/> 5-point	<input type="radio"/> 5-point
<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Unknown

Inflatable Restraints

Not Installed
 Installed
 Not Deployed
 Deployed
 Unknown

Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply)

None Flight Instructor Commercial US Military
 Private Recreational Airline Transport Foreign
 Student Sport Flight Engineer

Principal Occupation

Pilot
 Other
 Unknown

Medical Certificate

None Class 3
 Class 1 Driver's License (Sport Pilot only)
 Class 2 Unknown

Medical Certificate Validity

Without limitations/waivers Unknown
 With limitations/waivers N/A
 Special Issuance

Date of Last Medical

06/10/2019
mm/dd/yyyy

Medical Certificate Limitations

MUST WEAR CORRECTIVE LENSES.
NOT VALID FOR ANY CLASS AFTER 06/30/2020

Medical Certificate Special Issuance

Date of Last Flight Review or Equivalent, Including FAR 121/135 Checks:

06/05/2019
mm/dd/yyyy

Flight Review Aircraft

Make: HUGHES
 Model: 369D

Airplane Rating(s)
(Check all that apply)

None
 Single-Engine Land
 Single-Engine Sea
 Multiengine Land
 Multiengine Sea

Other Aircraft Rating(s)
(Check all that apply)

None
 Airship
 Balloon
 Glider
 Gyroplane
 Helicopter
 Powered Lift

Instrument Rating(s)
(Check all that apply)

None
 Airplane
 Helicopter
 Powered Lift

Instructor Rating(s)
(Check all that apply)

None
 Airplane Single-Engine
 Airplane Multi-Engine
 Gyroplane
 Powered Lift
 Instrument Airplane
 Instrument Helicopter
 Helicopter
 Glider
 Sport

Type Ratings

Student Endorsements (Include dates)

Flight Time (Enter appropriate number of hours in each box)	All Aircraft	This Make & Model	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Multiengine	Night	Instrument		Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
						Actual	Simulated			
Total Time	6696	94	190		35		15	6500		
Pilot in Command (PIC)	6636	94	162		30			6473		
Time as Instructor	86							86		
This Make/Model										
Last 90 Days	217	94	0		0			217		
Last 30 Days	145	90						145		
Last 24 Hours	5.7							5.7		

ADDITIONAL FLIGHT CREWMEMBERS (Exclusive of cabin crew, complete the following information)

Crew Name and Address		Seat Occupied		Injury
First Name: _____	City of Residence: _____	<input type="radio"/> Left	<input type="radio"/> Front	<input type="radio"/> None
Middle Initial: _____	State: _____ ZIP: _____	<input type="radio"/> Center	<input type="radio"/> Rear	<input type="radio"/> Minor
Last Name: _____	Country: _____	<input type="radio"/> Right	<input type="radio"/> Single	<input type="radio"/> Serious
			<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Fatal
				<input type="radio"/> Unknown
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply)		Restraint Type:		Inflatable Restraints
<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Instructor	<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> US Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
<input type="checkbox"/> Private	<input type="checkbox"/> Recreational	<input type="checkbox"/> Airline Transport	<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign	
<input type="checkbox"/> Student	<input type="checkbox"/> Sport	<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Engineer		
Type Rating/Endorsement for Accident/Incident Aircraft?		Total Flight Time at the Time of this Accident/Incident: _____ hrs		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No			
		Available	Used	
		<input type="radio"/> None	<input type="radio"/> None	
		<input type="radio"/> Lap Only	<input type="radio"/> Lap Only	
		<input type="radio"/> 3-point	<input type="radio"/> 3-point	
		<input type="radio"/> 4-point	<input type="radio"/> 4-point	
		<input type="radio"/> 5-point	<input type="radio"/> 5-point	
		<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Unknown	

Crew Name and Address		Seat Occupied		Injury
First Name: _____	City of Residence: _____	<input type="radio"/> Left	<input type="radio"/> Front	<input type="radio"/> None
Middle Initial: _____	State: _____ ZIP: _____	<input type="radio"/> Center	<input type="radio"/> Rear	<input type="radio"/> Minor
Last Name: _____	Country: _____	<input type="radio"/> Right	<input type="radio"/> Single	<input type="radio"/> Serious
			<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Fatal
				<input type="radio"/> Unknown
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply)		Restraint Type:		Inflatable Restraints
<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Instructor	<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> US Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
<input type="checkbox"/> Private	<input type="checkbox"/> Recreational	<input type="checkbox"/> Airline Transport	<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign	
<input type="checkbox"/> Student	<input type="checkbox"/> Sport	<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Engineer		
Type Rating/Endorsement for Accident/Incident Aircraft?		Total Flight Time at the Time of this Accident/Incident: _____ hrs		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No			
		Available	Used	
		<input type="radio"/> None	<input type="radio"/> None	
		<input type="radio"/> Lap Only	<input type="radio"/> Lap Only	
		<input type="radio"/> 3-point	<input type="radio"/> 3-point	
		<input type="radio"/> 4-point	<input type="radio"/> 4-point	
		<input type="radio"/> 5-point	<input type="radio"/> 5-point	
		<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Unknown	

PASSENGER(S) / OTHER PERSONNEL (Include cabin crew, continue on separate sheet if necessary)

Name and Address	Seat	Injury	Restraint Type	Inflatable Restraints	Age
First Name: _____ City: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ <input type="radio"/> Crew <input type="radio"/> Passenger <input type="radio"/> Other	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Unknown Row: _____	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Available <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Used <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown If Under 5, <input type="checkbox"/> Child Restraint <input type="checkbox"/> Lap-Held <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
First Name: _____ City: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ <input type="radio"/> Crew <input type="radio"/> Passenger <input type="radio"/> Other	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Unknown Row: _____	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Available <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Used <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown If Under 5, <input type="checkbox"/> Child Restraint <input type="checkbox"/> Lap-Held <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
First Name: _____ City: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ <input type="radio"/> Crew <input type="radio"/> Passenger <input type="radio"/> Other	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Unknown Row: _____	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Available <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Used <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown If Under 5, <input type="checkbox"/> Child Restraint <input type="checkbox"/> Lap-Held <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
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FLIGHT ITINERARY INFORMATION

Last Departure Point Airport ID: <u>KVLA</u> City: <u>VANDALIA</u> State: <u>IL</u> Country: <u>USA</u>	Time of Departure Time: <u>3:20 pm</u> Time Zone: <u>CENTRAL</u>	Destination Airport ID: _____ City: <u>VANDALIA</u> State: <u>IL</u> Country: <u>USA</u>	Type Flight Plan Filed <input checked="" type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> VFR/IFR <input type="radio"/> Company VFR <input type="radio"/> IFR <input type="radio"/> Military VFR <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> VFR Activated? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown
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Type of ATC Clearance/Service (Check all that apply)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Special VFR	<input type="checkbox"/> Special IFR	<input type="checkbox"/> VFR Flight Following	<input type="checkbox"/> Cruise
<input type="checkbox"/> VFR	<input type="checkbox"/> IFR	<input type="checkbox"/> VFR On Top	<input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Advisory	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown / NA

Airspace where the accident/incident occurred (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Class A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Class G	<input type="checkbox"/> Military Operations Area (MOA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Special
<input type="checkbox"/> Class B	<input type="checkbox"/> Demo Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Airport Advisory Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Air Traffic Control Area
<input type="checkbox"/> Class C	<input type="checkbox"/> Warning Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Jet Training Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
<input type="checkbox"/> Class D	<input type="checkbox"/> Prohibited Area	<input type="checkbox"/> TRSA	
<input type="checkbox"/> Class E	<input type="checkbox"/> Restricted Area	<input type="checkbox"/> FAR 93	

Altitude of In-Flight Occurrence: 550' ft msl

WEATHER INFORMATION AT THE ACCIDENT/INCIDENT SITE

Source of Pilot Weather Information (Check all that apply) <table style="width:100%;"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> National Weather Service</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Company</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Flight Service Station</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Military</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> TV/Radio</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Internet</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Automated Report</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> None</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Weather Service (DUATS)</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Unknown</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On-Board Weather</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> National Weather Service	<input type="checkbox"/> Company	<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Service Station	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> TV/Radio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Internet	<input type="checkbox"/> Automated Report	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Weather Service (DUATS)	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On-Board Weather		Weather Observation Facility Facility ID: _____ Observation Time: _____ Time Zone: _____ Distance from Accident Site: _____ nm Direction from Accident Site: _____ degrees true
<input type="checkbox"/> National Weather Service	<input type="checkbox"/> Company												
<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Service Station	<input type="checkbox"/> Military												
<input type="checkbox"/> TV/Radio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Internet												
<input type="checkbox"/> Automated Report	<input type="checkbox"/> None												
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Weather Service (DUATS)	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown												
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On-Board Weather													

Basic Conditions <input checked="" type="radio"/> VMC <input type="radio"/> IMC <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Light Condition <input type="radio"/> Dawn <input type="radio"/> Dusk <input type="radio"/> Dark Night <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input checked="" type="radio"/> Day <input type="radio"/> Night <input type="radio"/> Bright Night
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Sky/Lowest Cloud Condition <input checked="" type="radio"/> Clear <input type="radio"/> Thin Broken <input type="radio"/> Few <input type="radio"/> Thin Overcast <input type="radio"/> Partial Obscuration <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Scattered Lowest Cloud Condition Height _____ ft agl	Ceiling <input checked="" type="radio"/> None (Clear) <input type="radio"/> Obscured <input type="radio"/> Broken <input type="radio"/> Indefinite <input type="radio"/> Overcast <input type="radio"/> Unknown Ceiling Height _____ ft agl	Temperature: _____ (C) or <u>87°</u> (F) Dew Point: _____ (C) or _____ (F) Altimeter Setting: _____ in. Hg or _____ MB
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Wind Direction <input type="checkbox"/> Variable -or- Direction: <u>NE</u> degrees true	Wind Speed <input type="checkbox"/> Calm <input type="checkbox"/> Light and Variable -or- Speed: <u>8</u> kts	Wind Gusts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Gusting -or- Speed: _____ kts	Visibility <u>UNLIMITED</u> miles RVR: _____ feet RVV: _____ miles Density Altitude: <u>UNKNOWN</u> ft
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NOTAMS (D and FDC), AIRMETs, SIGMETs, PIREPs in effect at the time of the accident/incident:

UNKNOWN

DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT AND OTHER PROPERTY**Aircraft Damage**

- None Substantial
 Minor Destroyed
 Unknown

Aircraft Fire

- None Both Ground and In-Flight
 In-Flight Fire at Unknown Time
 On-Ground Unknown

Aircraft Explosion

- None Both Ground and In-Flight
 In-Flight Explosion at Unknown Time
 On-Ground Unknown

Description of Damage to Aircraft and Other Property (Use additional sheet if necessary)

BROKEN WINDSCREEN ~~RIGHT~~^{LEFT} SIDE.
DENTS / SCRATCHES LEFT SIDE FUSELAGE.
ONE MAIN ROTOR BLADE CUT AROX 3/4 THROUGH.

NARRATIVE HISTORY OF FLIGHT (Please type or print in ink)

Describe what occurred in chronological order, including circumstances leading to and nature of accident/incident. Describe terrain and include wreckage distribution sketch if pertinent. Attach extra sheets if needed. State departure time and location, services obtained, and intended destination. Provide as much detail as possible.

ATTACHED NARRATIVE

RECOMMENDATION (How could this accident/incident have been prevented?)

Operator/Owner Safety Recommendation

MECHANICAL MALFUNCTION/FAILURE (if more space is needed, continue on separate sheet)

Was there Mechanical Malfunction/Failure? Yes No
(If yes, list the name of the part, manufacturer, part no., serial no., and describe the failure.)

Total Time/Cycles On Part

_____ Hours

_____ Cycles

Time Since This Part Inspected/Overhauled

_____ Hours

FUEL & SERVICES INFORMATION

Fuel on Board at Last Takeoff

(Convert from pounds, as necessary)

28 Gallons

Fuel Type

80/87

100 Low Lead

100/130

115/145

Jet A

Jet A-1

Jet B

JP8

Automotive

Other, specify _____

Other Services, if Any, Prior to Departure

EVACUATION OF AIRCRAFT

Was an emergency evacuation of the aircraft performed? Yes No

Method of Exit - Describe how the occupants exited and how many occupants evacuated each location

FLIGHT CREW MEMBER #1 PERFORMED NORMAL SHUTDOWN PROCEDURE AND EXITED AIRCRAFT NORMALLY.

OTHER AIRCRAFT - COLLISION (if air or ground collision occurred, complete this section for other aircraft)

Aircraft Registration Number

Manufacturer: _____

Model: _____

Damage to Other Aircraft

Destroyed Minor

Substantial None

Registered Owner of Other Aircraft

Name: _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____

Country: _____

Pilot of Other Aircraft

Name: _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____

Country: _____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (Please type or print in ink)

Use this space if additional space is needed for any answers.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

Date of this Report 08/18/2019
mm/dd/yyyy

Name of Pilot/Operator: DANIEL E. MILLER

Signature: [REDACTED]

-- or -- Check here to electronically sign this document

If a Person Other than Pilot/Operator is Filing Report

Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____

-- or -- Check here to electronically sign this document

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NTSB Accident/Incident No. GAA19CA481	Reviewed by NTSB Regional Office GAA	Name of Investigator Eleazar Nepomuceno	Date Report Received 8/18/2019
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Written Statement of

Daniel E. Miller

On Friday 2 August 2019 at about 3:30 pm Central time I was piloting N1767L- a Robinson R66 turbine helicopter- near 582 County Road 1650 in Vandalia, IL while conducting aerial application of liquid product on field corn. Sky conditions were clear as I recall; there was a slight wind out of the northeast and the OAT was in the low to mid 80's. I conducted a complete circumnavigation recon of the field at approximately 200 ft AGL prior to beginning aerial application to determine the location of obstacles and hazards in my theatre of operation. During this recon I noticed a three-phase powerline along the road bordering the north of the field. I also noticed a single-phase powerline that bordered the western edge of the field that came from the three-phase powerline on the northern border. Additionally, I noted a farm- consisting of a house, several barns and outbuildings- that was located in northern half of the field with a driveway to it from the road on the northern border. The field of corn to be sprayed was surrounding this farm on the north, south, east and west. After being satisfied I had observed all obstacles and hazards I proceeded to enter the field from the north and start spraying my "A/B line" on a south heading approximately 40 yards west of the western border of the farm property and east of the western edge of the field and single-phase powerline. I traveled on a south heading at about 70 mph and approximately 15 ft above the corn for approximately 300 yards and struck a powerline that crossed the field in an east/west line. I did not see the powerline that I struck on my recon flight or at any time before striking the wire. I maintained a straight and level attitude and turned off the spray boom. I initially started to land straight ahead in the corn field but the helicopter was still flying so I continued to fly the helicopter on a southwest heading to an area of grass behind a barn to the southwest of the wire strike approximately 470 yards. I performed a normal landing and completed a normal shut-down procedure.

4 August 2019

A large black rectangular redaction box covers the signature area. Below the box, there is a faint, illegible signature that appears to be "Daniel E. Miller".

Daniel E. Miller



CR 1650

DRIVEWAY

Farm

Impact

$N38^{\circ}975185^{\circ}$
 $W089.142436^{\circ}$

HELICOPTER FLIGHT PATH

CORN FIELD

CR 600E

X
Landing Spot

