

MEMORANDUM OF RECORD

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Subject: Mr. Joshua Wright telephone interview-9/21/2016 at 1300 EDT Case#- ERA16FA297

I contacted Mr. Joshua Wright the only known witness to the accident that occurred on August 24, 2016, in Sebring, Florida. Mr Wright returned my call and informed me that he saw the airplane go down and contacted the local authorities. Mr. Wright said that on the morning of the accident he went outside on his front porch at about 0630. As he stood out on the porch he noticed an airplane flying level just above the tree tops and moving slow. He said that the engine tone/rpm never changed. He recalled that it was very dark and wonder "what was an airplane doing out here at this time; was he lost." As he watched the airplane come closer he said that the airplane made a 180 degree in the opposite direction before descending. He heard a loud crash and didn't see the lights anymore. He then made a call to the local authorities and assisted them in finding the airplane.

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