

Communication Summary

July 17, 2020

Information from: Dr. Turan Kayagil, NTSB Medical Officer



Summary & Factual Information: Dr. Turan Kayagil, in part, advised in reference to the accident with N7665S:

For this investigation, I reviewed the initial Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) medical case review, the pilot's toxicology report, and the investigator in charge reports. Multiple attempts were made to obtain the pilot's autopsy report. However, as of July 7, 2020, the autopsy report had not yet been issued by the Mississippi Crime Lab. As a result, this investigation was performed without that information.

According to the initial FAA medical case review, the 27-year-old male pilot reported 250 total civil flight hours as of his last medical examination, dated March 7, 2019. At that time, he was 65 inches tall and weighed 147 pounds. He reported no ongoing medical concerns or medication use. No significant abnormalities were identified, and he was issued a second-class medical certificate without limitation.

The FAA Forensic Sciences Laboratory tested specimens from the pilot for a variety of substances. None were detected.

I can attest that the above summary is correct to the best of my knowledge:

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