NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD NTSB Form 6120.1 PILOT/OPERATOR AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT/INCIDENT REPORT

Email the pilot/operator aircraft accident/incident report to the investigator-in-charge of your accident/incident. If email is not available, mail the report per the instructions below.

If your accident/incident occurred in Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, or the US Virgin Islands, send the form to: NTSB, ERA, 45065 Riverside Parkway, Ashburn, VA 20147.

If your accident/incident occurred in Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado, or New Mexico, send the form to: NTSB, CEN, 4760 Oakland Street, Suite 500, Denver, CO 80239.

If your accident/incident occurred in Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah, Arizona, Nevada, Washington, Oregon, California, Hawaii, or the territories of Guam or American Samoa, send the form to: NTSB, WPR, 505 South 336th Street, Suite 540, Federal Way, WA 98003.

If your accident/incident occurred in Alaska, send the form to: NTSB, ANC, 222 West 7th Avenue, Room 216, Box 11, Anchorage, AK 99513.

Rules pertaining to notification of aircraft accidents and incidents, as well as overdue aircraft are found in 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 830 http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?c=ecfr&tpl=/ecfrbrowse/Title49/49cfr830_main_02.tpl. These rules state the authority of the NTSB, define accidents, incidents, injuries, and other terms, and provide procedures for initial and immediate notification of accidents and incidents by aircraft pilots/operators.

A. APPLICABILITY

The pilot/operator of an aircraft shall send a report to the office listed above, based on accident/incident location; immediate notification is required by 49 CFR 830.5(a). The report shall be filed within 10 days after an accident for which notification is required by Section 830.5, or after 7 days if an overdue aircraft is still missing.

An aircraft accident, as defined in 49 CFR 830.2, is determined as an occurrence that involves a fatality or serious injury, or substantial damage to the aircraft. For occurrences that do not involve a fatality, the determination that the occurrence is an accident can be appealed by writing to the Director, Office of Aviation Safety, NTSB, 490 L'Enfant Plaza, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20594.

The NTSB uses this form for aircraft accident prevention activities and for statistical purposes. NTSB regulations (49 CFR Part 830) require that ALL questions be answered completely and accurately. Completion of this form will take approximately 60 minutes. The NTSB does not guarantee the privacy of any information provided in this form. You need not complete this form unless it displays a valid OMB control number, in accordance with 5 C.F.R. § 1320.5(b), which applies to this collection of information.

B. DEFINITIONS

- 1. "Aircraft Accident" means an occurrence associated with the operation of an aircraft that takes place between the time any person boards the aircraft with the intention of flight and all such persons have disembarked, and in which any person suffers death, or serious injury, or in which the aircraft receives substantial damage. For purposes of this form, the definition of "aircraft accident" includes "unmanned aircraft accident," as defined at 49 CFR 830.2.
- 2. "Substantial Damage" means damage or failure that adversely affects the structural strength, performance or flight characteristics of the aircraft, and that would normally require major repair or replacement of the affected component. NOTE: Engine failure or damage limited to an engine if only one engine fails or is damaged, bent fairing or cowling, dented skin, small puncture holes in the skin or fabric, ground damage to rotor or propeller blades, and damage to landing gear, wheels, tires, flaps, engine accessories, brakes, or wing tips are not considered "substantial damage" for purposes of this report.
- 3. "Operator" means any person who causes or authorizes the operation of an aircraft, such as the owner, lessee, or bailee of an aircraft.
- "Fatal Injury" means any injury that results in death within thirty (30) days of the accident.
- 5. "Serious Injury" means any injury that (1) requires hospitalization for more than 48 hours, commencing within 7 days from the date the injury was received; (2) results in a fracture of any bone (except simple fracture of fingers, toes, or nose); (3) causes severe hemorrhages, nerve, muscle, or tendon damage; (4) involves injury to any internal organ; or (5) involves second- or third-degree burns, or any burns affecting more than 5 percent of the body surface.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PILOTS/OPERATORS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM

It is necessary that ALL questions on this report be answered completely and accurately.

If more space is needed, continue on a blank sheet of paper.

Nearest City/Place: Use the name of the nearest community in the state where the accident/incident occurred.

Date/Time: Indicate the date and local time of the event. Be sure to indicate the time zone,

Phase of Operation: Indicate the phase of operation during which the accident/incident occurred.

Aircraft Information: Enter aircraft make and model information as indicated on the aircraft registration certificate, including series. If the involved aircraft is certified as "amateur-built," include the name of the producer of the kit or plans, unless an NTSB employee instructs otherwise.

Maximum Gross Weight: Enter the certificated maximum gross weight for the aircraft involved in the occurrence. This should be the same as the maximum gross weight indicated on the aircraft weight and balance documents.

Engine: Enter engine make and model information as indicated on the engine data plate.

Type of Fire Extinguishing System: If a fire extinguishing system was used to fight an aircraft fire, specify the type(s) of extinguishing system(s) used. Examples include handheld extinguisher, engine fire bottle, cargo/baggage compartment fire suppression system, or airport emergency ground equipment.

Owner/Operator Information: Enter the owner information as shown on the registration certificate. Commercial operators, enter the operator information, including "doing business as" when applicable, as shown on the operator certificate.

Revenue Sightseeing Flight: Indicate whether the accident aircraft was conducting revenue sightseeing operations under 14 CFR Part 91 at the time of the accident.

Air Medical Flight: Indicate whether the accident flight was being conducted for the purpose of carrying medical personnel, patient(s), or organs.

Public Aircraft: Federal, state or local government flight operations such as official travel, law-enforcement, low-level observation, aerial application, firefighting, search and rescue, biological or geological resource management, or aeronautical research. Indicate whether the flight was conducted by the armed forces, federal, state, or local government,

Purpose of Flight: 14 CFR Parts 91, 103, 133, 136, and 137: Indicate the type of operation that was being conducted at the time of the occurrence using the following definitions:

AERIAL APPLICATION—Operations using an aircraft to perform aerial application or dispersion of any substance. Examples include agricultural, health, forestry, cloud seeding, firefighting, insect control, etc.

AERIAL OBSERVATION--These flights include aerial mapping/photography, patrol, search and rescue, hunting, highway traffic advisory, ranching, surveillance, oil and mineral exploration, criminal pursuit, fish spotting, etc.

AIR DROP-Aerial operations, other than aerial application, that are intended to release items in flight,

AIR RACE/SHOW--Includes any flight operations conducted as part of an organized air race or public demonstration.

BUSINESS--includes all personal flying without a paid professional crew for reasons associated with furthering a business, including transportation to and from business meetings or work. This does not include corporate/executive operations, air taxi, or commuter operations.

EXECUTIVE/CORPORATE—Company flying with a paid professional crew.

FERRY--Non-revenue flight under a special flight or "ferry" permit. Refer to 14 CFR 21.197 for details of special flight permit issuance.

FLIGHT TEST--Flight for the purpose of investigating the flight characteristics of an aircraft/aircraft component or evaluating an applicant for a pilot certificate or rating.

INSTRUCTIONAL--Flying while under the supervision of a flight instructor or receiving air carrier training. Personal proficiency flight operations and personal flight reviews, as required by federal air regulations, are excluded.

OTHER WORK USE--Miscellaneous flight operations conducted for compensation or hire such as construction work (not 14 CFR Part 135 operation), parachuting, aerial advertising, towing gliders, etc.

PERSONAL—Flying for personal reasons (excludes business transportation) including pleasure or personal transportation. This also includes practice or proficiency flights performed under flight instructor supervision and not part of an approved flight training program.

POSITIONING-Non-revenue flight conducted for the primary purpose of relocating the aircraft. Examples include moving the aircraft to a maintenance facility or to load passengers or cargo etc.

UNKNOWN--Use only if the primary purpose of flight is not known.

Other Aircraft—Collision: For all accidents involving a collision with another aircraft, including parked aircraft, check "Collision with other aircraft" under Basic Information and complete this section indicating details about the OTHER aircraft involved in the collision.

Airport Information: Complete this section if the accident/incident occurred on approach, landing, takeoff, departure, or within 3 statute miles of an airport. Please refer to the FAA Airport/Facility Directory or other official source for airport information.

Airport Identifier: Provide the official 3 or 4 character airport identifier number.

Runway: Indicate the number of the runway used, including L, R, or C if applicable.

Runway/Landing Surface: Indicate the type of intended runway/landing surface (do not indicate surface conditions). If the surface type was mixed, check all that apply.

Condition of Runway/Landing Surface: Indicate the condition of the intended runway/landing surface. If multiple conditions existed at the time of the accident, check all that apply.

Weather Information at the Accident/Incident Site: Indicate the weather conditions reported at the accident/incident site at the time of occurrence. If no weather reporting was available for the accident/incident site, indicate the reported conditions at the nearest reporting site. Specify the weather reporting site identifier, the observation time, and distance from the accident/incident.

Sky/Lowest Cloud Condition: Indicate the height above ground level of the lowest cloud condition present at the time of the accident/incident and whether coverage was reported as few, scattered, broken or overcast, Also indicate the height above ground level and coverage of the lowest cloud ceiling present at the time of the accident/incident (reported as broken or overcast).

NOTAMS (D and FDC), AIRMETs, SIGMETs, PIREPs: Describe all NOTAMS (distant (D) or Flight Data Center (FDC), if known), AIRMETs, SIGMETs, and PIREPs in effect near the accident/incident.

Flight Crewmember Information: Indicate the category that best describes the capacity served by this flight crewmember at the time of the accident. The designators "Flight Crewmember 1" and "Flight Crewmember 2" do not refer to a specific pilot position or responsibility. If more than one pilot is aboard, they may be entered in any order and their capacity entered as appropriate.

Degree of Injury: See Definitions on the top half of Page 1 of the instructions. Minor injury is not defined. If an injury does not meet the criteria for another injury category, select Minor.

Date of Last Flight Review or Equivalent: Enter the date of the most recent flight review, or equivalent, completed by this pilot. Refer to 14 CFR 61.56 for accepted equivalents.

Type Ratings: List all type ratings on the pilot certificate. If the pilot holds no type ratings indicate "none." If the pilot holds a pilot certificate other than student and was flying an aircraft requiring an endorsement, enter the type and date of any logbook endorsement(s) for that aircraft. See 14 CFR 61 for examples of required endorsements.

Student Endorsements: If the pilot holds a student pilot certificate, enter all solo endorsements and dates on the student pilot certificate.

Flight Time: Complete the flight time matrix. Solo flight time should be included as "Pilot-in-Command (PIC)" and all dual flight instruction given should be included as "Time as Instructor."

Additional Flight Crewmembers: Complete this section if there were more than two required flight crewmembers on the aircraft. This also includes a check airman performing official duties but does not include cabin crew. State the capacity served by each included crewmember at the time of the accident.

Passenger(s)/Other Personnel: Enter identification and injury severity information for all passengers, cabin crew, and other personnel involved in the accident. See Page 1 of the instructions for the official definition of injury levels.

Several questions throughout the form allow for multiple responses; when appropriate, choose all responses that apply.

These instructions only pertain to major issue areas covered by NTSB Form 6120.1 *Pilot/Operator Aircraft Accident/Incident Report*. For additional definitions of questions and responses, please refer to www.ntsb.gov.

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

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OWNER/OPERATOR INFORMATION							
Registered Aircraft Owner		City: RENO					
Name: MARK GARRARD (PENDING)		State: NV ZIP: 89523					
Fractional Ownership Aircraft: O Yes O	No	Country: US					
Operator of Aircraft	gistered Owner	☐ Same Address as Registered Owner					
Name:		City:					
Air Carrier/Operator Designator (4 Characte	er Code):	Country:					
Operating Certificates Held (Check all that apply)	Regulation Flight Conducted Un	T					
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□ Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA) □ Commercial Space Transportation Experimental Permit □ Commercial Space Transportation License □ Other Operator of Large Aircraft	O Federal O State O Local O Unknown	O Aerial Application O Aerial Observation O Air Drop O Air Race/Show O Banner Tow O Business O Executive/Corporate O External Load O Therighting O Glider Tow O Instructional O ther Work Use O Personal O Skydiving					
Revenue Sightseeing Flight	Air Medical Flight	O Ferry O Skydiving					
O Yes ⊙ No	O Yes ● No						
AIRPORT INFORMATION (Fill in	if accident/incident occurred on app	proach, landing, takeoff, departure, or within 3 miles of an airport)					
Airport Name: LONDON Airport Identifier: KLOZ		Distance From Airport Center: 0 sm Direction From Airport: 0 degrees true					
Proximity to Airport: O Off Airport/Airstrip	On Airport/Airstrip ON/A	Airport Elevation: ft. msl					
Runway Information		Condition of Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that apply)					
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Approach/Departure Segment (Select one))						
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First Name: MARK					City of Residence: RENO					
Middle Initial: E				State: N	/		ZIP: 8952	3		
Last Name: GARRARD					Country:	US				
Age at time of A	Accident/Inciden	nt: 66	Date of E	Birth:	198		m/dd/yyyy			•
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ADDITIONAL FLIGHT CREWMEMBERS (Exclusive of cabin crew, complete the following information)									
Crew Name and Add	ress						Seat Occupie	·d	Injury
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Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply) None						Restraint Tyj Available O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	pe: Used O None Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	Inflatable Restraints Not Installed Installed Not Deployed Deployed Unknown	
Crew Name and Add	ress	Seat Occupie	d	Injury					
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PASSENGER(S) /	OTHER PERSO	NNEL (include c	abin crew; c	ontinue on s	eparate shee	t if necessary)		
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FLIGHT ITINERARY	INFORMATION	N					
Last Departure Point Airport ID: KMTV City: MARTINSVILLE State: VA Country: US	Time	e of Departure : 1500-1515 Zone: EST	Destination Airport ID: City: LON State: KY Country: U	KLOZ		None Company Military VFR	
	r vice (Check all that a Special VFR IFR	☐ Spe	ecial IFR R On Top		☐ VFR Flight Folk ☐ Traffic Advisory	_	☐ Cruise ☐ Unknown / NA
☐ Class B☐ Class C☐ Class D☐	t/incident occurred Class G Demo Area Warning Area Prohibited Area Restricted Area	☐ Mil ☐ Air	itary Operations port Advisory Ar Training Area SA		□ Special □ Air Traffic Cont □ Unknown	rol Area	Altitude of In-Flight Occurrence: 1182 ft msl
WEATHER INFORMA	ATION AT THE	ACCIDEN'	T/INCIDEN	T SITE			
Source of Pilot Weather Inf (Check all that apply) National Weather Service Flight Service Station TV/Radio Automated Report Commercial Weather Service On-Board Weather	☐ Com ☐ Milit ☑ Inten ☐ None	ary net		Facility ID: Observation Ti Time Zone: Distance from	me:Accident Site:		nm
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DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT AND OTHER PROPERTY									
Aircraft Dama	ige	Aircraft Fire		Aircraft Explosion					
O None O Minor	O Substantial O Destroyed O Unknown	NoneIn-FlightOn-Ground	O Both Ground and In-Flight O Fire at Unknown Time O Unknown	NoneIn-FlightOn-Ground	O Both Ground and In-Flight O Explosion at Unknown Time O Unknown				

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

NO DAMAGE TO OTHER PROPERTY. AIRCRAFT: WOOD PROP DAMAGED, LANDING GEAR BENT. HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO INSPECT THE AIRCRAFT FURTHER.

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 and location, services obtained, and intended destination. Provide as much detail as possible.

After completing the purchase of N2606A, which included an annual condition inspection, midday 6 Nov, I flew the plane solo at the Easton MD (KESN) airfield for approx 1.3 hrs. This included steep and standard turns, slow flight, stalls with and without flaps and I monitored the engine closely while orbiting the airfield as it hadn't been run for several months prior to the inspection. I coordinated this flight with the tower by telephone in advance of my takeoff. The RV flew well and no flight control or mechanical issues were noted.

I took an additional solo flight the following morning, adding weight to the baggage area & rear seat to check the handling with a more rearward W&B. I'd read & heard the RV-4 handles differently with weight in the rear but didn't notice a change in handling on this flight. If anything it may have handled a little better with the extra weight.

My wife & I departed, bags weighed, well under gross, midday on 7 Nov. The flight from KESN to KMTV was uneventful. We added about 17 gal of fuel & had a late lunch. I had 3+ hrs of fuel for the 1:30 +/- hr flight to KLOZ (some headwinds aloft but no wx issues). I checked the oil, preflighted and we departed about 1500-1515 hrs.

Enroute, while in cruise, I noted fuel pressure drop below 5 psi (below the green arc). It stabilized between approx 2.5 - 2.7 & returned to about 7 psi (in the green) when I used the electric fuel pump. The engine ran normally throughout. I left the electric pump running for the rest of this leg.

We intended to overnight at KLOZ. I was on a stable final approach after a standard pattern, making the standard radio calls. The time was around 4:45-5 p.m. local. I kept my pattern close to the airfield in the event of any fuel flow issues -- none were noted.

I intended to make a wheel landing which requires slightly more speed than a three point. I was at 80 mph (about 5 mph higher than the speed I'd be solo) to acct for the extra weight of passenger & bags, on final & on center line. I felt this would also leave me plenty of energy to make the field in the event of a fuel pump / fuel flow failure. In any event, the engine ran normally throughout the flight.

I pulled the engine to idle in preparation for the round out, mixture was already forward, full rich, and touched down within the first 800-900' of the runway.

The aircraft bounced but was upright, oriented correctly and, as I'd been instructed, chose to execute a go around rather than try to salvage this landing.

I reached for the throttle to add power and felt the nose immediately drop despite my efforts to keep it aloft with my right hand on the stick. I don't recall any engine acceleration.

The airplane touched down a second time with this nose low orientation. This impact damaged the prop tips and main gear. There were thankfully no injuries. After shutting down, we rolled the plane off the runway.

I believe I inadvertently moved the trim control, a round blue knob the same size and in the same general location as the throttle (beneath my left hand), forward [forcing the nose down] vs moving the throttle alone forward when attempting to execute a 'go-around.'

RECOMMENDATION (How	could this	accident/incident ha	ve been pre	vented?)				
Operator/Owner Safety Recomm	endation							
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FUEL & SERVICES INF	ORMATI	ON						
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Was an emergency evacuation			☐ Yes	□ No				
Method of Exit - Describe how	the occupan	ts exited and how ma	ny occupant	s evacuate	d each location			
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