



**Photo 1 – Aerial view from Fire 2 just prior to the time of the accident, looking to the west, of the residential complex during aerial firefighting operations (courtesy of the LAFD). The residential complex is marked with the red arrow.**



**Photo 2 – Aerial view, looking to the west, of the residential complex after the fire was contained (courtesy of the LAFD).  
The residential complex is marked with the red arrow.**



**Photo 3 – Postaccident view of the helicopter equipped with the belly-mounted Simplex Aerospace Model 326 GII Fire Attack System (courtesy of the LAFD).**



**Photo 4 – View of the substantial damage to the empennage with embedded pine tree branches (courtesy of the LAFD).**



**Photo 5 – View of the substantial damage to the empennage with embedded pine tree branches (courtesy of the LAFD).**



**Photo 6 – View of the substantial damage to the tailboom (courtesy of the LAFD).**



**Photo 7 – View of impact damage to the “blue” main rotor blade (courtesy of the LAFD).**



**Photo 8 – View of impact damage to the “red” main rotor blade (courtesy of the LAFD).**