



MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

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Weather Report – China Lake Naval Air Weapons Station (Armitage Field) (NID), China Lake, California

Date & Time: September 30, 2018; 0844 PT

NTSB Accident Number: WPR18LA278

NID is a nearby weather observation facility located 37 nm east of the accident site at a terrain elevation of 2,284 ft, about 330 ft less than the terrain elevation of the accident site.

METAR/SPECI from [KNID, China Lake, Naval Air Facility \(United States\)](#).

SA	30/09/2018 23:56->	METAR KNID 302356Z 19020G30KT 10SM FEW180 FEW250 32/03 A2979 RMK AO2 PK WND 19033/2258 SLP069 T03220033 10339 20272 55015 \$=
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