



## **MEMORANDUM OF RECORD**

**Eric Alleyne**  
**Air Safety Investigator**  
**National Transportation Safety Board**  
**Office of Aviation Safety - Eastern**  
**Region**

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**FAA inspector: Russel Sage**  
**Albany Flight Standards District Office**  
**Subject: Accident event**  
**correspondence**

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In a telephone conversation with FAA inspector Sage, he said that he spoke to the local authorities on the day of the accident, and they informed him that the passenger stated that he mistakenly applied the brakes on landing. The passenger said that he did not need medical services but the pilot received a bump on the head during the accident. A few days after the accident inspector Sage was able to contact the pilot, and the pilot sent him pictures of the airplane. The pilot told inspector Sage that the passenger had his feet on the brakes as they were landing and he told him to move his feet but it was too late. The airplane nosed over and came to a stop on the turf runway. The pilot reported that his airplane had no mechanical issues at the time of the accident.