

**NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD  
PILOT/OPERATOR AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT/INCIDENT REPORT**

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

**BASIC INFORMATION**

**Accident/Incident Location**  
 Nearest City/Place: Wellington State: CO  
 ZIP: 80549 Country: USA  
 Latitude: \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Enter in decimal degrees or degrees:minutes:seconds)*

**Accident/Incident Date/Time**  
 Date: 06/20/2021 Local Time: 1630  
*mm/dd/yyyy* Time Zone: MDT  
**Collision with Other Aircraft:**  Midair  On-ground  None

**AIRCRAFT INFORMATION**

**Registration Number:** N2851H  
**Manufacturer:** Schweizer  
**Model:** SGS 1-35  
**Serial Number:** 51  
**Year of Manufacture:** 1976  
**Amateur-Built:**  Yes  No *If Yes:*  Kit/Plans  Original Design *Make:* \_\_\_\_\_

IFR-Equipped and Certified  
 Commercial Space Flight  
 Unmanned Aircraft  
**Maximum Gross Weight:** 685 lbs  
**Weight at Time of Accident/Incident:** 675 lbs  
**Number of Seats:** 1 Flight Crew Seats: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cabin Crew Seats: \_\_\_\_\_ Passenger Seats: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Number of Engines:** 0

**Category of Aircraft**  
 Airplane  
 Balloon  
 Blimp/Dirigible  
 Glider  
 Gyroplane  
 Helicopter  
 Powered Lift  
 Rocket  
 Ultralight  
 Unknown

**Type of Airworthiness Certificate**  
*(Check all that apply)*  
**Standard**  Normal  Aerobatic  Balloon  Commuter  Transport  Utility  
**Special**  Restricted  Limited  Provisional  Special Flight  Experimental  Special Light-Sport  Experimental Light-Sport  
 Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA)  
 None  Unknown

**Landing Gear**  
*(Check all that apply)*  
 Retractable  
 Tricycle  Tailwheel  
 Amphibian  High Skid  
 Emergency Float  Skid  
 Float  Ski  
 Hull  Ski/Wheel  
 Other Launch/Recovery System  
 None  Unknown

**Engine Type** *(Select one)*  
 Reciprocating  Liquid Rocket  
 Turbo Shaft  Solid Rocket  
 Turbo Prop  Hybrid Rocket  
 Turbo Jet  None  
 Turbo Fan  Unknown  
 Electric  
**Fuel System Type** *(Reciprocating)*  
 Carburetor  Fuel-Injected

Engine	Engine Manufacturer	Engine Model/Series	Manufacturer's Serial Number	Date of Mfg. mm/dd/yyyy	Rated Power <input type="radio"/> Horsepower or <input type="radio"/> lbs of Thrust	Total Time (hours)	Time Since: Inspection (hours)	Overhaul (hours)
Eng. 1								
Eng. 2								
Eng. 3								
Eng. 4								

**Last Inspection Type**  
 100-Hour  Continuous Airworthiness  
 AAIP  Conditional Inspection  
 Annual  Unknown  
**Date Last Inspection:** 10/17/2020  
*mm/dd/yyyy*  
**Airframe Total Time:** 1993 hrs  
 hours measured at *(Select one)*  
 Last Inspection  Time of Accident/Incident

**Propeller 1**  Fixed Pitch  Controllable Pitch  Ground Adjustable  
 Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Model: \_\_\_\_\_

**Propeller 2**  Fixed Pitch  Controllable Pitch  Ground Adjustable  
 Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Model: \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Maintenance Program** *(Select one)*  
 Annual  
 Conditional (Amateur-built only)  
 Manufacturer's Inspection Program  
 Other Approved Inspection Program (AAIP)  
 Continuous Airworthiness  
 Other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**ELT Installed:**  Yes  No  
*If Yes:*  
**ELT Manufacturer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Model or Part No.:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**TSO No.:**  OC91 (121.5 MHz)  OC91a (121.5 MHz)  
 OC126 (406 MHz)  
**Was ELT still mounted in aircraft?**  Yes  No  
**Was ELT still connected to antenna?**  Yes  No  
**Did ELT Activate?**  Yes  No  
*If activated:*  
**Did ELT Aid in Locating Aircraft?**  Yes  No  
*If not activated:*

**Additional Equipment** *(Check all that apply)*  
 ADS-B  
 Airframe Parachute  
 Angle of Attack Indicator  
 Autopilot  
 Data Recorder  
 Electronic Flight Bag or Handheld Device  
 Electronic Multifunction Display  
 Electronic Primary Flight Display  
 Handheld GPS  
 Heads Up Display  
 Onboard Weather  
 Satellite Tracking Device  
 Stall Warning System  
 Video Recording Device  
 Other, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**Description of Fire Extinguishing System**  
 None  
 Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**Indicate Reason:**  Impact Damage  
 Fire Damage  
 Battery Expired/Damaged  
 Unknown

**OWNER/OPERATOR INFORMATION****Registered Aircraft Owner**Name: Leonard Irving Smith III

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Fractional Ownership Aircraft:  Yes  No

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

**Operator of Aircraft** Same As Registered Owner Same Address as Registered Owner

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Doing Business As: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Air Carrier/Operator Designator (4 Character Code): \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

**Operating Certificates Held***(Check all that apply)*

- None
- Flag Carrier Operating Certificate (FAR 121)
- Supplemental
- Air Cargo
- Foreign Air Carriers (FAR 129)
- Rotorcraft External Load (FAR 133)
- Commuter Air Carrier (FAR 135)
- On-Demand Air Taxi (FAR 135)
- Commercial Air Tour (FAR 136)
- Agricultural Aircraft (FAR 137)
- Pilot School (FAR 141)
- Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA)
- Commercial Space Transportation Experimental Permit
- Commercial Space Transportation License
- Other Operator of Large Aircraft

**Regulation Flight Conducted Under**

- FAR 91     FAR 129     FAR 415
- FAR 103     FAR 133     FAR 431
- FAR 121     FAR 135     FAR 435
- FAR 125     FAR 137     FAR 437
- FAR 91 Special Flight
- Non-US, Commercial
- Non-US, Non-commercial
- Public Aircraft *(Select one)*
- Armed Forces
- Federal
- State
- Local
- Unknown

**Revenue Operation for FAR 121, 125, 129, 135***(Select one for each group)*

- Scheduled or Commuter     Domestic
- Non-Scheduled or Air Taxi     International
- Passenger
- Cargo
- Mail Contract Only

**Purpose of Flight for FAR 91, 103, 133, 137***(Select one)*

- Aerial Application     Firefighting     Unknown
- Aerial Observation     Flight Test
- Air Drop     Glider Tow
- Air Race/Show     Instructional
- Banner Tow     Other Work Use
- Business     Personal
- Executive/Corporate     Positioning
- External Load     Skydiving
- Ferry

**Revenue Sightseeing Flight** Yes  No**Air Medical Flight** Yes  No**AIRPORT INFORMATION (Fill in if accident/incident occurred on approach, landing, takeoff, departure, or within 3 miles of an airport)**Airport Name: Owl Canyon GliderportDistance From Airport Center: 1.5 smAirport Identifier: 4CO2

Direction From Airport: \_\_\_\_\_ degrees true

Proximity to Airport:  Off Airport/Airstrip     On Airport/Airstrip     N/A

Airport Elevation: \_\_\_\_\_ ft. msl

**Runway Information**Runway ID: 09 (L/R/C) Length: 2100 ft Width: 50 ft**Condition of Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that apply)****Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that apply)**

- Asphalt     Grass/Turf     Macadam     Water
- Concrete     Gravel     Metal/Wood
- Dirt     Ice     Snow     Unknown

- Dry     Snow-Compacted     Water-Calm
- Holes     Snow-Crusted     Water-Choppy
- Ice Covered     Snow-Dry     Water-Glassy
- Rough     Snow-Wet     Wet
- Rubber Deposits     Soft
- Slush-Covered     Vegetation     Unknown

**Approach/Departure Segment (Select one)**

- Taxi     VFR Departure     On Instrument Approach     Downwind     Low Approach
- Takeoff     IFR Departure Procedure/Clearance     Landing     Base     Go Around
- Initial Climb     Final     Crosswind     Aborted Landing (after touchdown)     Unknown

**IFR Approach (Check all that apply)**

- None
- ADF/NDB     PAR     MLS     Practice
- SDF     Sidestep     LDA     GPS
- VOR/TVOR     ILS     ASR
- VOR/DME     Localizer Only     Visual
- TACAN     LOC-back course     Contact
- RNAV     Circling
- Unknown

**VFR Approach (Check all that apply)**

- None
- Traffic Pattern     Stop and Go
- Straight-In     Touch and Go
- Valley/Terrain Following     Simulated Forced Landing
- Go Around     Forced Landing
- Full Stop     Precautionary Landing
- Unknown

**"FLIGHT CREWMEMBER 1" INFORMATION**

**"Flight Crewmember 1" Responsibilities at the Time of Accident/Incident**

Pilot    Co-Pilot    Student Pilot    Flight Instructor    Check Pilot    Flight Engineer    Other Flight Crew

"Flight Crewmember 1" was pilot flying    Yes    No

**"Flight Crewmember 1" Identification**

First Name: Leonard

Middle Initial: I

Last Name: Smith III

Age at time of Accident/Incident:           Date of Birth:     

Certificate Number:     

**Degree of Injury**

None    Fatal  
 Minor    Unknown  
 Serious

**Seat Occupied**

Left    Front    Unknown  
 Right    Rear  
 Center    Single

**Restraint Type**

**Available**

None  
 Lap only  
 3-point  
 4-point  
 5-point  
 Unknown

**Used**

None  
 Lap only  
 3-point  
 4-point  
 5-point  
 Unknown

**Inflatable Restraints**

Not Installed  
 Installed  
 Not Deployed  
 Deployed  
 Unknown

**Pilot Certificate(s)** (Check all that apply)

None    Flight Instructor    Commercial    US Military  
 Private    Recreational    Airline Transport    Foreign  
 Student    Sport    Flight Engineer

**Principal Occupation**

Pilot  
 Other  
 Unknown

**Medical Certificate**

None    Class 3  
 Class 1    Driver's License (Sport Pilot only)  
 Class 2    Unknown

**Medical Certificate Validity**

Without limitations/waivers    Unknown  
 With limitations/waivers    N/A  
 Special Issuance

**Date of Last Medical**

     mm/dd/yyyy

**Medical Certificate Limitations**

**Medical Certificate Special Issuance**

**Date of Last Flight Review or Equivalent, Including FAR 121/135 Checks:** 11/10/2019  
mm/dd/yyyy

**Flight Review Aircraft**

Make: Schweizer  
Model: SGS 2-33

**Airplane Rating(s)**

(Check all that apply)  
 None  
 Single-Engine Land  
 Single-Engine Sea  
 Multiengine Land  
 Multiengine Sea

**Other Aircraft Rating(s)**

(Check all that apply)  
 None  
 Airship  
 Balloon  
 Glider  
 Gyroplane  
 Helicopter  
 Powered Lift

**Instrument Rating(s)**

(Check all that apply)  
 None  
 Airplane  
 Helicopter  
 Powered Lift

**Instructor Rating(s)**

(Check all that apply)  
 None    Instrument Airplane  
 Airplane Single-Engine    Instrument Helicopter  
 Airplane Multi-Engine    Helicopter  
 Gyroplane    Glider  
 Powered Lift    Sport

**Type Ratings**

**Student Endorsements** (Include dates)

Flight Time (Enter appropriate number of hours in each box)	All Aircraft	This Make & Model	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Multiengine	Night	Instrument		Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
						Actual	Simulated			
Total Time	253	208							253	
Pilot in Command (PIC)	253	208							253	
Time as Instructor	0	0							0	
This Make/Model										
Last 90 Days	16	16							16	
Last 30 Days	13	13							13	
Last 24 Hours	2	2							2	

**“FLIGHT CREWMEMBER 2” INFORMATION**

**“Flight Crewmember 2” Responsibilities at the Time of Accident/Incident**

Pilot    Co-Pilot    Student Pilot    Flight Instructor    Check Pilot    Flight Engineer    Other Flight Crew

**“Flight Crewmember 2” was pilot flying**    Yes    No

**“Flight Crewmember 2” Identification**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Age at time of Accident/Incident: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ *mm/dd/yyyy*  
 Certificate Number: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Degree of Injury</b> <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Serious	<b>Seat Occupied</b> <input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Front <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Rear <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Single	<b>Restraint Type</b> <table style="width:100%;"> <tr> <td style="width:50%;"><b>Available</b></td> <td style="width:50%;"><b>Used</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="radio"/> None</td> <td><input type="radio"/> None</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="radio"/> Lap only</td> <td><input type="radio"/> Lap only</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="radio"/> 3-point</td> <td><input type="radio"/> 3-point</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="radio"/> 4-point</td> <td><input type="radio"/> 4-point</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="radio"/> 5-point</td> <td><input type="radio"/> 5-point</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="radio"/> Unknown</td> <td><input type="radio"/> Unknown</td> </tr> </table>	<b>Available</b>	<b>Used</b>	<input type="radio"/> None	<input type="radio"/> None	<input type="radio"/> Lap only	<input type="radio"/> Lap only	<input type="radio"/> 3-point	<input type="radio"/> 3-point	<input type="radio"/> 4-point	<input type="radio"/> 4-point	<input type="radio"/> 5-point	<input type="radio"/> 5-point	<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<b>Inflatable Restraints</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
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<input type="radio"/> 4-point	<input type="radio"/> 4-point																
<input type="radio"/> 5-point	<input type="radio"/> 5-point																
<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Unknown																

**Pilot Certificate(s)** *(Check all that apply)*

<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Instructor	<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> US Military
<input type="checkbox"/> Private	<input type="checkbox"/> Recreational	<input type="checkbox"/> Airline Transport	<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign
<input type="checkbox"/> Student	<input type="checkbox"/> Sport	<input type="checkbox"/> Flight Engineer	

**Medical Certificate Validity**

<input type="radio"/> Without limitations/waivers	<input type="radio"/> Unknown
<input type="radio"/> With limitations/waivers	<input type="radio"/> N/A
<input type="radio"/> Special Issuance	

**Principal Occupation**

Pilot  
 Other  
 Unknown

**Medical Certificate**

None    Class 3  
 Class 1    Driver’s License (Sport Pilot only)  
 Class 2    Unknown

**Date of Last Medical**

\_\_\_\_\_ *mm/dd/yyyy*

**Medical Certificate Limitations**

**Medical Certificate Special Issuance**

**Date of Last Flight Review or Equivalent, Including FAR 121/135 Checks:** \_\_\_\_\_ *mm/dd/yyyy*

**Flight Review Aircraft**

**Make:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Model:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Airplane Rating(s)** *(Check all that apply)*

None  
 Single-Engine Land  
 Single-Engine Sea  
 Multiengine Land  
 Multiengine Sea

**Other Aircraft Rating(s)** *(Check all that apply)*

None  
 Airship  
 Balloon  
 Glider  
 Gyroplane  
 Helicopter  
 Powered Lift

**Instrument Rating(s)** *(Check all that apply)*

None  
 Airplane  
 Helicopter  
 Powered Lift

**Instructor Rating(s)** *(Check all that apply)*

<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Instrument Airplane
<input type="checkbox"/> Airplane Single-Engine	<input type="checkbox"/> Instrument Helicopter
<input type="checkbox"/> Airplane Multi-Engine	<input type="checkbox"/> Helicopter
<input type="checkbox"/> Gyroplane	<input type="checkbox"/> Glider
<input type="checkbox"/> Powered Lift	<input type="checkbox"/> Sport

**Type Ratings**

**Student Endorsements** *(Include dates)*

Flight Time <i>(Enter appropriate number of hours in each box)</i>	All Aircraft	This Make & Model	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Multiengine	Night	Instrument		Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
						Actual	Simulated			
Total Time										
Pilot in Command (PIC)										
Time as Instructor										
This Make/Model										
Last 90 Days										
Last 30 Days										
Last 24 Hours										

**ADDITIONAL FLIGHT CREWMEMBERS (Exclusive of cabin crew, complete the following information)**

Crew Name and Address	Seat Occupied	Injury
First Name: _____ City of Residence: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Front <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Rear <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Single <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown
<b>Pilot Certificate(s)</b> (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Flight Instructor <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> US Military <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational <input type="checkbox"/> Airline Transport <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign <input type="checkbox"/> Student <input type="checkbox"/> Sport <input type="checkbox"/> Flight Engineer	<b>Restraint Type:</b> <b>Available</b> <b>Used</b> <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<b>Inflatable Restraints</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
<b>Type Rating/Endorsement for Accident/Incident Aircraft?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>Total Flight Time at the Time of this Accident/Incident:</b> _____ hrs	

Crew Name and Address	Seat Occupied	Injury
First Name: _____ City of Residence: _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Front <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Rear <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Single <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown
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<b>Type Rating/Endorsement for Accident/Incident Aircraft?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>Total Flight Time at the Time of this Accident/Incident:</b> _____ hrs	

**PASSENGER(S) / OTHER PERSONNEL (Include cabin crew; continue on separate sheet if necessary)**

Name and Address	Seat	Injury	Restraint Type	Inflatable Restraints	Age
First Name: _____ City : _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ <input type="radio"/> Crew <input type="radio"/> Passenger <input type="radio"/> Other	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Unknown Row: _____	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<b>Available</b> <b>Used</b> <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Under 5 years If Under 5, <input type="radio"/> Child Restraint <input type="radio"/> Lap-Held <input type="radio"/> Unknown
First Name: _____ City : _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ <input type="radio"/> Crew <input type="radio"/> Passenger <input type="radio"/> Other	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Unknown Row: _____	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<b>Available</b> <b>Used</b> <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Under 5 years If Under 5, <input type="radio"/> Child Restraint <input type="radio"/> Lap-Held <input type="radio"/> Unknown
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First Name: _____ City : _____ Middle Initial: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Last Name: _____ Country: _____ <input type="radio"/> Crew <input type="radio"/> Passenger <input type="radio"/> Other	<input type="radio"/> Left <input type="radio"/> Center <input type="radio"/> Right <input type="radio"/> Unknown Row: _____	<input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Minor <input type="radio"/> Serious <input type="radio"/> Fatal <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<b>Available</b> <b>Used</b> <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> Lap Only <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 3-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 4-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> 5-point <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Installed <input type="checkbox"/> Not Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Deployed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> Under 5 years If Under 5, <input type="radio"/> Child Restraint <input type="radio"/> Lap-Held <input type="radio"/> Unknown

## FLIGHT ITINERARY INFORMATION

<b>Last Departure Point</b> Airport ID: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Country: _____	<b>Time of Departure</b> Time: _____ Time Zone: _____	<b>Destination</b> Airport ID: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Country: _____	<b>Type Flight Plan Filed</b> <input type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> VFR/IFR <input type="radio"/> Company VFR <input type="radio"/> IFR <input type="radio"/> Military VFR <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input type="radio"/> VFR Activated? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown
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**Type of ATC Clearance/Service** (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Special VFR	<input type="checkbox"/> Special IFR	<input type="checkbox"/> VFR Flight Following	<input type="checkbox"/> Cruise
<input type="checkbox"/> VFR	<input type="checkbox"/> IFR	<input type="checkbox"/> VFR On Top	<input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Advisory	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown / NA

**Airspace where the accident/incident occurred** (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Class A	<input type="checkbox"/> Class G	<input type="checkbox"/> Military Operations Area (MOA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Special
<input type="checkbox"/> Class B	<input type="checkbox"/> Demo Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Airport Advisory Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Air Traffic Control Area
<input type="checkbox"/> Class C	<input type="checkbox"/> Warning Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Jet Training Area	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
<input type="checkbox"/> Class D	<input type="checkbox"/> Prohibited Area	<input type="checkbox"/> TRSA	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Class E	<input type="checkbox"/> Restricted Area	<input type="checkbox"/> FAR 93	

**Altitude of In-Flight Occurrence:** \_\_\_\_\_ ft msl

## WEATHER INFORMATION AT THE ACCIDENT/INCIDENT SITE

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<b>Sky/Lowest Cloud Condition</b> <input type="radio"/> Clear <input type="radio"/> Thin Broken <input type="radio"/> Few <input type="radio"/> Thin Overcast <input type="radio"/> Partial Obscuration <input type="radio"/> Unknown <input checked="" type="radio"/> Scattered <b>Lowest Cloud Condition Height</b> 6500 ft agl	<b>Ceiling</b> <input type="radio"/> None (Clear) <input type="radio"/> Obscured <input checked="" type="radio"/> Broken <input type="radio"/> Indefinite <input type="radio"/> Overcast <input type="radio"/> Unknown <b>Ceiling Height</b> 8500 ft agl	<b>Temperature:</b> _____ (C) or _____ (F) <b>Dew Point:</b> _____ (C) or _____ (F) <b>Altimeter Setting:</b> _____ in. Hg or _____ MB
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<b>Wind Direction</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Variable -or- Direction: 090 degrees true	<b>Wind Speed</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Calm <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Light and Variable -or- Speed: _____ kts	<b>Wind Gusts</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Gusting -or- Speed: _____ kts	<b>Visibility</b> 10 miles RVR: _____ feet RVV: _____ miles <b>Density Altitude:</b> _____ ft
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**NOTAMs (D and FDC), AIRMETs, SIGMETs, PIREPs in effect at the time of the accident/incident:**

## DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT AND OTHER PROPERTY

### Aircraft Damage

- None       Substantial  
 Minor       Destroyed  
                  Unknown

### Aircraft Fire

- None       Both Ground and In-Flight  
 In-Flight       Fire at Unknown Time  
 On-Ground       Unknown

### Aircraft Explosion

- None       Both Ground and In-Flight  
 In-Flight       Explosion at Unknown Time  
 On-Ground       Unknown

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

#### Aircraft:

1. Twisted Fuselage
2. Crushed nose cone
3. Damaged landing gear
4. Shattered canopy
5. Bent wing

#### Other Property:



## 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.

This was my first landing at this airport. I lost sight of the end of the runway and overshot the base leg turn to final. I had to make an off-field landing on rough sloping ground while in control in order to avoid hitting a house. Glider impacted hard and then ground-looped after entering a large ditch.

**RECOMMENDATION (How could this accident/incident have been prevented?)**

## Operator/Owner Safety Recommendation

1. I should have insisted on an orientation flight with a pilot familiar with this airport layout as there is a fairly steep descent off the end of the target runway.
2. I should have made an allowance for higher density altitude here than at my home airport and entered the pattern at a higher altitude.
3. I have very few right-pattern landings as my home airport is left-pattern. This caused some distraction.
4. I had observed from the air the approximate pattern turn locations of another glider landing on this runway. This observation had me paying too much attention to that position while neglecting to keep an eye on the end of the runway. Due to the terrain elevation changes, I gradually sunk to a point below which I could visually pick out the runway.
5. A house in my relatively low flight path took my attention and had me diving to the ground at a rather steep angle rather than looking for an alternative approach.
6. Realizing my predicament earlier would have allowed me to better select a safer landing area, which I later saw was available.

All of the above could have been mitigated if I had simply concentrated on the runway as my target and adjusted altitude accordingly. Item 4 above was the biggest contributor to the situation.

**MECHANICAL MALFUNCTION/FAILURE (If more space is needed, continue on separate sheet)**

Was there Mechanical Malfunction/Failure?  Yes  No

(If yes, list the name of the part, manufacturer, part no., serial no., and describe the failure.)

**Total Time/Cycles  
On Part**

\_\_\_\_\_ Hours

\_\_\_\_\_ Cycles

**Time Since This Part  
Inspected/Overhauled**

\_\_\_\_\_ Hours

**FUEL & SERVICES INFORMATION****Fuel on Board at Last Takeoff**

(Convert from pounds, as necessary)

\_\_\_\_\_ Gallons

**Fuel Type**

- 80/87                       115/145                       Jet B                       Other, specify \_\_\_\_\_  
 100 Low Lead               Jet A                           JP8  
 100/130                       Jet A-1                       Automotive

**Other Services, if Any, Prior to Departure****EVACUATION OF AIRCRAFT**

Was an emergency evacuation of the aircraft performed?  Yes  No

**Method of Exit** – Describe how the occupants exited and how many occupants evacuated each location

**OTHER AIRCRAFT – COLLISION (If air or ground collision occurred, complete this section for other aircraft)**

**Aircraft Registration Number**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Manufacturer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Model:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Damage to Other Aircraft**

- Destroyed                       Minor  
 Substantial                       None

**Registered Owner of Other Aircraft**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pilot of Other Aircraft**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_



**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (Please type or print in ink)**

Use this space if additional space is needed for any answers.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE**

<b>Date of this Report</b> <u>06/25/2021</u> <i>mm/dd/yyyy</i>	<b>Name of Pilot/Operator:</b> Leonard Irving Smith III <b>Signature:</b>  <i>-- or --</i>
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**If a Person Other than Pilot/Operator is Filing Report**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

*-- or --*  Check here to electronically sign this document

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