NTSB Identification: NYC68A0136

14 CFR Part 91 General Aviation Aircraft: CESSNA 401, registration: N3248Q

ILE	DATE	LOCATION	AIRCRAFT DATA					PURPOSE	PILOT DATA		
3-3355			CESSNA 401					ONCOMMERCIAL	PRIVATE, AGE 37, 1117		
	TIME - 20:	18	N3248Q DAMAGE-DESTROYED					USINESS	TOTAL HOURS, 12 IN TYPE, NOT INSTRUMENT RATED.		
	TYPE OF ACCIDENT				Р	HASE	OF (OPERATION			
	AIRFRAME FAILURE: IN FLIGHT				IN FLIGHT: NORMAL CRUISE						
	COLLISION WITH GROUND/WATER: UNCONTROLLED				IN FLIGHT: UNCONTROLLED DESCENT						
	PROBABLE CAUSE(S)										
	PILOT IN COMMAND - ATTEMPTED OPERATION BEYOND EXPERIENCE/ABILITY LEVEL										
	PILOT IN COMMAND - CONTINUED VFR FLIGHT INTO ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS										
	PILOT IN COMMAND - EXCEEDED DESIGNED STRESS LIMITS OF AIRCRAFT										
	WEATHER - TURBULENCE, ASSOCIATED W/CLOUDS AND/OR THUNDERSTORMS										
	WEATHER - THUNDERSTORM ACTIVITY										
	WEATHER BRIEFING - BRIEFED BY FLIGHT SERVICE PERSONNEL, BY PHONE										
	WEATHER FORECAST - FORECAST SUBSTANTIALLY CORRECT										
	SKY CONDITION				CEILING AT ACCIDENT SITE						
	UNKNOWN/NOT REPORTED				5000						
	VISIBILITY AT ACCIDENT SITE				PRECIPITATION AT ACCIDENT SITE						
	4 MILES OR LESS				THUNDERSTORM, RAIN SHOWERS						
	OBSTRUCTIONS TO VISION AT ACCIDENT SITE				TEMPERATURE-F						
	NONE				70						
	WIND DIRECTION-DEGREES				WIND VELOCITY-KNOTS						
	170					8					
	TYPE OF WEATHER CONDITIONS					TYPE OF FLIGHT PLAN					
	IFR					IFR					
	FIRE AFTER IMPACT										
	REMARKS- HORIZONTAL STABILIZER BUCKLED ON BOTH SIDES FROM POSITIVE AIR LOADS DUE TO SEVERE TURBULENCE.										

Full narrative is not available