NTSB Identification: LAX77FA065

14 CFR Part 135 Nonscheduled operation of AIR FAST FRGHT Aircraft: BEECH E18S, registration: N979SB

FILE	DATE	LOCATION	AIRCRAFT DATA	 	RIES S M		FLIGHT PURPOSE	PILOT DATA
3-3452	77/8/22 TIME - 210	CATALINA IS,CA 96	BEECH E18S N979SB DAMAGE-DESTROYED	 0	0	0	COMMERCIAL AIR TAXI-CARGO	COMMERCIAL, FL.INSTR., AGE 37, 2460 TOTAL HOURS, UNK/NR IN TYPE, INSTRUMENT RATED.

NAME OF AIRPORT - CATALINA DEPARTURE POINT CATALINA IS,CA INTENDED DESTINATION LONG BEACH, CA

TYPE OF ACCIDENT PHASE OF OPERATION COLLISION WITH GROUND/WATER: UNCONTROLLED TAKEOFF: INITIAL CLIMB

PROBABLE CAUSE(S)

PILOT IN COMMAND - INCAPACITATION

COPILOT - PHYSICAL IMPAIRMENT

SYSTEMS - AIR CONDITION, HEATING AND PRESSURIZATION: OTHER

MISCELLANEOUS ACTS, CONDÍTIONS - FATIGUE FRACTURE

WEATHER - FOG

WEATHER BRIEFING - NO RECORD OF BRIEFING RECEIVED SKY CONDITION CEILING AT ACCIDENT SITE OBSCURATION UNKNOWN/NOT REPORTED VISIBILITY AT ACCIDENT SITE PRECIPITATION AT ACCIDENT SITE UNKNOWN/NOT REPORTED

OBSTRUCTIONS TO VISION AT ACCIDENT SITE

FOG

TYPE OF FLIGHT PLAN

NONE

REMARKS- PILOT, CARBON MONOXIDE 45%, COPILOT 16.8%. CABIN HEATER, CRACKS IN COMBUSTION CHAMBER

Full narrative is not available

TYPE OF WEATHER CONDITIONS BELOW MINIMUMS