

## MINI\$TRY OF TRAN\$PORT, INFRA\$TRUCTURE, HOU\$ING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT \$TATE DEPARTMENT OF TRAN\$PORT AIR ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT

## PRELIMINARY REPORT

OPERATOR/OWNER : Lady Lori

AIRCRAFT TYPE/MANUFACTURER : Cessna 208B/Cessna Aircraft Co.

YEAR OF MANUFACTURE : 2009

AIRCRAFT REGISTRATION : 5Y-JLL

AIRCRAFT SERIAL NUMBER : 2158

DATE OF REGISTRATION : 14 January 2010

NUMBER AND TYPE OF ENGINE : One Pratt & Whitney PT6A-114A

DATE OF OCCURRENCE : 03 June 2016

TIME OF OCCURRENCE : 10 A.M. Local Time

LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE : Akobo Airstrip, South Sudan

DEPARTURE AERODROME : Akobo Airstrip

DESTINATION AERODROME : Juba

TYPE OF FLIGHT : Charter

NUMBER OF PERSONS ON BOARD : Five

INJURIES : None

NATURE OF DAMAGE : Substantial

CATEGORY OF OCCURRENCE : Accident



PICTURE: 5Y-JLL after the occurrence

## **REMARKS**

On 3 June 2016, a Cessna 208B of registration 5Y-JLL and serial number 2158 was conducting a charter passenger flight from Akobo Airstrip to Juba with 4 passengers and one flight crew member on board.

According to the operator, during takeoff from Akobo Airstrip at approximately 10 a.m. Local Time, the pilot executed a premature takeoff due to animal incursion on the runway. The airplane's right main landing gear clipped the Airstrip perimeter fence and the aircraft crash-landed onto grass-thatched houses and trees near the end of the runway.

Damage was substantial with no reported injuries. The runway was reported to have been wet at the time of occurrence.

The investigation is being conducted by South Sudan with assistance from Kenya.

Chief Investigator of Accidents 10/06/2016