

**Aviation Safety Investigation Report
198503507**

Robinson R22A

7 April 1985

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Occurrence Number: 198503507 **Occurrence Type:** Accident

Location: Point Lookout, North Stradbroke Is. QLD

Date: 7 April 1985 **Time:** 1240

Highest Injury Level: Nil

Injuries:

	Fatal	Serious	Minor	None
Crew	0	0	1	1
Ground	0	0	0	-
Passenger	0	0	0	1
Total	0	0	0	2

Aircraft Details: Robinson R22A

Registration: VH-FHK

Serial Number:

Operation Type: Sightseeing

Damage Level: Substantial

Departure Point: Point Lookout QLD

Departure Time: 1230

Destination: Point Lookout QLD

Approved for Release: 29th July, 1985

Circumstances:

Because of obstructions around the intended landing area, the pilot carried out a downwind approach. As the pilot reduced the speed of the helicopter for landing it was caught by a sudden gust of wind. The helicopter sank, struck the ground and bounced before landing on the left skid which entered a depression in the ground resulting in the helicopter rolling over.