NTSB Identification: FTW74AF012

14 CFR Part 91 General Aviation Aircraft: LOCKHEED L-18, registration: N669M

FILE	DATE	LOCATION	AIRCRAFT DATA					FLIGHT PURPOSE	PILOT DATA
3-2599	73/9/4 TIME - 05	,	LOCKHEED L-18 N669M DAMAGE-DESTROYED	PX-	2	0	0		COMMERCIAL, AGE 56, 3290 TOTAL HOURS, 13 IN TYPE, INSTRUMENT RATED.
	NAME OF AIRPORT - PECOS MUNICIPAL								
	DEPARTURE POINT		INTENDED DESTINATION						
	PECOS,TEX U		UNKNOWN/NOT REPORTED						
	TYPE OF ACCIDENT			PHASE OF OPERATION					
	GROUND-WATER LOOP-SWERVE			TAKEOFF: RUN					
	PROBABLE CAUSE(S)								
	PILOT IN COMMAND - FAILED TO MAINTAIN DIRECTIONAL CONTROL								
	FACTOR(S)								
	PILOT	PILOT IN COMMAND - ATTEMPTED OPERATION BEYOND EXPERIENCE/ABILITY LEVEL							
	PILOT IN COMMAND - LACK OF FAMILIARITY WITH AIRCRAFT								
	PILOT IN COMMAND - EXCEEDED DESIGNED STRESS LIMITS OF AIRCRAFT								
	PILOT IN COMMAND - FAILED TO FOLLOW APPROVED PROCEDURES, DIRECTIVES, ETC.								
	PILOT IN COMMAND - EXERCISED POOR JUDGMENT								
	FIRE AFTER IMPACT								

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