

NTSB Identification: **OAK77FA058**
 14 CFR Part 91 General Aviation
 Event occurred Sunday, September 25, 1977 in NO.LAS VEGAS, NV
 Aircraft: REPUBLIC RC-3, registration: N6734K

FILE	DATE	LOCATION	AIRCRAFT DATA	INJURIES F S M/N	FLIGHT PURPOSE	PILOT DATA
3-3358	77/9/25	NR.NO.LAS VEGAS,NV	REPUBLIC RC-3 N6734K	CR- 1 0 0 PX- 1 0 0 OT- 0 0 0	NONCOMMERCIAL PLEASURE/PERSONAL TRANSP	PRIVATE, AGE 41, 98 TOTAL HOURS, 39 IN TYPE, NOT INSTRUMENT RATED.
	TIME - 0919		DAMAGE-DESTROYED			
	DEPARTURE POINT	NO.LAS VEGAS,NV	INTENDED DESTINATION		PHASE OF OPERATION	
	TYPE OF ACCIDENT		FRESNO,CA		IN FLIGHT: CLIMB TO CRUISE	
	COLLIDED WITH: TREES					
	PROBABLE CAUSE(S)					
	PILOT IN COMMAND - INADEQUATE PREFLIGHT PREPARATION AND/OR PLANNING					
	PILOT IN COMMAND - IMPROPER IN-FLIGHT DECISIONS OR PLANNING					
	MISCELLANEOUS ACTS,CONDITIONS - FLEW INTO BLIND CANYON					
	FACTOR(S)					
	TERRAIN - HIGH OBSTRUCTIONS					
	WEATHER - HIGH DENSITY ALTITUDE					
	WEATHER BRIEFING - BRIEFED BY FLIGHT SERVICE PERSONNEL, BY PHONE					
	SKY CONDITION				CEILING AT ACCIDENT SITE	
	SCATTERED				UNLIMITED	
	VISIBILITY AT ACCIDENT SITE				PRECIPITATION AT ACCIDENT SITE	
	5 OR OVER(UNLIMITED)				NONE	
	OBSTRUCTIONS TO VISION AT ACCIDENT SITE				TEMPERATURE-F	
	NONE				73	
	WIND DIRECTION-DEGREES				WIND VELOCITY-KNOTS	
	350				6	
	TYPE OF WEATHER CONDITIONS				TYPE OF FLIGHT PLAN	
	VFR				VFR	
	FIRE AFTER IMPACT					