

PURPOSE OF FLIGHT:

Solo practice seq.

Pre-solo dual

NATURE OF ACCIDENT:

A/C 7537 collided with a/c 7307 while on circuit of main aerodrome. A/C 7537 crashed and 7307 returned to base

TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

12/1/52
100/1/52
100/1/52

COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT:

FINDINGS:

SUMMARY No. 2061

A/c 7537 turned into on-coming traffic of regular circuit and collided with a/c 7307, damaging his wing, lost control and crashed into ground. A/c 7307 returned to base. Pilot erred in entering L.H. circuit against on-coming traffic without careful lookout, misjudging and taking improper evasive action in doing a right hand steep turn when the opposite should have been taken.

CONCLUSIONS OF A.I.B.

Agree with the findings.

CLASSIFICATION:

~~26. Collision in air.~~

21. Collisions A/C. 2/

SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS:

ACTION TAKEN:

Nil