

PURPOSE OF FLIGHT: TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT: Solo practice formation flying. NT L NATURE OF ACCIDENT: ILOC/ADC/PSF/LB/N/POL/XCI Was authorized to carry out a ele-COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT: mentary formation flight with another FINDINGS: SUMMARY No. 2403 pupil also solo. A/LA Revill states: CAUSE: Unauthorized low fluing Took off at 1620 hrs. and during the RECOMMENDATIONS: Nil ) climb he formated on me. Led way up CONCLUSIONS OF A.I.B. Pupil pilot, solo, while to 5,000' practising gentle turns and carr ing out deliberate unauthorized low flying on levelling out at that height, I sigdid a climbing stall turn. lost control and ) nalled him to take the lead. He did so crashed in the waters of Lake Ontario. and after some practices in turns and NOTE: Evidence discloses that two pupils were changing position he turned and flew out authorized out solo on a formation flight withtowards middle of lake. Kept formation out an instructor being in either a/c. This is ) until 1,500'. Flew low, a/c hit water in contravention with T.I. which forbids formation CLASSIFICATION: and broke into pieces. flying unless an instructor is in charge of one a/c. AFTI T.5/17 Para, r (b) reads as follows: Out of control. "One a/c in every formation is to be in charge of an instructor who will insure that the formations SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS: are carried out correctly and who will comment 42. Unauthorized low flying. ACTION TAKEN: on the efforts of each pupil at end of the flight. NIL R. C. A. F. L 20 (REVISED)