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Aircraft Type and Registration: Socata TB10 Tobago, G-BLCCG

No & Type of Engines: 1 Lycoming O-360-A1AD piston engine

Year of Manufacture: 1980

Date & Time (UTC): 29 August 1991 at 0943 hrs

Location: Shoreham Airport, Sussex

Type of Flight: Private

Persons on Board: Crew - 1 Passengers - None

Injuries: Crew - None Passengers - N/A

Nature of Damage: Minor, to left wing tip, leading edge and landing light

Commander's Licence: Private Pilot's Licence with Night rating

Commander's Age: 59 years

Commander's Flying Experience: 215 hours (of which 15 were on type)

Information Source: Aircraft Accident Report Form submitted by the pilot

The aircraft was being manoeuvred into position for take-off from grass Runway 07 at Shoreham Airport. As the pilot was unfamiliar with the precise location of the Runway threshold his attention was focussed on locating the centreline arrows. During this time, the left wing tip of the aircraft contacted the Runway 07 Hold marker board. The aircraft was then shut down and pushed rearwards clear of the board.