

ACCIDENT

Aircraft Type and Registration:	BFC Challenger II Long Wing, G-IBFC	
No & Type of Engines:	1 Rotax 582-48 piston engine	
Year of Manufacture:	2001	
Date & Time (UTC):	21 June 2009 at 1330 hrs	
Location:	Husbands Bosworth Airfield, Leicestershire	
Type of Flight:	Private	
Persons on Board:	Crew - 1	Passengers - None
Injuries:	Crew - None	Passengers - N/A
Nature of Damage:	Left main landing gear leg failed	
Commander's Licence:	National Private Pilot's Licence	
Commander's Age:	57 years	
Commander's Flying Experience:	220 hours (of which 64 were on type) Last 90 days - 10 hours Last 28 days - 4 hours	
Information Source:	Aircraft Accident Report Form submitted by the pilot	

Synopsis

The pilot completed a normal touchdown but, as the aircraft decelerated through 20 kt, it struck a bump in the runway surface and was lifted into the air. On the

second touchdown, the aircraft hit the ground heavily with its left main wheel, which resulted in the failure of the left landing gear leg.