

Airbus Industrie Airbus A320-211, G-BUSJ

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INCIDENT

Aircraft Type and Registration: Airbus Industrie Airbus A320-211, G-BUSJ

No & Type of Engines: 2 CFM56-5A1

Year of Manufacture: 1990

Date & Time (UTC): 18 September 2001 at 0950 hrs

Location: Glasgow

Type of Flight: Public Transport (Passenger)

Persons on Board: Crew - 7 Passengers - 100

Injuries: Crew - None Passengers - None

Nature of Damage: Aircraft skin punctured

Information Source: Aircraft Accident Report Form

During baggage unloading a pallet unloading vehicle collided with the aircraft, puncturing the fuselage skin just to the rear of the aft cargo door. Subsequent to the incident, a mechanical and electrical inspection of the pallet loader was carried out but no defects were found.