No: 10/88

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Category: 1c

Aircraft Type

and Registration:

Rallye 150 ST, G-BECC

No & Type of Engines:

1 Lycoming O-320-E2A piston engine

Year of Manufacture:

1976

Date and Time (UTC):

9 July 1988 at 1000 hrs

Location:

Denham Aerodrome, Middlesex

Type of Flight:

Training

Persons on Board:

Crew - 1

Passengers - None

Injuries:

Crew - None

Passengers - N/A

Nature of Damage:

Minor damage to the underside fuselage skin and the left horizontal

stabiliser dented

Commander's Licence

Student Pilot's Licence

Commander's Age:

46 years

Commander's Total

Flying Experience:

38 hours (of which 38 were on type)

Information Source:

Aircraft Accident Report Form submitted by the pilot

Following a check flight with an instructor, the pilot was making a glide approach to runway 24. The wind was westerly at 8 kt and the flare was carried out whilst the aircraft straddled the left side of the runway.

The fuselage struck a threshold light on the left side of the runway and the left tailplane struck a rubber cone which had been placed between the threshold lights.