

# PERSON MISSING AND BELIEVED TO HAVE DIED IN CONSEQUENCE OF AN ACCIDENT TO AN AIRCRAFT REGISTERED IN THE UNITED KINGDOM



*(Particulars for record required under Section 83 of the Civil Aviation Act, 1982)*

The Civil Aviation (Births, Deaths, and Missing Persons) Regulations, 1948, as amended, require that an official record shall be kept by the Civil Aviation Authority of persons reported to the Authority as missing and believed to have died in consequence of accidents to aircraft registered in the United Kingdom. It is requested therefore that the owner of such an aircraft will notify as soon as possible after the occurrence of any such event, particulars of every such missing person in accordance with the form of return set out below. If however the aircraft has been bona-fide demised, let or hired out for a period exceeding fourteen days to any other person by the owner thereof and no pilot, commander, navigator or operative member of the crew of the aircraft is in the employment of the owner, it is desired that this return should be completed by the person to whom the aircraft has been so demised, let or hired out.

This form, when completed, should be forwarded to the **Civil Aviation Authority, Aircraft Registration Section, Shared Service Centre, Aviation House, Gatwick Airport, RH6 0YR**. The section is open to the public at the above address between 1000 and 1600 hours Monday to Friday. General enquiries by telephone can be made, during normal office hours, on **Tel: 0330 022 1917**.

This form may be emailed to the Aircraft Registration Section at [aircraft.reg@caa.co.uk](mailto:aircraft.reg@caa.co.uk).

<i>Registration Marking of Aircraft</i>	<i>Date of accident (a)</i>	<i>Place of accident (b)</i>
<i>Name and surname of missing person (c)</i>	<i>Usual residence of missing person (d)</i>	<i>Sex (e)</i>
<i>Age (f)</i>	<i>Profession or occupation, rank or title (if any) and nationality (g)</i>	<i>Grounds for presumption of death</i>
<i>Name, Description and Home Address of Informant (if any) (h)</i>		<i>Signature of Informant</i>

Signature and rank of person completing return .....

Date (a) .....

**NOTES:**

- a) Day and month in words, year in figures.
- (b) Actual position if known, Otherwise approximate position, eg '40 miles west of Lisbon', 'over Dieppe', 'over Northern France'.
- (c) Forenames in full, followed by surname, Surname to be written in BLOCK LETTERS.
- (d) The full postal address should be stated.
- (e) 'Male' or 'Female'.
- (f) To be recorded in complete years, or in months or days.
- (g) **Women and children:**  
 In the case of a married woman or a widow, the words 'wife of' or 'widow of' shall be entered, followed by the name, profession or occupation, rank and title, and nationality of the husband.  
 In the case of an unmarried woman, there shall be inserted the word 'spinster', followed by her profession or occupation (if any), rank or title (if any), and her nationality.  
 In the case of children under the age of 15 years, the words 'son of' or 'daughter of' shall be followed by the name, profession, etc of the father.
- (h) The informant's full names, relationship (if any) to deceased, and full postal address should be stated.