Investigation Bureau

Swiss Confederation

Notification

We inform you about a serious incident of an aircraft registered in United States of America (USA) which occurred in Antioch, Georgia, United States of America (USA).

Place, date: Antioch, Georgia United States, 18 January 2024

Aircraft

Registration Mark: N780PA

Type: SwissDrones SDO 50 V2

Operator: Phoenix Air Unmanned LLC

Owner: Phoenix Air Unmanned LLC

Flight:

Flight rules: (Unknown)

Type of operation: (Unknown)

Point of departure: (Unknown)

Point of landing: (Unknown)

Damage:

Crew: None
Passengers: None
Thirds: None

Aircraft: Substantially damaged

Ground: None

Short description: While performing UAS operations, the pilot began to receive fuel pump

alarms. The remote pilot brought the aircraft in to land where the UAS lost rotor RPM, which resulted in a hard landing on a grassy field and

substantial damage to the UAS.

Remarks: The National Transportation Safety Board NTSB has opened an inves-

tigation (http://www.ntsb.gov).

Bern, 30th January 2024