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3 AUG 1945
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7th August, 1945.

MEMORANDUM FOR CIVIL AVIATION

Director-General of Civil Aviation:

Kingsford Smith Airport - R.A.A.F. "Norseman 11".

I forward herewith reports from the Control Officers in regard to an accident to a "Norseman 11" aircraft at this airport on 4th August, 1945, while practising landings under the control of No. 3 C. U.

2. Some slight damage to the runway was caused by this accident and repairs were carried out immediately.

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District Superintendent.

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"Flight Checking Officer, Murphy:

1017 hours, Norseman crashed on landing and obstructed runway 22 - see A.C.O.'s report."

"A/ Control Officer, McCrea:

At 1017 hours Norseman 11 aircraft on local exercise came in for a landing on runway 16. The aircraft commenced to swing badly and finally ground looped. The port leg collapsed and the aircraft came to rest near the intersection of Runways 16 and 22.

Crash alarm sounded, Mascot Fire Brigade telephoned, and F.C.O. informed. The aircraft did not fire."

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