

EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN

for serious accidents

Tick each box as the action is completed and note time and person responsible.

The following actions will have been completed, note times and names.

Action	Time	Person
Incident Controller picks up <i>Emergency Response</i> flowchart from launch point and ensures no further accidents occur.		
Anyone can be the incident controller to begin with.		
Whenever incident control is handed over to someone else, please note time and person		
Direct a responsible person to telephone the emergency services and advise:		
 Name and contact telephone (use a number you can keep free) and an alternative (if possible) Exact accident location (see EAP flowchart) Number of casualties and whether apparently fatal or serious injury Are any dangerous substances or power cables involved? 		
If the aircraft is fitted with a FES or ballistic parachute		
Attend to injured people - cautiously! Do not move injured occupants unless necessary to save life because of other threats e.g. fire and bleeding. Be aware that movement may cause spinal injury. Ensure someone stays with the injured person until professional help arrives. Try to keep them conscious		
Establish Control Point (most likely in clubroom or office)		



After establishing the Control Point, continue as follows:

	Action		Time	Person
	Detail a responsible person to man radio and manage the safe return of airborne aircraft.			
	Send a responsible person to the airfield gate to direct the Emergency Services and to control entry.			
Noti	fy the following ASAP, passing essential de	etails:		
	Air Accident Investigation Branch (AAIB)	Tel: 01252 512299		
	Local Police (even if 999 call already made	e) Tel: 101		
	Club Chairman Alastair Mutch	Tel: 07785 264511		
	Club Safety Officer Wolf Rossmann	Tel: 07534 240767		
	Club CFI Kate Byrne	Tel: 07855 456743		
	BGA Office	Tel: 0116 289 2956		
	Detail a responsible person to redirect any media enquiries to the chairman or the most senior club official who knows of the accident.			
	Secure the accident scene. Unless it is necessary to attend to injured persons or to prevent further accidents, do not move any wreckage until authorised by the AAIB or the BGA accident investigator.			
	Turn off any webcams that the club has in	use.		
	Note the names and contact details of all witnesses and ask them to make written statements (use attached forms)			
	Brief a person to photograph the accident	scene.		
	Brief the Chairman, CFI, and Safety Officer.			
	If an investigator is expected, consider arranging for lighting at the scene.			
	For fatal and serious injury accidents, when possible, obtain and secure the glider C of A / ARC and log book and the pilot's medical certificate, flying licence or certificate and log book, and obtain details of the next of kin.			
Revi	ew			
	Review the actions taken and ensure n has been omitted.	othing essential		
	Gather all paperwork and hand it to the In Chairman or Safety Officer.	vestigator, Club		



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Major Accidents – Witness Report Form

Name:				
Profession or Club Position Held:				
Address:				
Telephone:				
Email:				
Flying Experience:				
Statement: (Please print or type)				

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