

# SAFETY INFORMATION NOTICE

**SUBJECT: GENERAL**

Information concerning the EC135 T2 accident in Glasgow/Scotland

**For the attention of**

AFFECTED HELICOPTERS	Model(s)	
	Civil	Military
EC135	T1, T2, T2+, P1, P2, P2+, 635 T1, 635 T2+, 635 P2+	—

*Eurocopter has been informed about the accident involving an EC135 T2 helicopter which happened on November 29, 2013 at 10:25 pm in the city of Glasgow in Scotland.*

*The aircraft was a police helicopter with three persons on board. The helicopter impacted a public building. No post-crash fire was reported.*

*Our thoughts are with the victims and rescue teams in Glasgow.*

*The accident site has been secured by the authorities. A Eurocopter accident investigation team is on its way to Scotland to assist the AAIB and BFU (the UK and German accident investigation boards).*

**Revision 1:**

Please find the following information update:

- The Eurocopter accident investigation team arrived Saturday evening in the city of Glasgow to support the accident investigation led by the AAIB with the contribution of BFU and BEA.
- The accident site and wreckage were secured and were not accessible for the accident investigation team until this afternoon, as rescue operations were still ongoing since then.
- The wreckage has been moved from the roof of the public building to a secured area and a short and preliminary wreckage examination was performed before leaving to Farnborough for a complete investigation.
- As the 4 main rotor blades are still attached to the main rotor mast, a crack in the mast is very unlikely at the origin of the accident.

As soon as we obtain additional information, we will immediately inform all of our EC135 customers with an update to this Safety Information Notice.