

## State Commission on Aircraft Accidents Investigation INCIDENT 2021/1490 RESOLUTION of 20 January 2022

Type and model of aircraft:	Airplane, Cessna 152
Registration marks:	SP-DCM
Date of occurrence:	09 June 2021
Place of occurrence:	Daleszyce, 50°48′43″N 20°47′10″E

After reviewing the investigation final report provided by the aircraft user, pursuant to Article 135 of The Act of 3rd July 2002 – Aviation Law (Journal of Laws no. 2020, item 1970 and Journal of Laws no. 2021, items 784 and 847, as amended) and § 18 of the Regulation of Minister of Transport of 18 January 2007 on air accidents and incidents, State Commission on Aircraft Accidents Investigation determined that:

### 1. The course of the occurrence was as follows:

On June 9, 2021, the pilot performed a flight on the route: EPLR-EPKA-EPML-EPLR. After touch-and-go at EPKA, he found a slight decrease in engine power on the climb. After the left turn to the DELTA waypoint, the engine resumed normal work. During a climb short of the DELTA waypoint, at approximately 2500FT, the engine started jerking and lost power but continued to run. The plane entered a non commanded descent, movement of throttle did not cause any increase in RPM. Therefore, the pilot decided to land in a random terrain. Shortly before touchdown, he shut down the engine, and the landing was uneventful. After leaving the plane, the pilot did not find any damage and notified services.

### 2. Cause of the occurrence:

### Failure of the MA-3PA carburetor.

The carburetor was under warranty and was sent back to the manufacturer. The carburetor was replaced with a new one under warranty. The user did not receive feedback information about damage to the carburetor.

### 3. Contributing factors:

Not indicated.

4. The Commission accepted the following preventive measures proposed by the investigating entity:

Not formulated.

# 5. In addition, the Commission has proposed the following safety recommendations:

Not formulated.

Investigator in charge

**SCAAI** Chairman