



Controlled Flight toward Terrain

Serious Incident Investigation Interim Statement

Boeing 747-87UF

N856GT

Hong Kong

24 September 2017

10-2020

In accordance with the Hong Kong Civil Aviation (Investigation of Accidents) Regulations (Cap. 448B), an investigation is in progress to determine the circumstances and causes relating to the serious incident involving an Atlas, Inc. Boeing 747-87UF freighter aircraft (registration mark N856GT) under a wet-lease by Cathay Pacific Airways Limited with flight number CPA86 departing from Hong Kong International Airport on 24 September 2017.

Based on all collected evidence, the investigation team is analysing the causes of the serious accident.

In accordance with paragraph 6.6 of Annex 13 to the Convention on International Civil Aviation, if the report cannot be made publicly available within twelve months, the State/Administration conducting the investigation shall make an interim statement publicly available on each anniversary of the occurrence, detailing the progress of the investigation and any safety issues raised.

30 September 2020

Air Accident Investigation Authority Information

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