



PURPOSE OF FLIGHT:

) Drogue towing for air to air  
) gunnery exercises.

NATURE OF ACCIDENT:

) Tire blew out while a/c being taxied  
) in gusty wind. a/c swung off runway  
) and marks indicate that port wheel  
) sank into earth, allowing wheel parts  
) to come into contact with ground.  
) This caused a/c to tilt to port.

TECHNICAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

) Cannot be determined if tire was cut before  
) accident.

COURT OF INQUIRY OR INVESTIGATING OFFICER'S REPORT:

FINDINGS:

SUMMARY No.

CLASSIFICATION:

) 15. Tire failure.

SECONDARY OR CONTRIBUTORY FACTORS:

ACTION TAKEN:

Nil.