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HELICOPTER CRASH NEAR PORT KLANG, SELANGOR

PUTRAJAYA – The Civil Aviation Authority of Malaysia (CAAM) confirms that a Robinson R66 helicopter had crashed near Pulau Indah, Port Klang, Selangor between 9.45am and 10am on Friday, 1st January 2021. The helicopter, operated by My Heli Club, departed Sultan Abdul Aziz Shah Airport, Subang at 9.05am and was operating over Pulau Indah airspace from 9.21am. The pilot reported operation normal at 9.45am and no emergency call was received by the Kuala Lumpur Air Traffic Control Centre following that.

Upon receiving notification of the accident, CAAM activated the Aeronautical Rescue Coordination Centre. The two local pilots were reported to have sustained injuries and in stable condition. The safety investigation will be conducted by the Air Accident Investigation Bureau under the Ministry of Transport Malaysia in accordance with Part XXVI Civil Aviation Regulations 2016.

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