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TRAINING FLIGHT SKIDDED OFF RUNWAY AT MELAKA AIRPORT

PUTRAJAYA – The Civil Aviation Authority of Malaysia (CAAM) confirms an incident involving an aircraft on a training flight at Melaka Airport at 11:03 AM on Friday, 14 October 2022. The Piper PA28-181, 9M-SKF operated by Malaysian Flying Academy (MFA) had landed and skidded off the runway upon touchdown.

There was one pilot on board and no casualties were reported. The aircraft is in the process of removal and a full runway inspection will be carried out to ensure safe operations of the airport. 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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