

Leigh Creek: Two feared dead in light plane crash

Two people are feared dead after a plane crash in Adelaide's north on Saturday evening.

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A pilot and his passenger were feared dead last night after a light plane last night crash at an Outback airport.

Emergency services were called to Leigh Creek Airport, 539km north of Adelaide, at 6.24pm amid reports of a crash north of the facility.

Air safety authorities said the Brumby ultralight plane had plunged from 150m after losing altitude about 1km from the Far North airport's runway.

Police found the wreckage just over an hour later, and there were fears the pilot and their passenger had died. An investigation has been launched.

Peter Thompson, from the Leigh Creek Caravan Park, said he had seen the small plane flying over the town.

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