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Airframe History

PZ-TAV • C-GQKN • C-GIAL

C-GQKN

Rolled Out: 15-Dec-1967 First Flight: 06-Jan-1968

Registration	Operator ● [Owner] ● Name or Fleet Number	Activity	Date
• PZ-TAV	de Havilland Canada Inc., Downsview, ON	Rolled Out	15-Dec-1967
• PZ-TAV	SLM-Surinaamse Luchtvaart Maatschappij (Surinam Airways), Paramaribo	Delivered	05-Mar-1968
• C-GQKN	West Coast Air Services, Richmond, BC	Sold	02-May-1979
• C-GIAL	Island Airlines, Campbell River, BC	Not Taken Up	10-May-1979
• C-GQKN	Airwest Airlines, Richmond, BC	Leased	Apr-1980
• C-GQKN	Air BC, Richmond, BC	Merged	01-Dec-1980
Withdrawn fro	om use & stored at Vancouver, BC		
Noted at Vancouver 22-Jul-1983 being made operational again			
• C-GQKN	Skywest Aviation, Claresholm, AB	Leased	Jul-1983
Operated by SkySports Skydiving, Claresholm			
• C-GQKN	Air BC, Richmond, BC	Returned	23-Sep-1983
• C-GQKN	Echo Bay Mines, Edmonton, AB	Leased	
• C-GQKN	Air BC, Richmond, BC	Returned	
Damaged in I	ard landing at Victoria Harbour 20-Feb-1989; repairable (see details below)		
Via road transport to Vancouver, BC 23-Feb-1989 & withdrawn from use			
Via road transport to Springbank, AB for repair by Ashe Aircraft Enterprises			
• C-GQKN	Air BC, Richmond, BC	In service	Dec-1989
• C-GQKN	Pacific Coastal Airlines, Richmond, BC	Leased	20-Aug-1992
Flew Vancouver-Port Hardy on delivery 20-Aug-1992, and returned Port Hardy-Vancouver 13-Oct-1992			
• C-GQKN	Air BC, Richmond, BC	Returned	13-Oct-1992
• C-GQKN	Pacific Coastal Airlines, Richmond, BC	Leased	12-Feb-1993
Flew Vancouv	er-Port Hardy on delivery 12-Feb-1993, and returned Port Hardy-Vancouver 13-May-1993		
Withdrawn from use & stored at Vancouver, BC 26-Aug-1995			
• C-GQKN	West Coast Air, Vancouver, BC	Sold	26-Feb-1996
Remained withdrawn from use at Vancouver			
• C-GQKN	West Coast Air, Vancouver, BC	In service	05-May-1997
• C-GQKN	West Coast Air, Vancouver, BC	In service	05-May-19

Current - Operational

Incidents, Accidents and Additional Details

• **20-Feb-1989** On final approach for a water landing at Victoria Harbour, BC the aircraft stalled and landed hard. Subsequently transported to Vancouver and then Springbank, AB for repairs. Returned to service late 1989.

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