

Notification of Serious Incident

On Apr. 28, 2014, Peach Aviation Airbus A320-214, Registration # JA802P, Flight # APJ252 departed from New Ishigaki Airport at 11:02am for Naha Airport and GPWS was activated while approaching for landing at Naha Airport. Its crew executed an urgent avoidance operation to avert a crash into the water and landed safely at the airport at 12:10pm.

1. Date, Time and Location of Occurrence

Apr. 28, 2014 at 11:47am

Near Naha Airport

2. Operator

Peach Aviation Ltd.

3. Aircraft

Nationality/Registration #: JA802P

Type of the aircraft: Airbus A320-214

4. Point of Departure and Destination (Flight # APJ252)

New Ishigaki Airport → Naha Airport

5. Number of Persons on Board

Crews: 6, Passengers: 53, Total: 59

6. Outline

On Apr. 28, the said aircraft took off from New Ishigaki Airport at 11:02am for Naha Airport. While the aircraft was approaching to Naha Airport, the crew turned its nose up to avoid a crash into the water due to a GPWS warning and made go-around. After that, the aircraft landed at Naha Airport safely at 12:10pm.

7. Casualty

None

8. Damage to the Aircraft

None

9. Remarks

This case is classified as a serious incident in accordance with the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Civil Aeronautics Act, Article 166-4 (v), a case where aircraft crew executed an emergency operation during navigation in order to avoid crash into the water or contact on the ground.