**Helicopter**: Agusta A 109 K2, OM - ATB  
**CREW**: Pilot, Rescuer, Doctor + Mountain rescuer  
**Emergency call**: Little boy after a 10m fall on the steep slope, broken leg, hit head and back  
**Type of oper.**: HEMS, intended Winch operation  
**Conditions and Time**: CAVOK, 18.12 LT, nearly 2 hours before sun set, wind up to 5m/s  
**Place of rescue**: National park „Slovenský raj“, Steep valley along the river „Hornad“
Location of Base and Accident

HEMS Base Poprad

A Place of Accident
Track of the Rescue Flight

A - landing, boarding of a mountain rescuer
B - accident
Scene of the Accident, opposite of flight direction
Scene of the Accident, Direction of the flight

H = 360 Ft

320 m
Place of the Accident

$V \pm 35$ kt
After the Accident
Present Conclusion

Helicopter and Crew: completely destroyed, all four people on board died

Cause of the accident:
• Helicopter hit the wires by the main rotor during a search flight

Findings:
• Rescue flight at the edge of sun shine and shadow
• Difficult recognizing the place of the patient in the narrow and wooden valley
• All Crew members have been probably looking for a place of patient which was recognized just before the wires hit

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Thank you for your attention!

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