DATE: 9th November 2016
OPERATOR: USMC
AIRCRAFT TYPE: F/A-18A++
SEAT TYPE: NACES
ALTITUDE: Not known
SPEED: Not known
ATTITUDE: Not known

DETAILS OF INCIDENT

Two USMC F/A-18A++s from MCAS Miramar were conducting a training flight off the San Diego coast when a mid-air collision occurred. The pilot of one aircraft ejected successfully coming down in the water. He was picked up by rescue personnel from the USS Carl Vinson aircraft carrier. The other aircraft managed to land safely at NAS North Island.