

2012 No. 1060

CIVIL AVIATION

**The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Plymouth)
Regulations 2012**

Made - - - - *10th April 2012*

Coming into force - - *30th June 2012*

The Secretary of State deems it necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Plymouth, Devon, by reason of the intended holding of a flying display that is scheduled to take place there on 30th June 2012.

The Secretary of State makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by article 161 of the Air Navigation Order 2009^(a).

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Plymouth) Regulations 2012 and come into force on 30th June 2012.

2. In regulation 3 all times referred to are Co-ordinated Universal Time.

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) between 0915 hours and 1645 hours on 30th June 2012 no aircraft is to fly below 5,000 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by straight lines joining successively the following points—

- (a) 502310N 0041400W,
- (b) 502310N 0040438W,
- (c) 501810N 0040438W,
- (d) 501810N 0041400W, and
- (e) 502310N 0041400W.

(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft flying—

- (a) in the service of the Chief Constable of Devon and Cornwall Constabulary,
- (b) in the service of the Helicopter Emergency Medical Service, or
- (c) with the permission of the Plymouth Air Show flying display director.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

J Parkinson
Head of Aviation Policy Development
Department for Transport

10th April 2012

(a) S.I. 2009/3015, to which there are amendments that are not relevant to these Regulations.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations impose restrictions on flying in airspace in the vicinity of Plymouth, Devon, on the occasion of The National Armed Forces Day which will include an air show that will be held along the seafront and over the sea at Plymouth on 30th June 2012. A large number of civil and military aircraft will be involved in high-energy manoeuvres during the event. The Department for Transport, the Civil Aviation Authority's Safety Regulation Group and the Directorate of Airspace Policy consider that flying should be restricted during the air show in the vicinity of Plymouth for reasons of public safety.

In relation to the permission mentioned in regulation 3(2)(c), the Plymouth Air Show flying display director may be contacted on telephone 07788 741257.

Full details of the restrictions will be promulgated by Aeronautical Information Circular and NOTAM.

Further enquiries of the Civil Aviation Authority can be made to Mr R E J Gratton, DAP Airspace Specialist 6, telephone 020 7453 6586.