

2022 No. 1068

CIVIL AVIATION

The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Queen Elizabeth II Bridge, West Thurrock) (Emergency) Regulations 2022

Made - - - - at 12.30 p.m. on 18th October 2022

Coming into force with immediate effect

The Secretary of State has deemed it necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the area specified in the Schedule to Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Queen Elizabeth II Bridge, West Thurrock) (Emergency) Regulations 2022 by reason of an emergency having arisen there.

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by article 239 of the Air Navigation Order 2016(a), makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Queen Elizabeth II Bridge, West Thurrock) (Emergency) Regulations 2022 and they come into force with immediate effect.

Interpretation

2. In regulation 3(1) the times referred to are Co-ordinated Universal Time(b).

Restricted airspace

3. No aircraft is to fly below 1,500 feet above mean sea level over the area specified in Column 1 of the Schedule, being an area bounded by a circle of the radius specified in Column 2 and centred on the position specified in Column 3.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

At 12.30 p.m. on 18th October 2022

Duncan Russell
SEO
Department for Transport

(a) S.I. 2016/765, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.
(b) Co-ordinated Universal Time (UTC) is one hour behind British Summer Time (BST).

SCHEDULE

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Table 1

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Specified area	Radius of circle	Position of centre of circle (latitude and longitude)
Queen Elizabeth II Bridge, West Thurrock	0.5 nautical mile	512755N 0001533E

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations impose restrictions on flying of aircraft in the vicinity of Queen Elizabeth II Bridge, West Thurrock. They are intended to be of temporary duration and will be revoked as soon as the emergency in question has passed.