

2022 No. 974

CIVIL AVIATION

**The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Air Races)
(Amendment) Regulations 2022**

Made - - - - 21st September 2022

Coming into force - - 24th September 2022

The Secretary of State has previously decided that it is necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of the aerodromes at Old Warden and Eshott by reason of the intended holding of the Aero Club Air Races and now considers it necessary in the public interest to amend the restriction of flying.

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

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Air Races) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 and they come into force on 24th September 2022.

Amendment of the Regulations

2.—(1) The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Air Races) Regulations 2022(b) are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 3(3)—

- (a) omit “Subject to paragraphs (7) and (9), between 1145 hours and 1315 hours and between 1515 hours and 1645 hours on 23rd July 2022 and 1st October 2022 and between 1015 hours and 1145 hours and between 1345 hours and 1515 hours on 24th July 2022 no aircraft is to fly below 1,500 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by straight lines joining successively the following points— (a) 520904N 0001627W, (b) 520550N 0002214W, (c) 515944N 0001840W, (d) 520454N 0000549W, and (e) 520904N 0001627W.”, and
- (b) insert “Subject to paragraphs (7) and (9), between 1045 hours and 1215 hours and between 1415 hours and 1545 hours on the two days of 23rd July 2022 and 1st October 2022 and between 0915 hours and 1045 hours and between 1245 hours and 1415 hours on 24th July 2022 no aircraft is to fly below 1,500 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by straight lines joining successively the following points— (a) 520421N 0002055W, (b) 520120N 0001635W, (c) 520420N 0000906W, (d) 520713N 0000810W, (e) 520930N 0001509W, and (f) 520421N 0002055W.”.

(a) S.I. 2016/765, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.
(b) S.I. 2022/212.

(3) In regulation 3(4)—

- (a) omit “between 1145 hours and 1315 hours and between 1515 hours and 1645 hours on 24th September 2022 and between 1015 hours and 1145 hours and between 1345 hours and 1515 hours on 25th September 2022”, and
- (b) insert “between 1045 hours and 1215 hours and between 1415 hours and 1545 hours on 24th September 2022 and between 0915 hours and 1045 hours and between 1245 hours and 1415 hours on 25th September 2022”.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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21st September 2022

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Air Races) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/212) by amending the timings and coordinates for the aero race on 1st October 2022 which is intended to be held in the vicinity of Old Warden and by amending the timings for the aero races scheduled to be held at Eshott on 24th and 25th September 2022.

Full details of this Statutory Instrument will be promulgated by Notice to Aviation (NOTAM).

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