STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2024 No. 856

CIVIL AVIATION

The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Newcastle, County Down) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Made - - - - 14th August 2024

Coming into force - - 9th September 2024

The Secretary of State has deemed it necessary in the public interest to amend the restrictions on flying specified in the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Newcastle, County Down) Regulations 2024(a).

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

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Newcastle, County Down) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 and they come into force on 9th September 2024.

Restricted airspace

- **2.**—(1) The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Newcastle, County Down) Regulations 2024 are amended as follows.
 - (2) In regulation 2 for "3(1)" substitute "3".
 - (3) For regulation 3(2) substitute—
 - "(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any unmanned aircraft flying in accordance with a permission issued by the—
 - (a) Amgen Irish Open event Safety Officer for the period—
 - (i) beginning with 0400 hours on 9th September 2024 and ending with 0529 hours on 11th September 2024, and
 - (ii) beginning with 1831 hours on 15th September and ending with 2100 hours on 16th September, or
 - (b) Police Service of Northern Ireland, for the period beginning with 0530 hours on 11th September 2024 and ending with 1830 hours on 15th September 2024.".

⁽a) S.I. 2024/675

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

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

Hafsah Abid HEO Department for Transport

14th August 2024

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Newcastle, County Down) Regulations 2024 (S.I. 2024/675) which impose restrictions on flying in the vicinity of the Amgen Irish Open Golf Championships, Newcastle, County Down

In relation to the permissions mentioned in regulation 2(3), the Amgen Irish Open event Safety Officer and the Police Service of Northern Ireland may be contacted as notified.

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

The point of contact in the Civil Aviation Authority is Mr Alan Frew, Airspace Regulator, Safety and Airspace Regulation Group, on telephone number 03301 382734.