

# Civil Aviation Act 2012

## **2012 CHAPTER 19**

#### PART 1

**AIRPORTS** 

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REGULATION OF OPERATORS OF DOMINANT AIRPORTS

## Dominant airports

### 12 Advance determinations

- (1) The CAA may make a market power determination or an operator determination based entirely or partly on circumstances that have not arisen at the time the determination is made.
- (2) The CAA must specify the circumstances in the determination.
- (3) The CAA may make a determination in reliance on subsection (1) only if it considers that the specified circumstances are likely to arise.
- (4) Sections 8 and 11 do not require the CAA to publish or send a copy of a notice of a determination made in reliance on subsection (1), or reasons for such a determination, at a time when—
  - (a) the circumstances specified in the determination have not arisen, and
  - (b) it considers that doing so would involve disclosing commercially sensitive information.
- (5) If a notice of a market power determination made in reliance on subsection (1) is published before the circumstances specified in the determination arise—
  - (a) an airport area or airport is not dominant by virtue of the determination until those circumstances arise, and

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- (b) a previous market power determination which would otherwise cease to have effect by virtue of section 7(9) or (10) continues to have effect until those circumstances arise.
- (6) If a notice of an operator determination made in reliance on subsection (1) is published before the circumstances specified in the determination arise, a person is not to be treated as having or not having overall responsibility for the management of an airport area by virtue of the determination until those circumstances arise.

## **Commencement Information**

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