

2020 No. 876

CIVIL AVIATION

**The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Alrewas)
Regulations 2020**

Made - - - - - *14th August 2020*

Coming into force - - - - - *15th August 2020*

The Secretary of State has decided that it is in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Alrewas, Staffordshire, by reason of the intended holding of VJ Day Commemorations at the National Memorial Arboretum scheduled to take place there on 15th August 2020.

The Secretary of State makes these 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) (Alrewas) Regulations 2020 and come into force on 15th August 2020.

Interpretation

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

Restricted airspace

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), between 0900 hours and 1230 hours on 15th August 2020, no aircraft is to fly below 2,500 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by a circle having a radius of 1 nautical mile whose centre is 524343N 0014358W.

(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to an aircraft flying with the permission of Staffordshire Police.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

14th August 2020

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Department for Transport

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

(b) In these Regulations, Co-ordinated Universal Time (UTC) is one hour behind British Summer Time (BST).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations impose restrictions on flying in airspace in the vicinity of Alrewas, Staffordshire, during the VJ Day Commemorations at the National Memorial Arboretum scheduled to take place there on 15th August 2020. The Civil Aviation Authority and the Department for Transport agree that it is in the public interest that flying should be restricted in the vicinity.

In relation to regulation 3, the term 'aircraft' includes aircraft as classified by Part 1 of Schedule 4 to the Air Navigation Order 2016. It also includes, by virtue of article 23 of that Order, any small balloon, any kite weighing not more than two kilograms, any small unmanned aircraft and any parachute including a parascending parachute.

The times mentioned in regulation 3(1) are Co-ordinated Universal Time (UTC), which for the purpose of these Regulations is one hour behind British Summer Time (BST).

In relation to the permission mentioned in regulation 3(2), Staffordshire Police may be contacted as notified.

The point of contact in the Civil Aviation Authority is Mr C W Scott, Principal Airspace Regulator, Safety and Airspace Regulation Group, on telephone number 03301 382997.