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CIVIL AVIATION

The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Royal Air Force Cosford) Regulations 2011

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 Coming into force
 10th June 2011

The Secretary of State deems it necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Royal Air Force Cosford, Shropshire by reason of the intended holding of a flying display that is scheduled to take place during the period from 10th to 12th June 2011.

The Secretary of State makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by article 161 of the Air Navigation Order 2009(a).

- **1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Royal Air Force Cosford) Regulations 2011 and come into force on 10th June 2011.
 - **2.** In regulation 3 all times referred to are Co-ordinated Universal Time.
- **3.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) between 0900 hours and 1730 hours on each day beginning with 10th June and ending on 12th June, no aircraft is to fly below 8,300 feet above mean sea level within the area of a circle having a radius of 6 nautical miles whose centre is at 523824N 0021819W.
- (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft flying in accordance with a clearance issued by the air traffic control unit at Royal Air Force Cosford.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

J Parkinson
Head of Aviation Policy Development
Department for Transport

16th March 2011

 $[\]textbf{(a)} \quad \text{S.I. } 2009/3015, \text{to which there is an amendment that is not relevant to these Regulations}.$

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations impose restrictions on flying in airspace in the vicinity of Royal Air Force Cosford, Shropshire during an air display for the general public that is scheduled to take place there from 10th to 12th June 2011.

A large number of aircraft will be involved in high energy manoeuvres during the displays. The Ministry of Defence, in agreement with the Civil Aviation Authority and Department for Transport, considers that flying should be restricted in the vicinity of Royal Air Force Cosford for reasons of public safety.

Full details of the Statutory Instrument will be promulgated by Aeronautical Information Circular and NOTAM.

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