STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 140

CIVIL AVIATION

The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Northampton Sywell) Regulations 2014

Made - - - 22nd January 2014

Coming into force - - 30th May 2014

The Secretary of State deems it necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Northampton Sywell Aerodrome, Northamptonshire by reason of the holding of the AeroExpo UK 2014 General Aviation Exhibition that is intended to take place there between 30th May and 1st June 2014.

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

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Northampton Sywell) Regulations 2014 and come into force on 30th May 2014.

Interpretation

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

Restricted airspace

- **3.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) between 0800 hours and 1700 hours on each day beginning with 30th May and ending on 1st June 2014 no aircraft is to fly below 3,500 feet above mean sea level within the area of a circle having a radius of 4 nautical miles whose centre is at 521822N 0004732W.
- (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft—
 - (a) operated by the National Police Air Service,
 - (b) operated by the Helicopter Emergency Medical Services, or
 - (c) flying with the permission of the Sywell Aerodrome Flight Information Service Unit.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

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22nd January 2014

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

The AeroExpo UK 2014 General Aviation Exhibition will take place at Northampton Sywell Aerodrome, Northamptonshire, between 30th May and 1st June 2014. This event will attract up to 500 aircraft on each day, many using limited radio transmissions in an area of intense aerial activity. The Secretary of State considers that flying should be restricted in the vicinity of Northampton Sywell aerodrome for reasons of flight safety.

Full details of the airspace restrictions will be promulgated by Aeronautical Information Circular and NOTAM.

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