#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2017 No. 696

# **CIVIL AVIATION**

The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Notting Hill, London) (Emergency) (Amendment) Regulations 2017

Made - - - 13:15 hours on 16th June 2017

Coming into force - - with immediate effect

The Secretary of State for a reason affecting the public interest deems it necessary to restrict flying in the area specified in the Schedule by reason of an emergency having arisen in that area.

The Secretary of State makes the following 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) (Notting Hill, London) (Emergency) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 and come into force with immediate effect.

### Amendment

- **2.** The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Notting Hill, London) (Emergency) Regulations 2017(**b**) are amended as follows.
- **3.** In Regulation 3 for "London Air Traffic Control Centre (Swanwick) and London Heathrow Air Traffic Control" substitute "London Air Traffic Control Centre (Swanwick) and London Heathrow Air Traffic Control Unit for aircraft making an approach to, or departure from, London Heathrow Airport, and the London Fire Brigade for the operation of unmanned aircraft systems."
  - **4.** In column 2 of the Schedule for "1.5 nautical miles" substitute "0.5 nautical miles".

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

David J Best G7 Department for Transport

13:15 hours on 16th June 2017

<sup>(</sup>a) S.I. 2016/765.

<sup>(</sup>b) S.I. 2017/695.

### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Notting Hill, London) (Emergency) Regulations 2017 (S.I. 2017/695) ("the principal Regulations"). The amendment amends the lateral dimension of the restriction, and enables the London Fire Brigade to operate drones in the restricted airspace.

Full details of the amendment will be promulgated by NOTAM.

Further enquiries of the Civil Aviation Authority may be made to Mr R E J Gratton, Safety and Airspace Regulation Group, Principal Airspace Regulator, on telephone number 020 7453 6586.