

2013 No. 931

CIVIL AVIATION

**The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Sunderland)
Regulations 2013**

Made - - - 18th April 2013
Coming into force - - 27th July 2013

The Secretary of State deems it necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Sunderland, by reason of the intended holding of a flying display that is scheduled to take place on 27th and 28th July 2013.

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) (Sunderland) Regulations 2013 and come into force on 27th July 2013.

Interpretation

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

Restricted airspace

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), between 1100 hours and 1630 hours on 27th and 28th July 2013, no aircraft is to fly below 8,000 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by straight lines joining successively the following points—

- (a) 545930N 0012504W,
- (b) 545950N 0011901W,
- (c) 545351N 0011759W,
- (d) 545332N 0012402W, and
- (e) 545930N 0012504W.

(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft flying with the permission of the Sunderland Air Show flying display director.

(a) S.I. 2009/3015, to which there are amendments that are not relevant to these Regulations.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

Kate Jennings
Head of Aviation Policy Implementation
Department for Transport

18th April 2013

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations impose restrictions on flying in airspace in the vicinity of Sunderland on the occasion of an Air Show that will be held on 27th and 28th July 2013.

The Air Show will be held over the sea off the Sunderland seafront on those dates and will involve a large number of civil and military aircraft in high-energy manoeuvres. The Civil Aviation Authority's Safety Regulation Group considers that, for reasons of public safety, restrictions should be imposed on flying in the vicinity of Sunderland on the display days and this has been agreed with the Department for Transport.

In relation to the permission mentioned in regulation 3(2), the Sunderland Air Show flying display director may be contacted on telephone number 07979 593941.

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

Further enquiries of the Civil Aviation Authority can be made to Mr R E J Gratton, DAP Airspace Specialist 6, Telephone 020 7453 6586.