STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 1141

CIVIL AVIATION

The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Balado) Regulations 2014

 Made
 28th April 2014

 Coming into force
 10th July 2014

The Secretary of State has decided that it is necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Balado, Perth and Kinross, by reason of the intended gathering of a large number of persons at the T in the Park 2014 Music Festival which is scheduled to take place in the period from 10th to 14th July 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) (Balado) Regulations 2014 and come into force on 10th July 2014.

Interpretation

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

Restricted airspace

- **3.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), between 0600 hours on 10th July and 1500 hours on 14th July 2014, no aircraft is to fly below 3,500 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by a circle having a radius of 1.5 nautical miles whose centre is at 561248N 0032734W.
- (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft operating with the permission of Inspector Jenny Valentine or Sergeant Ged McGouldrick of the Police Service of Scotland.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

Kate Jennings
Head of Aviation Policy Implementation
Department for Transport

28th April 2014

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

⁽b) 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 Balado, Perth and Kinross, by reason of the T in the Park 2014 Music Festival that is scheduled to take place there from 10th to 14th July 2014. A large gathering of people will attend this event on each day and therefore the Police Service of Scotland has requested that restrictions be imposed on flying in the vicinity of the festival on public safety and security grounds. These have been agreed with the Civil Aviation Authority and the Department for Transport.

In relation to the authority mentioned in regulation 3(2), Inspector Jenny Valentine or Sergeant Ged McGouldrick may be contacted on telephone 07891 999905.

The times mentioned in regulation 3(1) are Universal Co-ordinated Time (UTC), which is one hour behind British Summer Time

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

Further enquiries can be made to Mr R E J Gratton, Principal Airspace Regulator, Civil Aviation Authority, on telephone 020 7453 6586.