

**2012 No. 1177**

**CIVIL AVIATION**

**The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Exeter) Regulations  
2012**

*Made* - - - - - *25th April 2012*  
*Coming into force* - - - - - *2nd May 2012*

The Secretary of State deems it necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Exeter, Devon, by reason of a visit by Her Majesty the Queen scheduled to take place there on 2nd May 2012.

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) (Exeter) Regulations 2012 and come into force on 2nd May 2012.

**Interpretation**

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

**Restricted airspace**

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), between 1000 hours and 1330 hours on 2nd May 2012, no aircraft is to fly below 2,500 feet above mean sea level within the area of a circle having a radius of 2.5 nautical miles whose centre is 504320N 0033032W.

(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft—

- (a) making an approach to, or departure from, Exeter International Airport if it does so in accordance with the directions of the air traffic control unit at that airport provided the commander of the aircraft complies with any conditions or instructions issued by that unit.
- (b) being operated in the service of—
  - (i) the Devon and Cornwall Police, or
  - (ii) the Devon Air Ambulance, or
- (c) being operated with the specific authority of Superintendent Glen Mayhew of the Devon and Cornwall Police.

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(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

25th April 2012

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Head of Aviation Security Division  
Department for Transport

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations restrict flying in the vicinity of Exeter, Devon, on the day of a visit by Her Majesty the Queen, which is scheduled to take place on 2nd May 2012. The Home Office, on behalf of the Devon and Cornwall Police, has requested these restrictions, which form part of the overall security arrangements for this event. This request has been agreed with the Civil Aviation Authority's Directorate of Airspace Policy (DAP) and the Department for Transport.

In relation to the authority mentioned in regulation 3(2)(c), Superintendent Glen Mayhew may be contacted through the Devon and Cornwall Police Force Control Room on telephone 01392 223486.

Full details of the airspace restrictions will be promulgated by 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.