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Airports and Civil Aviation Act 1987

CIVIL AVIATION (RESTRICTION OF FLYING) (TYNWALD DAY) REGULATIONS 2022

Laid before Tynwald: 26 April 2022
Coming into Operation: 5 July 2022

The Department for Enterprise makes the following Regulations under section 11H and 11I of the Airports and Civil Aviation Act 1987.

1 Title

These Regulations are the Civil Aviation (Restriction of Flying) (Tynwald Day) Regulations 2022.

2 Commencement

These Regulations come into operation on 5 July 2022 and cease to have effect at the end of that day¹.

3 Restricted airspace

- (1) An aircraft must not fly below 2,500 feet above mean sea level between 0900 and 1200 hours Universal Time Coordinated on 5 July 2022 within the airspace specified in paragraph (2) except where that aircraft is flying with the permission of the Department or an authorised person.
- (2) The airspace referred to in paragraph (1) is the airspace within the area bounded by a circle of radius 2 nautical miles centred in St Johns, Isle of Man (541213N 0043832W), illustrated in the Schedule.
- (3) The Department or an authorised person may grant permission under paragraph (1) subject to such conditions as the Department or authorised person may specify.

¹ By section 11H(2) of the Airports and Civil Aviation Act 1987, regulations made under section 11H shall be laid before Tynwald as soon as practicable after they are made, and if Tynwald at the sitting at which the regulations are laid or at the next following sitting resolves that they are to be annulled, they cease to have effect.

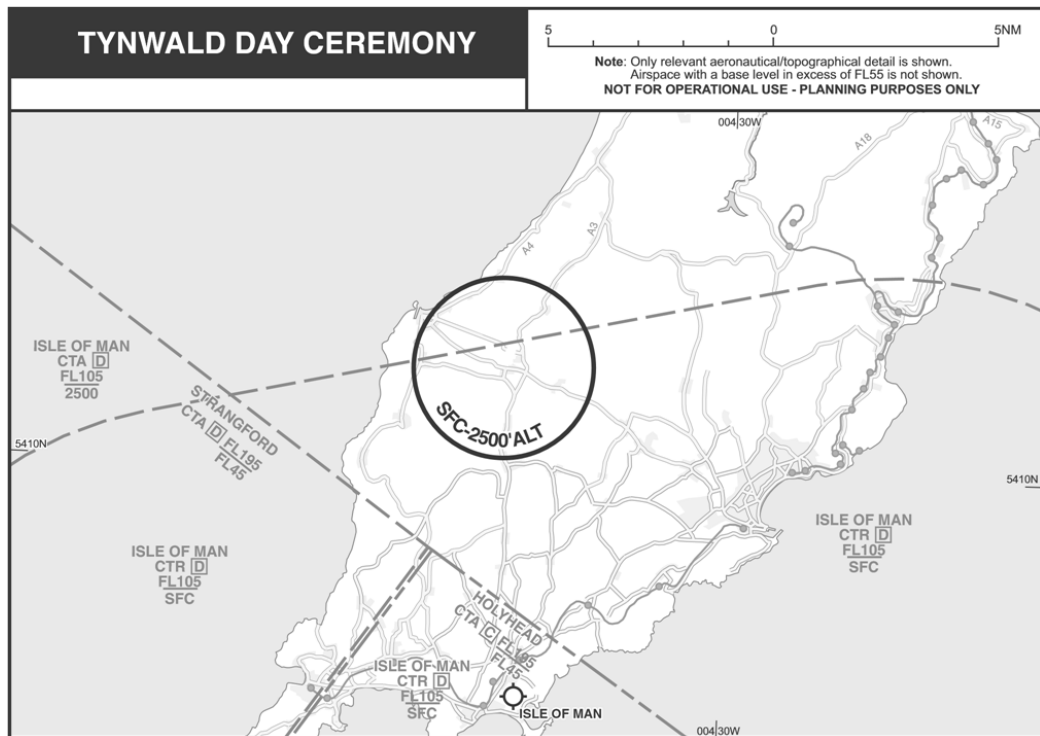
4 Offences and Penalties

- (1) Subject to paragraph (2) a person who contravenes the requirement imposed under regulation 3(1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale.
- (2) If it is proved that an act or omission of a person that would otherwise have been a contravention by the person of a provision specified in paragraph (1) was due to any cause not avoidable by the exercise of reasonable care by the person, the act or omission is to be taken not to be a contravention by the person of the provision.

MADE 23 MARCH 2022

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SCHEDULE
TYNWALD DAY RESTRICTED AIRSPACE
[REGULATION 3(2)]



EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations restrict flying in the vicinity of Tynwald Hill during the gathering of a large number of people for the Tynwald Ceremony on 5 July 2022.

The Department or an authorised person may permit an aircraft to fly within the restricted airspace.

Contravention of the restriction is an offence under regulation 3 and is punishable on summary conviction by a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale (currently £5,000).