

**2012 No. 154**

**CIVIL AVIATION**

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

*Made* - - - - - *23rd January 2012*

*Coming into force* - - - *2nd June 2012*

The Secretary of State deems it necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Folkestone, Kent by reason of the holding of a flying display that is scheduled to take place on 2nd June 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).

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Folkestone) Regulations 2012 and come into force on 2nd June 2012.

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

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) between 1200 hours and 1700 hours on 2nd June 2012 no aircraft is to fly below 5,000 feet above mean sea level within the area of a circle having a radius of 3 nautical miles whose centre is at 510400N 0011000E.

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

- (a) an instrument approach to Runway 21 at Lydd Airport in accordance with an air traffic control clearance issued by the Air Traffic Control unit at that airport provided the commander of the aircraft complies with any instructions from that unit; or
- (b) with the permission of the Folkestone Air Show flying display director.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

*J Parkinson*  
Head of Aviation Policy Development  
Department for Transport

23rd January 2012

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

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

These Regulations impose restrictions on flying in airspace in the vicinity of Folkestone, Kent, on the occasion of an air show that will be held along the seafront and over the sea at Folkestone on 2nd June 2012. A large number of civil and military aircraft will be involved in high-energy manoeuvres during the event. The Civil Aviation Authority's Safety Regulation Group and Directorate of Airspace Policy, with the agreement of the Department for Transport, consider that flying should be restricted during the air show in the vicinity of Folkestone for reasons of public safety.

In relation to the permission mentioned in regulation 3(2), the Folkestone Air Show flying display director may be contacted on telephone 07768 693345.

Full details of the Statutory Instrument 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.