

2023 No. 647

CIVIL AVIATION

**The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Sherburn-in-Elmet
Air Race) (No. 2) Regulations 2023**

Made - - - - *13th June 2023*

Coming into force - - *19th August 2023*

The Secretary of State has decided that it is necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the area specified in regulation 3(1) by reason of the intended holding there of an Aero Club Air Race.

The Secretary of State makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by article 239 of the Air Navigation Order 2016(a).

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Sherburn-in-Elmet Air Race) (No. 2) Regulations 2023 and they come into force on 19th August 2023.

Interpretation

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

Restricted airspace

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), between 1045 hours and 1215 hours and between 1415 hours and 1545 hours on 19th August 2023 and between 1015 hours and 1145 hours and between 1345 hours and 1515 hours on 20th August 2023 no aircraft is to fly below 1,500 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by straight lines joining successively the following points—

- (a) 534844N 0011658W,
- (b) 534748N 0010943W,
- (c) 534945N 0010215W,
- (d) 534702N 0005716W,
- (e) 534224N 0010036W,
- (f) 534149N 0010737W,
- (g) 534532N 0011720W, and
- (h) 534844N 0011658W.

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

(a) S.I. 2016/765, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.
(b) Co-ordinated Universal Time (UTC) is one hour behind British Summer Time (BST).

- (a) operating with the permission of—
 - (i) the Sherburn-in-Elmet Aerodrome air-ground service whilst in the local flying area, or
 - (ii) the Royal Aero Club Records, Racing and Rally Association Clerk of the Course, or
- (b) operated by or on behalf of—
 - (i) the National Police Air Service,
 - (ii) the Helicopter Emergency Medical Service, or
 - (iii) the Maritime and Coastguard Agency.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

David J Best

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Department for Transport

13th June 2023

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations impose restrictions on flying in the vicinity of the aerodrome at Sherburn-in-Elmet by reason of the intended holding of an Aero Club Air Race that is due to take place there on 19th August 2023 and 20th August 2023.

Many aircraft will be involved in high energy manoeuvres during the race and therefore the Civil Aviation Authority and the Department for Transport agree that flying should be restricted in the vicinity of the event for reasons of public safety.

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

In relation to the permissions mentioned in regulation 3(2)(a), the Sherburn-in-Elmet Aerodrome air ground service can be contacted as notified and the Royal Aero Club Records Racing and Rally Association Clerk of the Course may be contacted on telephone number 07961-046582.

Full details of this Statutory Instrument will be promulgated by Aeronautical Information Circular (AIC) and Notice to Aviation (NOTAM).

The point of contact in the Civil Aviation Authority is Mr S J Maxted, Airspace Regulator, Safety and Airspace Regulation Group, on telephone number 03301 383216.