STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2017 No. 626

# CIVIL AVIATION

## The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Hylands Park) Regulations 2017

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| *Coming into force - -* | *18th August 2017* |

The Secretary of State has decided that it is necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Hylands Park, Essex by reason of the intended gathering of a large number of persons at the V Festival 2017 which is scheduled to take place there.

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) (Hylands Park) Regulations 2017 and come into force on 18th August 2017.

### Interpretation

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

### Restricted airspace

**3.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), during the period beginning with 0700 hours on 18th August 2017 and ending at 1300 hours on 21st August 2017, 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 514246N 0002557E.

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

(a) operated by or on behalf of the National Police Air Service,

(b) operated by or on behalf of the Helicopter Emergency Medical Services, or

(c) flying in accordance with the permission of Superintendant Steven Ditchburn or Chief Inspector Glen Pavelin of Essex Police.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

*Sarah Bishop*
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26th April 2017

(**a**) S.I. 2016/765.
(**b**) In these Regulations Co-ordinated Universal Time (UTC) is one hour behind British Summer Time (BST).