STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 734

CIVIL AVIATION

The Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Southport) Regulations 2016

Made - - - -	*11th July 2016*
Coming into force - -	*9th September 2016*

The Secretary of State has decided that it is necessary in the public interest to restrict flying in the vicinity of Southport, Merseyside, by reason of the holding of the Southport Air Show.

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) (Southport) Regulations 2016 and come into force on 9th September 2016.

Interpretation

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

Restricted airspace

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (3), and during the periods specified in paragraph (2), no aircraft is to fly below 5,000 feet above mean sea level within the area bounded by a circle having a radius of 2.3 nautical miles whose centre is at 533921N 0030117W.

(2) The periods referred to in paragraph (1) are—

(a) between 1200 hours and 1600 hours on 9th September 2016, and

(b) between 1000 hours and 1730 hours on 10th and 11th September 2016.

(3) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft flying with the permission of the Southport Air Show flying display director.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

Tim May
Head of Aviation Policy
Department for Transport

11th July 2016

(**a**) S.I. 2009/3015, to which there are amendments that are not relevant to these Regulations.
(**b**) In these Regulations Co-ordinated Universal Time (UTC) is one hour behind British Summer Time (BST).