

Statutory Document No. 2024/0170



*Airports and Civil Aviation Act 1987*

## **CIVIL AVIATION (RESTRICTION OF FLYING) (NEWTOWN) REGULATIONS 2024<sup>1</sup>**

*Laid before Tynwald: 18 June 2024*

*Coming into Operation in accordance with Regulation 2*

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

### **1 Title**

These Regulations are the Civil Aviation (Restriction of Flying) (Newtown) Regulations 2024.

### **2 Commencement**

These Regulations come into operation on 20 June 2024 and cease to have effect at the end of 21 June 2024.<sup>1</sup>

### **3 Interpretation**

Words or expressions used in these Regulations have the meanings specified by the Civil Aviation (Miscellaneous Provisions) Order 2020.<sup>2</sup>

### **4 Restricted airspace**

- (1) Subject to paragraph (3) a person must not cause or permit a small unmanned aircraft to fly below 2,000 feet above mean sea level between 0600 hours Universal Time Coordinated on 20 June 2024 and 1600 hours Universal Time Coordinated on 21 June 2024 within the airspace specified in paragraph (2).

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<sup>1</sup> Tynwald procedure – negative, in accordance with section 11H(2) of the Airports and Civil Aviation Act 1987.

<sup>2</sup> SD No. 2020/0134.

- (2) The airspace referred to in paragraph (1) is the airspace within the area bounded by a circle of radius 1.5 nautical miles centred on 540822N 0043340W (Newtown, Isle of Man), as illustrated in the Schedule.
- (3) Paragraph (1) does not apply to an aircraft which is flying with the permission of the Department.
- (4) The Department may grant permission under paragraph (3) subject to such conditions as the Department may specify.

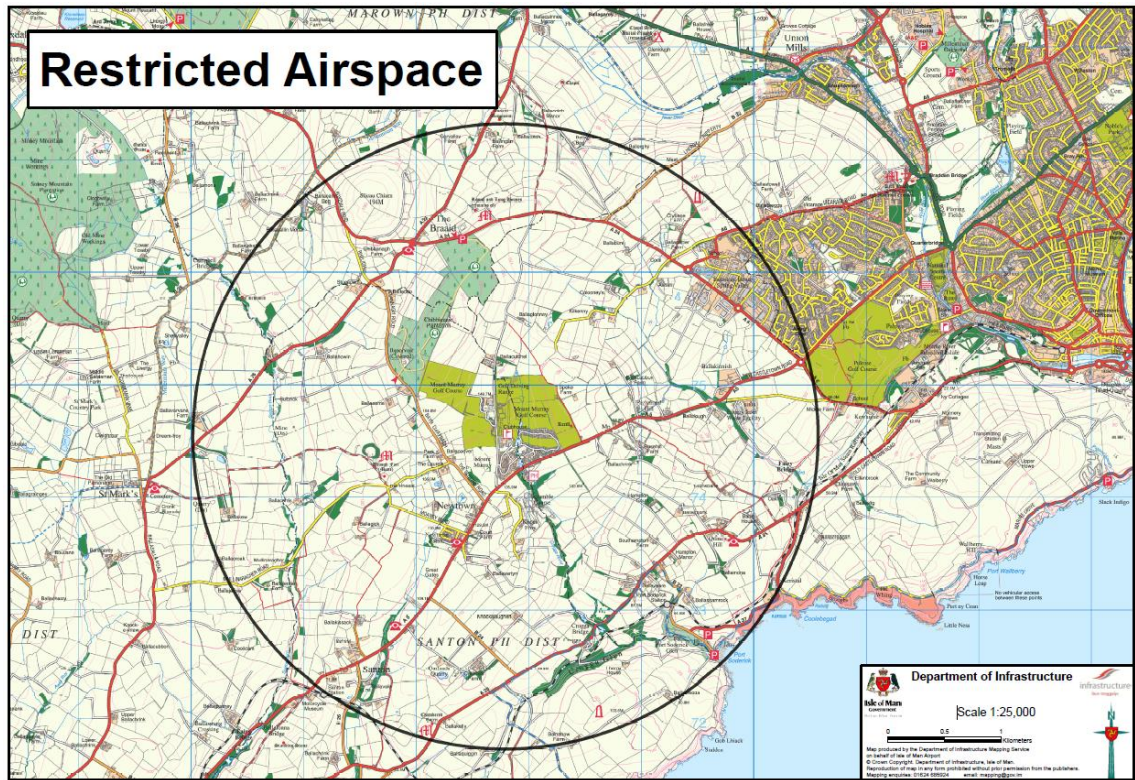
## **5 Offences and penalties**

- (1) Subject to paragraph (2), a person who contravenes the requirement imposed under regulation 4(1) commits an offence and is liable—
  - (a) on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale; or
  - (b) on conviction on information, to a fine or to a term of custody not exceeding five years, or both.
- (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 31 MAY 2024**

**SCHEDULE**  
**RESTRICTED AIRSPACE**

*[Regulation 4(2)]*



## ENDNOTES

### Table of Endnote References

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<sup>1</sup> The format of this legislation has been changed as provided for under section 75 of, and paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to, the Legislation Act 2015. The changes have been approved by the Attorney General after consultation with the Clerk of Tynwald as required by section 76 of the Legislation Act 2015.