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*Air Navigation (Isle of Man) Order 2015*

## **AIR NAVIGATION (RESTRICTION OF FLYING) (FESTIVAL OF MOTORCYCLING) REGULATIONS 2019**

*Laid before Tynwald:* 9 April 2019  
*Coming into Operation:* 17 August 2019

The Department for Enterprise makes the following Regulations under article 92 of the Air Navigation (Isle of Man) Order 2015<sup>1</sup>.

### **1 Title**

These Regulations are the Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Festival of Motorcycling) Regulations 2019.

### **2 Commencement and duration**

These Regulations come into operation on 17 August 2019 and cease to have effect at the end of 31 August 2019.

### **3 Interpretation**

In these Regulations –

“CAA” means the Civil Aviation Authority of the United Kingdom;

“Isle of Man Festival of Motorcycling race course” means the road race course illustrated in the Schedule; and

“NOTAM” means a Notice to Airmen set out with the authority of the CAA in a document published by or under an arrangement entered into with the CAA and entitled “United Kingdom NOTAM” or “United Kingdom Aeronautical Information Publication” and for the time being in force.

### **4 Restricted airspace**

(1) Subject to paragraph (2), for the duration of these Regulations, an aircraft must not fly below 3,000 feet above mean sea level within –

<sup>1</sup> SI 2015/870 as amended by SI 2016/155

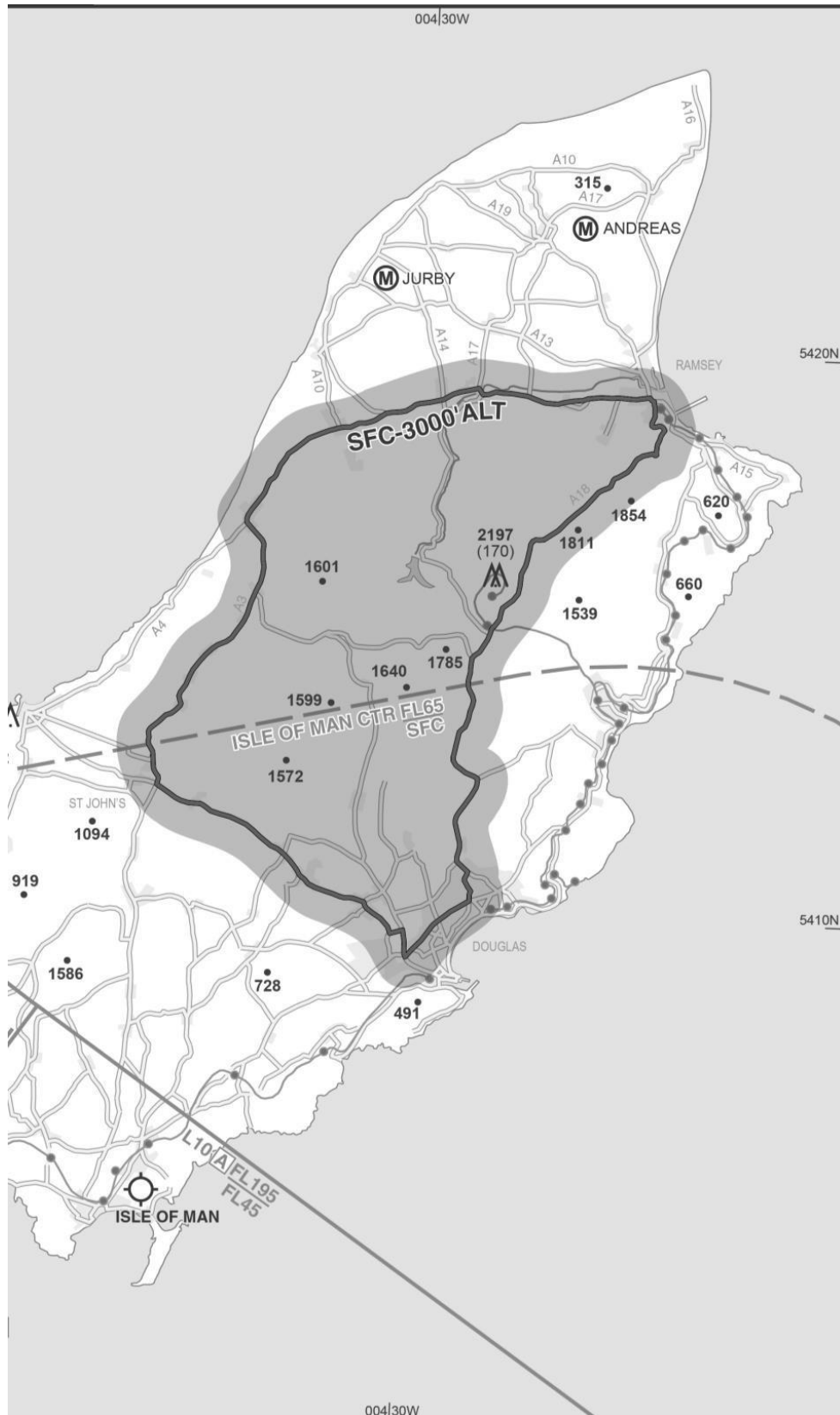
- (a) the area bounded by the Isle of Man Festival of Motorcycling race course; and
  - (b) an area 1000 metres wide outside and abutting on the Isle of Man Festival of Motorcycling race course,
- when that airspace is notified as being active by a NOTAM.
- (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to any aircraft that is flying with the permission of the Isle of Man Civil Aviation Administration.

**MADE 13 MARCH 2019**

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SCHEDULE

ISLE OF MAN FESTIVAL OF MOTORCYCLING RACE COURSE



**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

These Regulations restrict flying in the vicinity of the Isle of Man Festival of Motorcycling road race course in case of the possible need to evacuate a sick or injured person by air. The restrictions also prevent unauthorised activity (including the use of drones) from interfering with the races directly.

Flying is temporarily restricted below a certain height in the area specified in regulation 4 during the Isle of Man Festival of Motorcycling races between 17 August 2019 and 31 August 2019 inclusive. The dates and times when flying is restricted will be promulgated in advance by a Notice to Airmen (NOTAM).

Contravention of the restriction is an offence under the Air Navigation (Isle of Man) Order 2015 (SI 2015/870) as amended, and is punishable on summary conviction by a fine not exceeding £2,500.