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Subject

Airspace Restrictions



RESTRICTION OF FLYING REGULATIONS: ROYAL AIR FORCE COSFORD AIRSHOW, SHROPSHIRE, 06 - 08 JUNE 2025

- 1 The RAF Cosford Airshow will take place **between 06 and 08 June 2025**. A large number of aircraft will be engaged in high-energy manoeuvres; therefore, the Secretary of State for Transport has decided that it is necessary to introduce Restriction of Flying Regulations under Article 239 of the Air Navigation Order 2016.
- 2 The times mentioned in this Notice are Universal Co-ordinated Time (UTC), which is one hour behind British Summer Time (BST).
- 3 Subject to paragraph 4, no aircraft is to fly below 5300 FT AMSL within the area of a circle having a radius of 6 NM whose centre is 523824N 0021819W between:
 - a) **1300 and 1700 hours on 06 and 07 June 2025**; and
 - b) **1000 and 1700 hours on 08 June 2025**.
- 4 Paragraph 3 does not apply to any aircraft flying in accordance with a clearance issued by:
 - a) the RAF Cosford Airshow flying display director who may be contacted via telephone 01902-377055 or 07796-134992;
 - b) the air traffic control unit at Royal Air Force Shawbury who may be contacted on Shawbury Zone, channel 133.155 or frequency 339.925 MHz; or
 - c) the air traffic control unit at Royal Air Force Cosford who may be contacted on Cosford Approach, channel 135.880.
- 5 Displays by Aerobatic Teams will take place at RAF Cosford during these times; additional Restricted Area (Temporary) of a higher altitude will be notified by a separate NOTAM.
- 6 In relation to this document, the term 'aircraft' includes any small balloon, any kite, any unmanned aircraft and any parachute including a parascending parachute or paramotor.
- 7 Details of Restricted Airspace feature in the daily AIS Information Line message 08085-354802 and 01489-887515 and will be included on the Pre-flight Information Bulletins (PIB) through the AIS Website at <http://nats.aero/ais>.
- 8 Further enquiries can be made to Mr A Frew, Airspace Regulator, Safety and Airspace Regulation Group, Civil Aviation Authority, on telephone number 03301-382734.

RAF COSFORD

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The map displays the Birmingham region with several key features:

- Airports and Airfields:** SHAWBURY AIAA SFC-FL70, DAVENTRY CTA A FL145+, COSFORD 272, EGWC 135.875, BRIDGNORTH 690, WOLVERHAMPTON/HALFPENNY GREEN NDB WBA 356.
- Navigation Aids:** G/3.3, TDME 108.6, FIG, M5, M6.
- Elevation Contours:** 1334, 1771, 670, 3500'-4500', 3500'-FL145.
- Geographical Features:** Severn River, Canal, Meese, Trent.
- Towns and Cities:** SHAWBURY, DAVENTRY, COSFORD, BRIDGNORTH, WOLVERHAMPTON, DUDLEY, BIRMINGHAM.

A blue circle is drawn around the central area, highlighting the Birmingham City Airport (BHX) and its immediate surroundings. The text "SFC-5300' AMSL" is prominently displayed within this circle.

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