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Subject: Airspace Closures and Restrictions Concerning Libya

Ref. Publications: NOTAM A0637/14 issued by Malta on 31 July 2014.

FDC 1/2679 (KFDC A0005/11) FDC...SPECIAL NOTICE SPECIAL FEDERAL AVIATION REGULATION NO. 112 – PROHIBITION AGAINST CERTAIN FLIGHTS WITHIN THE TRIPOLI (HLLL) FLIGHT INFORMATION REGION (FIR).

Applicability: National Aviation Authorities and aircraft operators.

Description: Taking into consideration the recent escalation of violence

and the attacks on Tripoli airport, in which infrastructure was damaged and made unserviceable, a series of notices to airmen (NOTAMs) affecting the TRIPOLI (HLLL) Flight

Information Region (FIR) have been issued.

The Agency draws the aviation community's attention to information that indicates the existence of serious risks to the safety of international civil flights and the consequent airspace restrictions implemented. Aircraft operators flight planning in this region should exercise caution.

Recommendation(s): Considering current safety risks in the TRIPOLI (HLLL) FIR

the European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) and EUROCONTROL Network Manager strongly recommend

NOTAMs.

National Aviation Authorities should ensure that all aircraft

airspace users to monitor all relevant information including

operators are aware of this information.

EASA and the Network Manager will continue monitoring the

situation and update this information as necessary.

Contact(s): For further information contact the Safety Information Section,

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Advice from EUROCONTROL Network Manager can be

found on the NOP Network Operations Portal:

https://www.public.cfmu.eurocontrol.int/PUBPORTAL; E-mail: nm.current.ops.manager@eurocontrol.int.

This is information only. Recommendations are not mandatory.