



Safety Information Bulletin

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Subject: Restrictions Concerning the Airspace of Afghanistan

Ref. Publications: NOTAM [FDC 4/8757](#) issued by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

Applicability: National Aviation Authorities and aircraft operators.

Description: Taking into consideration the military action that is taking place within the territory and airspace of Afghanistan, a series of notices to airmen (NOTAMs) 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 within the territory and airspace of Afghanistan the European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) strongly recommend aircraft operators to monitor all relevant information including NOTAMs.

National Aviation Authorities should ensure that all aircraft operators are aware of this information.

EASA will continue monitoring the situation and update this information as necessary.

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