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EXERCISE NOTIFICATION

NOTIFICATION OF A MOD FLYING EXERCISE 10 – 21 JULY 2011

The MoD will be conducting a flying exercise involving fixed wing aircraft and a small number of ground personnel between 10 - 21 July 2011. The exercise is designed to practice low flying for operations. Ground-based personnel will be in uniform and there will be no ground-based tactical activity.

Aircraft activity can be expected in the following general areas:

Borders: Charterhall airfield and Fans Hill near Duns, Lanton Hill near Jedburgh.

Perth & Kinross: Loch Rannoch, Ardlarach.

Angus: Friockheim.

Highland: Cape Wrath – Durness – Lairg – Loch Shin areas, Thurso – Castletown, Dirlot Sands, Tain Range, Plockton Airfield - Loch Quoich Dam – Glenshiel - Lochcarron areas, Loch Ewe.

Out of hours flying has been authorised and noise disturbance may be experienced in some locations. The purpose of this circular is to provide notice of military-related activity: particularly low flying. All personnel involved with the exercise will be briefed on the requirement to avoid disturbance to livestock and damage to property together with the procedures for reporting incidents and complaints.

Points of contact for enquiries and complaints are shown below:

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