

Flight Restriction in the vicinity of Croagh Patrick, Westport, Co. Mayo Saturday 26th to Sunday 27th July 2025

The Irish Aviation Authority in pursuance of Articles 7 and 10 of the Irish Aviation Authority (Standardised Rules of the Air) Order, 2019 (S.I. No. 266 of 2019), and in accordance with Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No. 923/2012, SERA.3145 (Prohibited Areas and Restricted Areas), hereby directs as follows: -

A temporary restriction (Temporary Restricted Area) on the flying of aircraft and rockets as defined in S.I. No. 25 of 2023, including Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) as defined in S.I. No. 24 of 2023 and European Commission Regulation (EU) 2019/947, shall apply in the airspace contained within the under mentioned:

Lateral limits:	Circle radius of 2.7NM centred on 53° 45' 33.82" N, 009° 38' 53.05" W
Vertical limits:	SFC to 3300 feet AMSL
Duration:	The period of the restriction shall be from 0800hrs UTC on the 26 th July 2025 to 2200hrs UTC on the 27 th July 2025.

The Purpose of the TRA:

The purpose of the TRA is to ensure the safety of aircraft operating to and from the annual Reek Sunday event and of other air traffic operating in the vicinity of Croagh Patrick, Westport, Co. Mayo in the period cited.

Airspace Classification & Communication Service:

The airspace contained within the TRA is classified as ICAO Class G. The TRA is located within the Shannon Flight Information Region (FIR). There is no dedicated communications service within the TRA or HAMMS. For flights operating to and from the TRA, Air Traffic Services, as appropriate, are provided by AirNav Ireland at Shannon ACC (AIP refers).

Flight Restrictions & Exemptions:

a. Flights Permitted in the TRA.

- i. State aircraft (including State Unmanned Aircraft Systems), aircraft of the Irish Coastguard Service, Aircraft Operators employed on an operational HEMS mission, shall be exempt from the restriction.
- ii. Flights by aircraft, including Unmanned Aircraft Systems, authorised by the controlling authority.
- iii. Rockets, with specific written permission from the Authority and the controlling authority.

b.Flights not permitted in the TRA.

- i. Flights by all other aircraft, including Unmanned Aircraft Systems, and rockets, are not permitted.
- ii. Any exemptions, alleviations or permissions, other than those listed at 'a. Flights Permitted in the TRA' granted to aircraft, including Unmanned Aircraft Systems, and rockets, by the Authority, are not valid within the TRA during the periods cited.
- iii. Any aircraft, including Unmanned Aircraft Systems, directed by the Authority not to enter the TRA, including aircraft already authorised as a permitted flight by the Flying Display Director as per a.ii.

Pursuant to Article 13 of S.I. No. 24 of 2023, where there is a suspected breach of the EASA Regulations, or the Order (S.I. No. 24 of 2023), a member of An Garda Síochána may, in accordance with Section 7 of the Criminal Justice Act 2006, detain the Unmanned Aircraft Systems.

Pursuant to Article 22 of S.I. No. 24 of 2023, if it appears to a member of An Garda Siochana, that a Unmanned Aircraft Systems is likely to be operated in contravention of the EASA Regulation, the IAA Act 1993, the Order (S.I. No. 24 of 2023), or any Directions thereunder, or if a member of An Garda Síochána reasonably suspects the Unmanned Aircraft Systems is being, or is intended to be operated in the commission of any offence, they may direct the operator or remote pilot, not to operate the Unmanned Aircraft Systems.

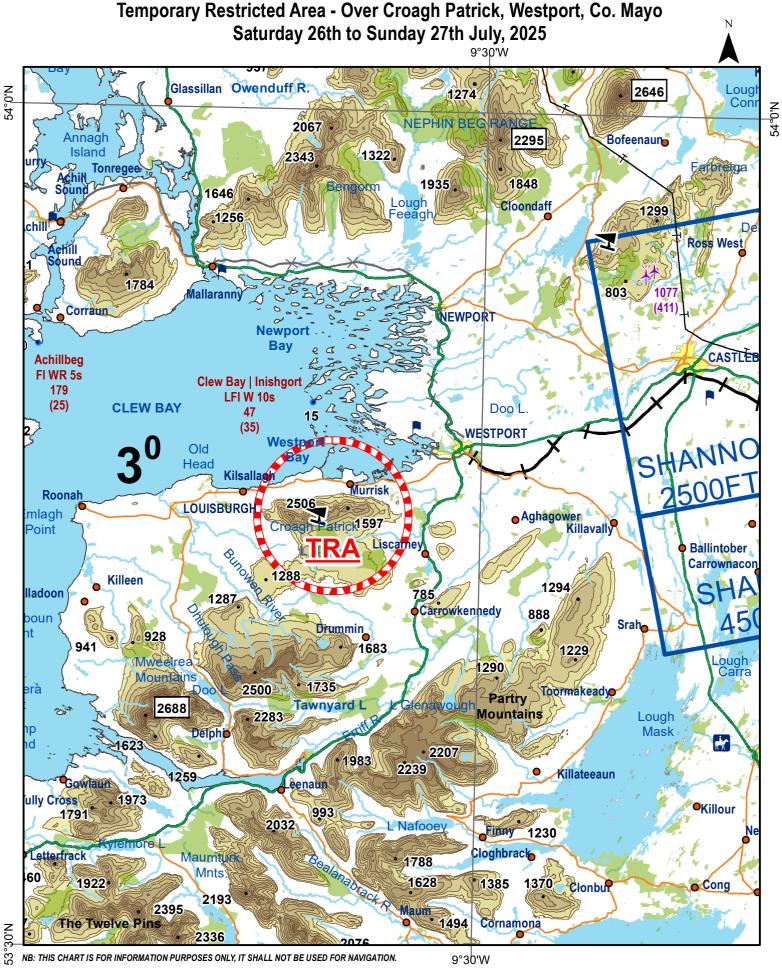
A NOTAM will be issued in due course by the AIS office to notify of the TRA activation.

Queries may be addressed to the Flight Operations Department of the IAA by email at fod@iaa.ie

For further information regarding entry to the TRA and local joining instructions Operators are advised to contact:

Mayo Mountain Rescue Team: +353 (0) 87 776 0890.

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Temporary Restricted Area (TRA):

TRA - Croagh Patrick

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