

Report Low Flying Aircraft

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In general, unless they are landing or taking off, aircraft should be 1000ft above built up areas or 500ft elsewhere. Above these heights small aircraft are allowed to fly anywhere except in controlled areas around airports.

If you wish to report an aircraft for low flying or excessive noise you will need to report the incident to the Civil Aviation Authority; this is the only organisation with powers to control aircraft.

To enable them to trace the aircraft you will need the registration number which is normally G- followed by four letters located on the underside of the wing or side of the aircraft. Photographs can be useful to enable the CAA to judge the height. You can contact the CAA via their website www.caa.co.uk or at:

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