

KICZ A0012/16 – SECURITY – UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ADVISORY FOR NORTH KOREA PYONGYANG (ZKKP) FLIGHT INFORMATION REGION (FIR)

THOSE PERSONS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH A BELOW ARE ADVISED TO EXERCISE CAUTION WHEN FLYING IN OR NEAR THE PYONGYANG (ZKKP) FLIGHT INFORMATION REGION (FIR) EAST OF 132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE DUE TO NORTH KOREAS HISTORY OF UNANNOUNCED LAUNCHING OF MEDIUM-RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILES.

A. APPLICABILITY. THIS NOTAM APPLIES TO: ALL U.S. AIR CARRIERS AND COMMERCIAL OPERATORS; ALL PERSONS EXERCISING THE PRIVILEGES OF AN AIRMAN CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY THE FAA, EXCEPT SUCH PERSONS OPERATING U.S. REGISTERED AIRCRAFT FOR A FOREIGN AIR CARRIER; AND ALL OPERATORS OF AIRCRAFT REGISTERED IN THE UNITED STATES, EXCEPT WHERE THE OPERATOR OF SUCH AIRCRAFT IS A FOREIGN AIR CARRIER.

B. PLANNING. THOSE PERSONS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH A PLANNING FOR AND OPERATING IN AND AROUND THE PYONGYANG FIR (ZKKP) EAST OF 132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE MUST REVIEW CURRENT SECURITY/THREAT INFORMATION AND NOTAMS; AND COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE FAA REGULATIONS, OPERATIONS SPECIFICATIONS, MANAGEMENT SPECIFICATIONS, AND LETTERS OF AUTHORIZATION, INCLUDING UPDATING B450.

C. OPERATIONS. EXERCISE CAUTION DURING FLIGHT OPERATIONS DUE TO POSSIBLE UNANNOUNCED BALLISTIC MISSILE LAUNCHES. BETWEEN MARCH AND APRIL 2016, NORTH KOREA CONDUCTED UNANNOUNCED LAUNCHES OF SHORT RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILES INTO THE SEA OF JAPAN. IN ADDITION, NORTH KOREA HAS LAUNCHED MEDIUM RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILES WHICH HAVE THE ABILITY TO TRAVEL BEYOND 132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE (132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE IS THE EASTERN BOUNDARY OF SPECIAL FEDERAL AVIATION REGULATION (SFAR) 79). SFAR 79 PROHIBITS THE PERSONS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH A FROM FLYING IN THE PYONGYANG (ZKKP) FIR WEST OF 132 DEGREES EAST LONGITUDE. IN ADDITION, UNANNOUNCED BALLISTIC MISSILE LAUNCHES INTO THE SEA OF JAPAN WITH POTENTIAL RANGES THAT EXTEND BEYOND THE SFAR 79 BOUNDARIES MAY OCCUR. THOSE PERSONS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH A MUST REPORT ANY OBSERVED ROCKET OR MISSILE LAUNCHES NEAR THE KOREAN PENINSULA TO THE FAA AT AEO-CITWATCH@FAA.GOV OR +1 202-267-3333 OR 1-844-412-1794.

THE JUSTIFICATION FOR THIS ADVISORY WILL BE RE-EVALUATED BY 27 MAY 2017. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS PROVIDED AT:

[HTTP://WWW.FAA.GOV/AIR_TRAFFIC/PUBLICATIONS/US_RESTRICTIONS/](http://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/us_restrictions/).

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