

AvSEF Paper

Temporary Airspace – Learmonth Air Weapons Range

Western Australia

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Royal Australian Air Force – Joint Airspace Control Cell

CONSULTATION SUMMARY

JACC requests feedback on proposed Temporary Restricted Airspace (TRA) to support activities within the Learmonth Air Weapons Range (LAWR) in the period 01-31 Aug 24.

KEY ISSUES

This proposal notes the following key points:

- Extant airspace does not support ground firing activities
- TRA will be active coincident with other partial activations to support other Air Force Training
- Air routes will remain available for access to RAAF Learmonth

FEEDBACK TO

Joint Airspace Control Cell - adf.airspace@defence.gov.au

CLOSE DATE

19 Jul 2024

OVERVIEW

Exercise Lead Foot will occur from RAAF Learmonth in Aug and Sep 2024. Ex Lead Foot requires airspace above the LAWR to contain various dangerous activities.

PROPOSAL

To achieve the objectives of the activity a temporary restricted airspace, wholly contained within the bounds of R860 and M869, is required with both support to flying and non-flying buffers required around the LAWR. The airspace is approximately 18nm x 18nm and will be active by NOTAM up to A070 for up to 12-hour periods between 01 -31 Aug 24.

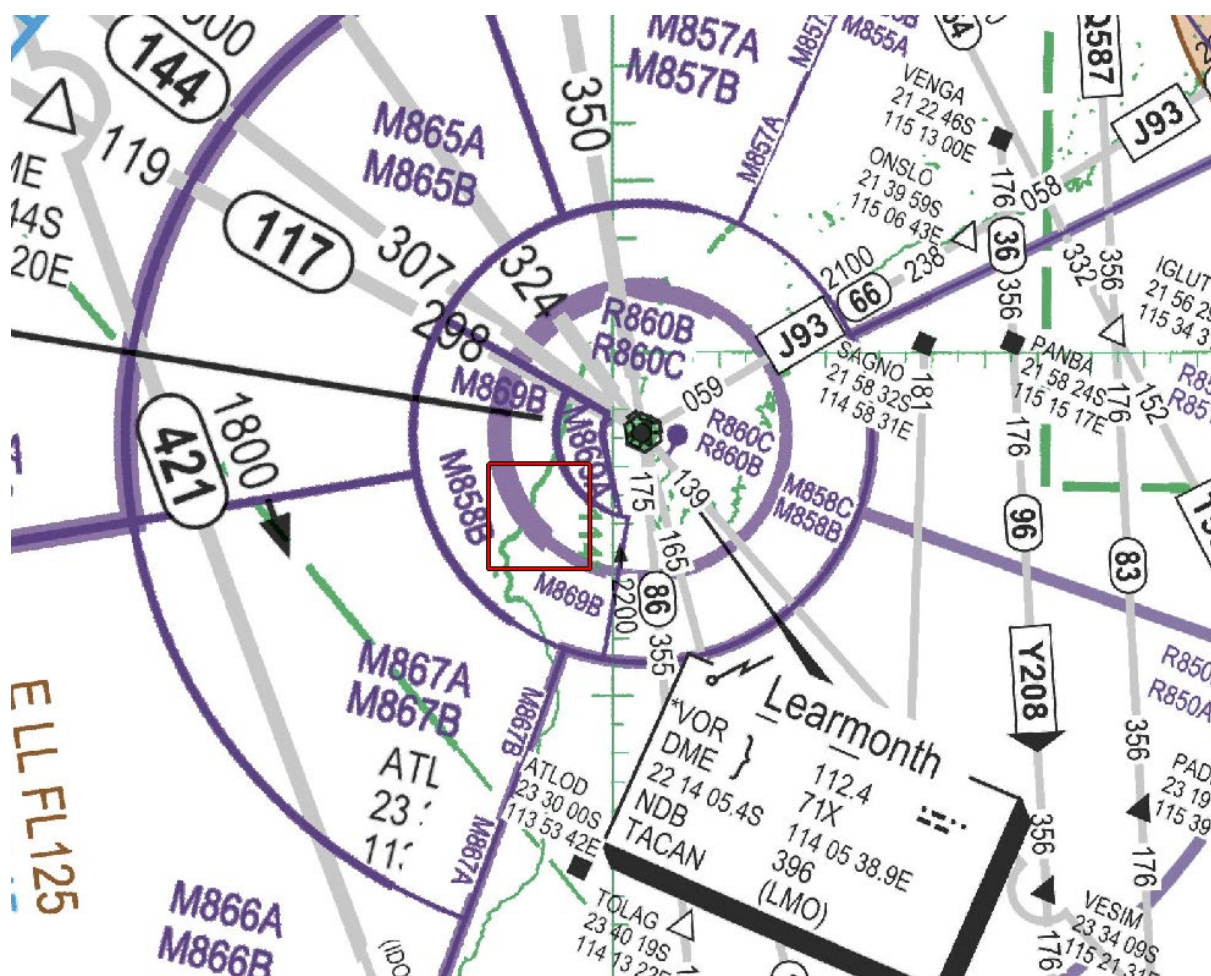


Figure 1. TRA LAWR proposal reference RAAF Learmonth [NOT FOR NAVIGATIONAL PURPOSES]

TRA LAWR

RA3

MIL FLYING/NON-FLYING

Lateral Limits: 221912S 1133700E – 221912S 1135600E – 223744S 1135600E – 223744S 1133700E – 221912S 1133700E

Vertical Limits: SFC-A070 AMSL

Hours of Activity: NOTAM

Controlling Authority: AFTR SQN

Feedback: stakeholders are invited to provide feedback on the proposal via the Joint Airspace Control Cell: adf.airspace@defence.gov.au by 19 Jul 2024.