

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

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CIVIL AVIATION ACT 2024

OPERATING (REGISTRATION) (AMENDMENT NO.4) REGULATIONS 2026

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 34 of the Civil Aviation Act 2024, the Director General has made the following Regulations—

Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Operating (Registration) (Amendment No.4) Regulations 2026.

Commencement.

2. These Regulations come into operation on the day of publication.

Amendment to the Operating (Registration) Regulations 2025.

3.(1) The Operating (Registration) Regulations 2025 are amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In the Schedule, in Chapter 1 (Registration of Aircraft), in REG.010, for (a) substitute—

“(a) An aircraft may be registered by the Authority provided that the aircraft is not registered in any other country and is owned by;

- (1) a natural person who is resident of, or a legal entity that is duly incorporated or otherwise legally established in, Gibraltar;
- (2) a natural person in another State, who is the holder of a valid Gibraltar residence document;
- (3) the Government of Gibraltar;
- (4) a natural person who is a resident of, or a legal entity that is duly incorporated or otherwise legally established in, the United Kingdom, its Crown Dependencies or Overseas Territories;
- (5) a natural person who is a resident of, or a legal entity that is duly incorporated or otherwise legally established in, any country that is a part of the Commonwealth as described under Schedule 3 of the British Nationality Act 1981 as amended from time to time;

- (6) a natural person who is a resident of, or a legal entity that is duly incorporated or otherwise legally established in, any country that is a part of the European Union;
- (7) a natural person who is a resident of, or a legal entity that is duly incorporated or otherwise legally established in Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway or Switzerland;
- (8) a legal entity that is duly incorporated or otherwise legally established in—
 - (i) Hong Kong (Special Administrative Region);
 - (ii) United States of America;
 - (iii) Japan;
 - (iv) People's Republic of China;
 - (v) United Arab Emirates;
 - (vi) Bahrain;
 - (vii) Saudi Arabia;
 - (viii) Oman;
 - (ix) Qatar; or
- (9) a natural person who is a resident of, or a legal entity that is duly incorporated or otherwise legally established in any other State that is acceptable to the Authority and has selected a registered agent residing or legally established in Gibraltar, to act as a service of process agent.”.

Dated: 15th October 2026

C PURKISS,
Director General,
Gibraltar Civil Aviation Authority.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

These Regulations amend the Operating (Registration) Regulations 2025.

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