

## GENERAL LICENCE

### INT/2021/554388

1. This licence is granted under regulation 32 of The Republic of Belarus (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 ("The Belarus Regulations").
2. Any act which would otherwise breach the prohibitions in Regulations 11 to 16 of The Belarus Regulations is exempt from those prohibitions to the extent required to give effect to the permissions in this licence.
3. In this licence:

"Aircraft" means	An aircraft registered in the UK.
"Air Carrier" means	A Person who holds an operating licence from the CAA for the purposes of commercial air transport.
"Aircraft Operator" means	A Person who has the use or operation of an aircraft for private use purposes.
"Air Traffic Services" means	providing instructions, information or advice with a view to preventing aircraft colliding with other aircraft or with other obstructions (whether in the air or on the ground); providing instructions, information or advice with a view to securing safe and efficient flying; managing the flow of air traffic with a view to ensuring the most efficient use of airspace; providing facilities for communicating with aircraft and for the navigation and surveillance of aircraft; notifying organisations of aircraft needing search and rescue facilities, and assisting organisations to provide such facilities.
"Belaeronavigatsia" means	BELAERONAVIGATSIA Republican Unitary Air Navigation Services Enterprise of Ul. Korotkevicha, 19, Minsk, 220039, Belarus, an entity designated under regulation 5 of The Belarus Regulations for the purposes of regulations 11 to 16 (asset-freeze etc.)
"CAA" means	The Civil Aviation Authority of Aviation House, Beehive Ring Road, Crawley, West Sussex RH6 0YR.
"Emergency Situation" means	Conditions that require an Aircraft to land in the Republic of Belarus or use Belarusian airspace to avoid endangering the lives of persons on board or the safety of the Aircraft.
"Eurocontrol" means	Eurocontrol of Rue de la Fusée 96, Brussels 1130, Belgium, a pan-European, civil-military organisation that supports the European Civil Aviation Conference (ECAC).
a "Person" means	An individual, a body of persons corporate or unincorporate, any organisation or any association or combination of persons.
"Relevant Institution" means	A person that has permission under Part 4A of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (3) (permission to carry on regulated activity).

#### Permissions

4. Under this licence, subject to the conditions in Paragraphs 5-8 below:

4.1 Pursuant to an Emergency Situation an Air Carrier or Aircraft Operator may make payment(s) directly or via a Relevant Institution or Eurocontrol to Belaeronavigatsia for the Air Traffic Services provided to the Air Carrier or Aircraft Operator by Belaeronavigatsia.

Reporting Requirements

5. Within 14 days of making payment(s) in accordance with paragraph 4.1 above, an Air Carrier or Aircraft Operator must report to HM Treasury, with details and supporting evidence of:
  - 5.1. The emergency;
  - 5.2. The amount(s) transferred;
  - 5.3. The payment route used; and
  - 5.4. The date on which the funds were transferred.
6. Record-keeping Requirements
  - 6.1. A Person must keep accurate, complete and readable records, on paper or electronically, of any activity purporting to have been permitted under this licence for a minimum of 6 years.

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7. The permissions in this licence do not authorise any act which the person carrying out the act knows, or has reasonable grounds for suspecting, will result in funds or economic resources being made available in breach of The Belarus Regulations, save as permitted under licences granted under The Belarus Regulations.
8. This licence permits activity in accordance with paragraph 5 above on the basis of information provided to HM Treasury, and may only be relied upon where such information remains true, accurate and complete.
9. Information provided to HM Treasury in connection with this licence shall be disclosed to third parties only in compliance with the UK General Data Protection Regulation and the Data Protection Act 2018
10. This licence takes effect from the date of issue and is of indefinite duration.
11. HM Treasury may vary, revoke or suspend this licence at any time.

**Signed:**



**Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation**

**HM Treasury**

19 July 2021.

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