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Drone Operations - safety overview

The safety of staff, clients, the public, property and the environment are Flightworks' primary concern when operating remotely piloted aircraft. We take a proactive approach to ensure that every aspect of our aerial drone operations is as safe as possible. Maintenance and operational procedures are in place to ensure that our drones have a very low risk of technical failure.

Flightworks' is Part 102-certified organisation with the Civil Aviation Authority, which ensures that our operations are set up and undertaken safely. Our drone pilots pass an annual certification process to maintain their competency. Flightworks has been certified to undertake specific operations beyond the normal rules including flying above 400ft, flying above people, undertaking distant flights and we can fly in aviation zones such as near airports.

Flightworks has a digital Health & Safety process to check gear and identify and manage risks when we prepare to fly drones. We capture digital logs of our flights which are stored if we need to refer to any flights. We coordinate with clients and landowners to understand any other site risks that we need to be aware of when operating aerial drones.

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