

memo

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to IFP, Airspace, CNS, TNP

subject **WT Assessment - Eriswil**

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Emch + Berger AG requested an assessment of one wind turbine projects which is located in Eriswil on 9 October 2017.



Figure 1 Location of Eriswil wind turbine project

Name	X (CH03)	Y (CH03)	Z [m]	WT Height [m]	Vert. tol. ¹ [m]	Total height [m]
Eriswil 1	632'886	213'363	918	230	2	1150

Table 1 Wind turbine project "Eriswil" description and its associated height

The following routes have been analysed to assess if there was any impact on them:

Route name	Eriswil WT potential impact
G5	no impact
J71	no impact
N871	no impact
T625	no impact
Z55	no impact
Z57	no impact

Table 2 Routes assessed for potential impact

¹ DHM measurement error (swisstopo)

The following IFP procedures have been analysed to assess if there was any impact on them:

Procedure name	Eriswil WT potential impact
LSZC SID WIL 3A	no impact
LSZB STAR WIL 2M/2N	no impact
LSZB STAR WIL 2P	no impact
LSZG HLDG ARVAN	no impact
LSME ASMA	impacting 5000 ft sector (see Fig.2)
LSZB ASMA (-4°C and -20°C)	no impact
LSZH ASMA	impacting 5000 ft sector (see Fig. 3)
LSME MSA	no impact
LSZB MSA	no impact
LSZC MSA	no impact
LSZG MSA	no impact

Table 3 Procedures assessed for potential impact

ATC Surveillance Minimum Altitude (ASMA) assessment

ATC Surveillance Minimum Altitude (ASMA) assessment is done with a 3 NM buffer around the considered obstacles when they are distant of less than 20 NM from a primary radar antenna, as described in ICAO DOC 8168 Vol. 2 6th edition, chapter 6 SRE, § 6.2.3, letter b (p. 512). If the considered obstacles are distant of more than 20 NM, a 5 NM buffer is then applied.

Wind turbine Eriswil is inside the 20 NM distance from Emmen primary surveillance radar (LSME FLUR90). A 3 NM buffer is applied to this wind turbine when assessing LSME ASMA.

Wind turbine Eriswil is outside the 20 NM distance from Zurich primary surveillance radar (LSZH HL1P). A 5 NM buffer is applied to this wind turbine when assessing LSZH ASMA.

Impact on LSME ASMA sector 5000 ft

An impact by Eriswil wind turbine project has been highlighted on the sector 5000 ft of LSME ATC Surveillance Minimum Altitude (ASMA) -20°C, as depicted in Figure 2.

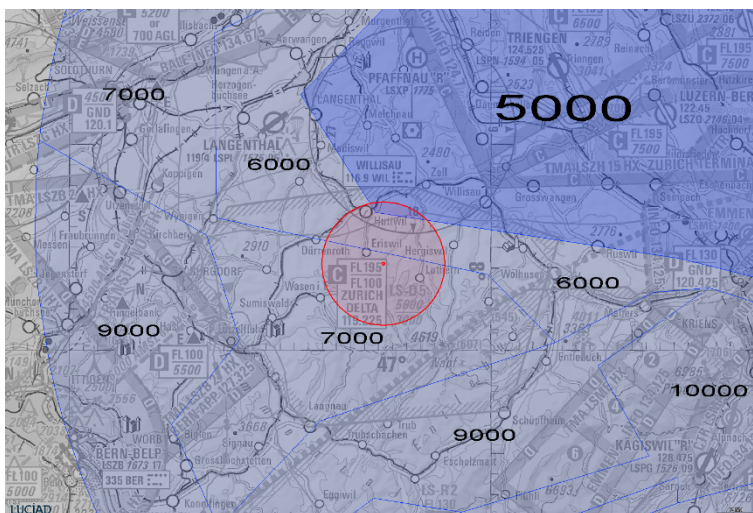


Figure 2 Impact of Eriswil wind turbine project on LSME ASMA -20°C

	Eriswil wind turbine
Altitude of obstacle	1150 m
Minimum Obstacle Clearance (MOC)	300 m
Correction for cold temperature (up to -20°C)	82 m ≈ 268 ft
Minimum Overflight Altitude	1532 m ≈ 5026 ft
Published ASMA	1524 m ≈ 5000 ft
Effective Obstacle Clearance	374 m ≈ 1227 ft

Effective obstacle clearance should be at least **382 m**.

Maximum height on top of wind turbine (rotor): **1143 m ≈ 3750 ft**

In order to solve this issue, two options are available:

1. The maximum height of the wind turbine "Eriswil" shall not exceed 1143 m AMSL at the top of the rotor.
2. The sector 5000 ft of LSME ASMA shall be raised by 100 ft to 5100 ft on the impacted portion or reshaped to cover the impacted area by the adjacent 6000 ft sector, provided Emmen Operations accept this modification (safety assessment needed).

For option 2, this would mean wind farm developer has to support the costs of this modification. Skyguide shall be informed at least 9 months prior starting construction work, in order to conduct the necessary work to publish the new LSME ASMA.

Impact on LSZH ASMA sector 5000 ft

An impact by Eriswil wind turbine project has also been highlighted on the sector 5000 ft of LSZH ATC Surveillance Minimum Altitude (ASMA) -20°C, as depicted in Figure 3.

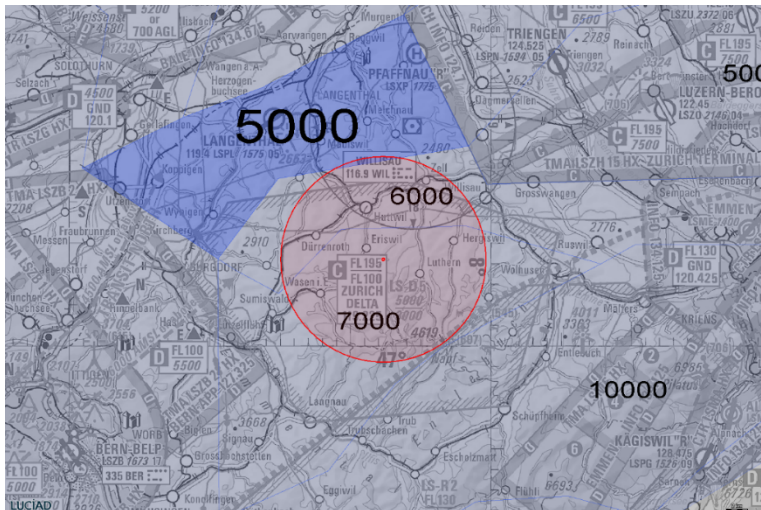


Figure 3 Impact of Eriswil wind turbine project on LSZH MVA -20°C

	Eriswil wind turbine
Altitude of obstacle	1150 m
Minimum Obstacle Clearance (MOC)	300 m
Correction for cold temperature (up to -20°C)	82 m ≈ 268 ft
Minimum Overflight Altitude	1532 m ≈ 5026 ft
Published MVA	1524 m ≈ 5000 ft
Effective Obstacle Clearance	374 m ≈ 1227 ft

Effective obstacle clearance should be at least **382 m**.

Maximum height on top of wind turbine (rotor): **1143 m** ≈ **3750 ft**

In order to solve this issue, two options are available:

1. The maximum height of the wind turbine "Eriswil" shall not exceed 1143 m AMSL at the top of the rotor.
2. The sector 5000 ft of LSZH ASMA shall be raised by 100 ft to 5100 ft on the impacted portion or reshaped to cover the impacted area by the adjacent 6000 ft sector, provided Zurich Operations accept this modification (safety assessment needed).

For option 2, this would mean wind farm developer has to support the costs of this modification. Skyguide shall be informed at least 9 months prior starting construction work, in order to conduct the necessary work to publish the new LSZH ASMA.

All other routes and procedures are not impacted by this project.

All these routes and procedures are available in file "[Eriswil 2017.lws](#)".

After assessing all these routes and procedures, two of them are impacted by "Eriswil" wind turbine project.

IFP can therefore grant a **conditional notification** for wind farm project "Eriswil", provided that:

- wind turbine "Eriswil" maximum height does not exceed 1143 m AMSL at the top of the rotor, or
- LSME and LSZH ASMA sectors 5000 ft are either raised or reshaped to exclude 3 NM / 5 NM buffer areas.

This notification is valid with a lateral tolerance of 150 m and a vertical tolerance of 20 m.

This notification is valid for 4 years.

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